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The FIRST SESSION of the SEVENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS commenced this day, conformably to the Constitution of the United States, as amended by the twentieth amendment, and the Senate met in its Chamber at the city of Washington.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 3, 1935

The Honorable John N. Garner, Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate, called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain, Rev. ZeBarney Thorne Phillips, D. D., of Washington, D. C., offered prayer.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATORS-ELECT FROM NEW MEXICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Bronson Cutting, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of New Mexico for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a telegram from the Governor of the State of New Mexico, certifying that on the 6th day of November 1934 Carl A. Hatch was duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of that State to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1937, caused by the resignation of Hon. Sam G. Bratton; which was ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MONTANA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Burton K. Wheeler, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Montana for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEBRASKA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Richard C. Hunter, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Nebraska on November 6, 1934, to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1935, caused by the death of Hon. Robert B. Howell; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MONTANA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of James E. Murray, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Montana on November 6, 1934, to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1937, caused by the death of Hon. Thomas J. Walsh; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATORS-ELECT FROM TENNESSEE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Kenneth D. McKellar, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Tennessee for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Nathan L. Bachman, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Tennessee on November 6, 1934, to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1937, caused by the resignation of Hon. Cordell Hull; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM CALIFORNIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Hiram W. Johnson, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of California for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEVADA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Key Pittman, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Nevada for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MINNESOTA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Henrik Shipstead, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Minnesota for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM WEST VIRGINIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Rush Dew Holt, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of West Virginia for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM ARIZONA

Mr. Hayden presented the credentials of Henry F. Ashurst, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Arizona for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MISSISSIPPI

Mr. Harrison presented the credentials of Theodore G. Bilbo, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Mississippi for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEBRASKA

Mr. Norris presented the credentials of Edward R. Burke, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Nebraska for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM VIRGINIA

Mr. Glass presented the credentials of Harry F. Byrd, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Virginia for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM TEXAS

Mr. Sheppard presented the credentials of Tom Connally, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Texas for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEW YORK

Mr. Wagner presented the credentials of Royal S. Copeland, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of New York for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM OHIO

Mr. Bulkley presented the credentials of Vic Donahey, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Ohio for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NORTH DAKOTA

Mr. Nye presented the credentials of Lynn J. Frazier, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of North Dakota for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM RHODE ISLAND

Mr. Metcalf presented the credentials of Peter G. Gerry, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM PENNSYLVANIA

Mr. Davis presented the credentials of Joseph F. Guffey, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Pennsylvania for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MAINE

Mr. White presented the credentials of Frederick Hale, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Maine for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM UTAH

Mr. Thomas of Utah presented the credentials of William H. King, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Utah for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM WISCONSIN

Mr. Duffy presented the credentials of Robert M. La Follette, Jr., duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Wisconsin for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM CONNECTICUT

Mr. Lonergan presented the credentials of Francis T. Maloney, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Connecticut for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM INDIANA

Mr. Van Nuys presented the credentials of Sherman Minton, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Indiana for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEW JERSEY

Mr. Barbour presented the credentials of A. Harry Moore, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of New Jersey for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MARYLAND

Mr. Bailey presented the credentials of George L. Radcliffe, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Maryland for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM WASHINGTON

Mr. Bone presented the credentials of Lewis B. Schwellenbach, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Washington for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM DELAWARE

Mr. Hastings presented the credentials of John G. Townsend, Jr., duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Delaware for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM FLORIDA

Mr. Fletcher presented the credentials of Park Trammell, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Florida for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MISSOURI

Mr. Clark presented the credentials of Harry S. Truman, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Missouri for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MICHIGAN

Mr. Couzens presented the credentials of Arthur H. Vandenberg, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Michigan for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM MASSACHUSETTS

Mr. Coolidge presented the credentials of David I. Walsh, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Massachusetts for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM WYOMING

Mr. Carey presented the credentials of Joseph C. O'Mahoney, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Wyoming on November 6, 1934, to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1935, caused by the death of Hon. John B. Kendrick; which were ordered to be placed on file.

Mr. Carey presented the ceredentials of Joseph C. O'Mahoney, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Wyoming for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which were ordered to be placed on file.

SENATOR-ELECT FROM VERMONT

Mr. McNary presented copies of sections 274, 275, and 284 of the Public Laws of Vermont, duly authenticated by the secretary of state of that State, relating to elections for State and congressional officers; and a statement of the votes given for United States Senator by cities and towns in that State, prepared by and authenticated by him, showing that Warren R. Austin received the greatest number of votes cast for that office; which were ordered to be placed on file.

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH TO SENATORS

The following-named Senators-elect, whose credentials were this day presented to the Senate, together with Mr. Austin and Mr. Hatch, appeared, and the oath prescribed by law having been administered to them by the Vice President, they took their seats in the Senate:

Mr. Ashurst, from the State of Arizona;
Mr. Bachman, from the State of Tennessee;
Mr. Bilbo, from the State of Mississippi;
Mr. Burke, from the State of Nebraska;
Mr. Byrd, from the State of Virginia;
Mr. Connally, from the State of Texas;
Mr. Copeland, from the State of New York;
Mr. Cutting, from the State of New Mexico;
Mr. Donahey, from the State of Ohio;
Mr. Frazier, from the State of North Dakota;
Mr. Gerry, from the State of Rhode Island;
Mr. Guffey, from the State of Pennsylvania;
Mr. Hale, from the State of Maine;
Mr. Johnson, from the State of California;
Mr. King, from the State of Utah;
Mr. La Follette, from the State of Wisconsin;
Mr. Maloney, from the State of Connecticut;
Mr. Minton, from the State of Indiana;
Mr. Moore, from the State of New Jersey;
Mr. Murray, from the State of Montana;
Mr. O'Mahoney, from the State of Wyoming;
Mr. Pittman, from the State of Nevada;
Mr. Radcliffe, from the State of Maryland;
Mr. Schwellenbach, from the State of Washington;
Mr. Shipstead, from the State of Minnesota;
Mr. Townsend, from the State of Delaware;
Mr. Trammell, from the State of Florida;
Mr. Truman, from the State of Missouri;
Mr. Vandenberg, from the State of Michigan;
Mr. Walsh, from the State of Massachusetts; and
Mr. Wheeler, from the State of Montana.

QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

From the State of Alabama:
Messrs. Hugo L. Black and John H. Bankhead.
From the State of Arizona:
Messrs. Henry F. Ashurst and Carl Hayden.
From the State of Arkansas:
Mr. Joseph T. Robinson and Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway.
From the State of California:
Mr. Hiram W. Johnson.
From the State of Colorado:
Messrs. Edward P. Costigan and Alva B. Adams.
From the State of Connecticut:
Messrs. Augustine Lonergan and Francis T. Maloney.
From the State of Delaware:
Messrs. Daniel O. Hastings and John G. Townsend, Jr.
From the State of Florida:
Messrs. Duncan U. Fletcher and Park Trammell.
From the State of Georgia:
Messrs. Walter F. George and Richard B. Russell, Jr.
From the State of Idaho:
Messrs. William E. Borah and James P. Pope.
From the State of Illinois
Messrs. J. Hamilton Lewis and William H. Dieterich.
From the State of Indiana:
Messrs. Frederick Van Nuys and Sherman Minton.
From the State of Iowa:
Mr. L. J. Dickinson.
From the State of Kansas:
Messrs. Arthur Capper and George McGill.
From the State of Kentucky:
Messrs. Alben W. Barkley and M. M. Logan.
From the State of Maine:
Messrs. Frederick Hale and Wallace H. White, Jr.
From the State of Maryland:
Mr. George L. Radcliffe.
From the State of Massachusetts:
Messrs. David I. Walsh and Marcus A. Coolidge.
From the State of Michigan:
Messrs. James Couzens and Arthur H. Vandenberg.
From the State of Minnesota:
Messrs. Henrik Shipstead and Thomas D. Schall.
From the State of Mississippi:
Messrs. Pat Harrison and Theodore G. Bilbo.
From the State of Missouri:
Messrs. Bennett Champ Clark and Harry S. Truman.
From the State of Montana:
Messrs. Burton K. Wheeler and James E. Murray.
From the State of Nebraska:
Messrs. George W. Norris and Edward R. Burke.
From the State of Nevada:
Mr. Key Pittman.
From the State of New Hampshire:
Messrs. Henry W. Keyes and Fred H. Brown.
From the State of New Jersey:
Messrs. W. Warren Barbour and A. Harry Moore.
From the State of New Mexico:
Messrs. Bronson Cutting and Carl A. Hatch.
From the State of New York:
Messrs. Royal S. Copeland and Robert F. Wagner.
From the State of North Carolina:
Messrs. Josiah W. Bailey and Robert R. Reynolds.
From the State of North Dakota:
Messrs. Lynn J. Frazier and Gerald P. Nye.
From the State of Ohio:
Messrs. Robert J. Bulkley and Vic Donahey.
From the State of Oklahoma:
Messrs. Elmer Thomas and Thomas P. Gore.
From the State of Oregon:
Messrs. Charles L. McNary and Frederick Steiwer.
From the State of Pennsylvania:
Messrs. James J. Davis and Joseph F. Guffey.
From the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations:
Messrs. Jesse H. Metcalf and Peter G. Gerry.
From the State of South Carolina:
Messrs. Ellison D. Smith and James F. Byrnes.
From the State of South Dakota:
Mr. William J. Bulow.
From the State of Tennessee:
Mr. Nathan L. Bachman.
From the State of Texas:
Messrs. Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally.
From the State of Utah:
Messrs. William H. King and Elbert D. Thomas.
From the State of Vermont:
Mr. Warren R. Austin.
From the State of Virginia:
Messrs. Carter Glass and Harry F. Byrd.
From the State of Washington:
Messrs. Homer T. Bone and Lewis B. Schwellenbach.
From the State of West Virginia:
Mr. Matthew M. Neely.
From the State of Wisconsin:
Messrs. Robert M. La Follette and F. Ryan Duffy.
From the State of Wyoming:
Messrs. Robert D. Carey and Joseph C. O'Mahoney.

A quorum being present,

NOTIFICATION TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Robinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 1), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That a committee consisting of two Senators be appointed to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives to wait upon the President of the United States and inform him that a quorum of each House is assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

The Vice President thereupon appointed Mr. Robinson and Mr. McNary as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

NOTIFICATION TO THE HOUSE

Mr. McNary submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 2), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives that a quorum of the Senate is assembled and that the Senate is ready to proceed to business.

HOUR OF DAILY MEETING

Mr. Robinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 3), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the hour of daily meeting of the Senate be 12 o'clock meridian unless otherwise ordered.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 7 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Vice President.

AT 2 O'CLOCK AND 30 MINUTES P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House of Representatives is assembled; that Joseph W. Byrns, a Representative from the State of Tennessee, has been elected Speaker; that South Trimble, a citizen of the State of Kentucky, has been elected Clerk; and that the House is ready for business.

I am also directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three Members be appointed by the Speaker on the part of the House of Representatives to join with the committee on the part of the Senate to notify the President of the United States that a

quorum of each House has been assembled, and that Congress is ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

And that, in accordance with the said resolution, the Speaker had appointed Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Doughton, and Mr. Snell as the members of the committee on the part of the House.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 1), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the two Houses of Congress assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Friday, the 4th day of January 1935, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving such communications as the President of the United States shall be pleased to make to them.

REPORT OF NOTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Robinson, from the committee appointed to join a similar committee appointed by the House of Representatives to wait upon the President of the United States and inform him that a quorum of each House is assembled and ready to proceed to business, reported that they had performed that duty, and that the President had stated that he expects to communicate with the Congress in joint session tomorrow at 12:30 o'clock p. m.

JOINT MEETING OF THE TWO HOUSES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 1), relative to the meeting of both Houses in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Friday, January 4, 1935, to receive such communication as the President shall be pleased to make to them, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 34 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following resolutions, which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

House Resolution 22

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. FREDERICK LANDIS, a Representative-elect from the State of Indiana.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

House Resolution 23

Resolved, That the House has learned with profound sensibility and sorrow of the death of HENRY T. RAINEY, Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Seventy-third Congress.

Resolved, That in the death of the Hon. HENRY T. RAINEY the United States has sustained an irreparable loss.

Resolved, That this House, of which he was a distinguished Member and leader, unite in honoring his sterling character, the ability, probity, and patriotic motives which illustrated his public career and the grace and dignity which marked his intercourse with his fellow citizens.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

ORDER FOR RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its business today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

REPORT OF WAR MINERALS RELIEF COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the administration of the War Minerals Relief Act for the year ended November 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

CANCELATION OF INDIAN INDEBTEDNESS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of cancelations and adjustments of reimbursable charges of the United States existing as debts against individual Indians or tribes of Indians; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

DEVELOPMENT OF OIL AND GAS POOLS

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, information concerning the approval of unit plans of development for Round Mountain oil and gas field, Kern County, Calif., and Middle Dome Kettleman Hills oil and gas field, Kings County, Calif.; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

LEASE OF OIL AND GAS LANDS, FORT MORGAN MILITARY RESERVATION, ALA.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning a lease issued to T. S. Stoneman, New Orleans, La., for the exploitation for oil, gas, and other minerals on the lands comprising the Fort Morgan Military Reservation, Ala.; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

REPORT OF ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the Superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, showing in detail the receipts and expenditures for all purposes in connection with the said institution; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

AIRCRAFT PURCHASES FOR NAVY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Navy, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of designs, aircraft, aircraft parts, and aeronautical accessories purchased by the Navy Department during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, the prices paid therefor, and the reason for the award in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

SETTLEMENT OF SHIPPING BOARD CLAIMS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of claims arbitrated or settled by agreement from October 16, 1933, to October 15, 1934, by the United States Shipping Board Bureau and the United States Shipping Board Merchant Fleet Corporation; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

HEALING ARTS PRACTICE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the president of the Commission on Licensure, Healing Arts Practice Act, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

ANNUAL REPORT OF PUERTO RICAN HURRICANE RELIEF COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of War, chairman of the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Commission for the year ended September 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF NATIONAL FOREST RESERVATION COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of War, as president ex officio of the National Forest Reservation Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed with the accompanying illustration.

REPORT OF NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROMOTION OF RIFLE PRACTICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of War, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the activities of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

NOBEL PEACE PRIZE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State, transmitting a copy of a circular issued by the Nobel Committee of the Norwegian Parliament furnishing information regarding the proposals of candidates for the Nobel Peace Prize for the year 1935; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORT OF FEDERAL BUREAU OF NARCOTICS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a copy of the annual report of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics for the calendar year ended December 31, 1933; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

WASTE-PAPER SALES IN GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Public Printer, reporting the receipt of $125.81 as proceeds from the sale of useless papers in the Government Printing Office; which was referred to the Committee on Printing.

USELESS PAPERS IN GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Public Printer, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of useless papers in the files of the Government Printing Office which are not needed in the transaction of the current business and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Hayden and Mr. Vandenberg as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CLAIM OF GEORGE W. MILLER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation for the purpose of relieving a disallowance in the account of George W. Miller, United States Coast Guard; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

REPORT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the board of directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities of the authority for the period June 16, 1933, to June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

JUDGMENTS OF COURT OF CLAIMS IN CONGRESSIONAL CASES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chief clerk of the Court of Claims, transmitting a statement of judgments rendered by the Court of Claims in the cases of Midlothian Oil & Gin Co.; Planters Cotton Oil Co., and Planters Chemical & Oil Co., referred to the court by resolution of the Senate on March 3, 1923, under the Judicial Code.

Ordered, That the communication be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF GORGAS MEMORIAL INSTITUTE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint communication from the president and chairman of the board of directors of the Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine, Inc., transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the institute for the year ended October 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals.

REPORT OF TEXTILE FOUNDATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chairman of the Textile Foundation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the proceedings, activities, income, and expenditures of the corporation for the year ended December 31, 1933; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

EXPORT AND IMPORT TRADE WITH CERTAIN COUNTRIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting in further response to Senate Resolution 334, Seventy-second Congress, a report of tariff and trade restrictions imposed by certain foreign countries since 1922; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

JUDGMENTS OF COURT OF CLAIMS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chief clerk of the Court of Claims, transmitting, pursuant to law, a statement of judgments rendered by the Court of Claims for the year ended December 31, 1934, the amount thereof, the parties in whose favor rendered, and a brief synopsis of the nature of the claims; which, with the accompanying statement, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

COST OF ARMY AIR CORPS MAIL OPERATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Postmaster General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the cost of Army Air Corps mail operations for the period February 12 to June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Public Printer, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the operations of the Government Printing Office for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, and the calendar year 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Printing.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TARIFF COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the eighteenth annual report of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF INVESTIGATIONS BY TARIFF COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate 10 communications from the Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting copies of reports sent to the President by the Commission in investigations, for the purpose of

section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, with the action of the President thereon, as follows:

(1) A report of an investigation, pursuant to Senate Resolution 238 (72d Cong.), with respect to pins;

(2) A report of an investigation, pursuant to Senate Resolution 361 (72d Cong.), with respect to cotton fish nets and netting;

(3) A report of an investigation, pursuant to Senate Resolution 369 (72d Cong.), with respect to cut flowers;

(4) A report of an investigation, pursuant to Senate Resolution 227 (72d Cong.), with respect to meat and food choppers;

(5) A report of an investigation, instituted upon application received from interested parties, with respect to cotton ties of iron or steel;

(6) A report of an investigation, pursuant to Senate Resolution 324 (71st Cong.), with respect to laminated products;

(7) A report of an investigation, instituted upon application received from interested parties, with respect to candied, crystallized, or glace fruits;

(8) A report of an investigation, instituted upon application received from interested parties, with respect to canned clams;

(9) A report of an investigation, instituted pursuant to a letter received from President Hoover, dated October 24, 1932, with respect to tooth and other toilet brushes and backs and handles therefor; and

(10) A report of an investigation, instituted pursuant to a letter received from President Hoover, dated October 24, 1932, with respect to grass and straw rugs.

Ordered, That the communications, with the accompanying reports, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

SYNTHETIC CAMPHOR

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting, for the information of the Senate, a copy of a report made by the Commission with respect to synthetic camphor, conducted in accordance with a special provision in paragraph 51 of the Tariff Act of 1930; which, with the accompanying document, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Maloney, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 7 minutes p. m.,

The Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Vice President.

AT 12 O'CLOCK AND 15 MINUTES P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the Hall of the House of Representatives for the joint assembly of the two Houses, authorized by House Concurrent Resolution 1, for the purpose of receiving a communication from the President of the United States; and

The two Houses being assembled,

The President of the United States addressed them as follows:

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives, the Constitution wisely provides that the Chief Executive shall report to the Congress on the state of the Union, for through you, the chosen legislative representatives, our citizens everywhere may fairly judge the progress of our governing. I am confident that today, in the light of the events of the past 2 years, you do not consider it merely a trite phrase when I tell you that I am truly glad to greet you and that I look forward to common counsel, to useful cooperation, and to genuine friendships between us.

We have undertaken a new order of things; yet we progress towards it under the framework and in the spirit and intent of the American Constitution. We have proceeded throughout the Nation a measurable distance on the road towards this new order. Materially I can report to you substantial benefits to our agricultural population, increased industrial activity, and profits to our merchants. Of equal moment, there is evident a restoration of that spirit of confidence and faith which marks the American character. Let him who, for speculative profit or partisan purpose, without just warrant, would seek to disturb or dispel this assurance, take heed before he assumes responsibility for any act which slows our onward steps.

Throughout the world change is the order of the day. In every nation economic problems, long in the making, have brought crises of many kinds for which the masters of old practice and theory were unprepared. In most nations social justice, no longer a distant ideal, has become a definite goal, and ancient governments are beginning to heed the call.

Thus the American people do not stand alone in the world in their desire for change. We seek it through tested liberal traditions, through processes which retain all of the deep essentials of that republican form of representative government first given to a troubled world by the United States.

As the various parts in the program begun in the extraordinary session of the Seventy-third Congress shape themselves in practical administration, the unity of our program reveals itself to the Nation. The outlines of the new economic order, rising from the disintegration of the old, are apparent. We test what we have done as our measures take root in the living texture of life. We see where we have built wisely and where we can do still better.

The attempt to make a distinction between recovery and reform is a narrowly conceived effort to substitute the appearance of reality for reality itself. When a man is convalescing from illness, wisdom dictates not only cure of the symptoms but also removal of their cause.

It is important to recognize that while we seek to outlaw specific abuses, the American objective of today has an infinitely deeper, finer, and more lasting purpose than mere repression. Thinking people in almost every country of the world have come to realize certain fundamental difficulties with which civilization must reckon. Rapid changes—the machine age, the advent of universal and rapid communication, and many other new factors have brought new problems. Succeeding generations have attempted to keep pace by reforming in piecemeal fashion this or that attendant abuse. As a result, evils overlap and reform becomes confused and frustrated. We lose sight, from time to time, of our ultimate human objectives.

Let us, for a moment, strip from our simple purpose the confusion that results from a multiplicity of detail and from millions of written and spoken words.

We find our population suffering from old inequalities, little changed by past sporadic remedies. In spite of our efforts and in spite of our talk, we have not weeded out the overprivileged and we have not effectively lifted up the underprivileged. Both of these manifestations of injustice have retarded happiness. No wise man has any intention

of destroying what is known as the "profit motive"; because by the profit motive we mean the right by work to earn a decent livelihood for ourselves and for our families.

We have, however, a clear mandate from the people that Americans must forswear that conception of the acquisition of wealth which, through excessive profits, creates undue private power over private affairs, and, to our misfortune, over public affairs as well. In building toward this end we do not destroy ambition nor do we seek to divide our wealth into equal shares on stated occasions. We continue to recognize the greater ability of some to earn more than others. But we do assert that the ambition of the individual to obtain for him and his a proper security, a reasonable leisure, and a decent living throughout life is an ambition to be preferred to the appetite for great wealth and great power.

I recall to your attention my message to the Congress last June, in which I said, "Among our objectives I place the security of the men, women, and children of the Nation first." That remains our first and continuing task; and in a very real sense every major legislative enactment of this Congress should be a component part of it.

In defining immediate factors which enter into our quest, I have spoken to the Congress and the people of three great divisions:

First. The security of a livelihood through the better use of the national resources of the land in which we live.

Second. The security against the major hazards and vicissitudes of life.

Third. The security of decent homes.

I am now ready to submit to the Congress a broad program designed ultimately to establish all three of these factors of security—a program which because of many lost years will take many future years to fulfill.

A study of our national resources, more comprehensive than any previously made, shows the vast amount of necessary and practicable work which needs to be done for the development and preservation of our natural wealth for the enjoyment and advantage of our people in generations to come. The sound use of land and water is far more comprehensive than the mere planting of trees, building of dams, distributing of electricity, or retirement of submarginal land. It recognizes that stranded populations, either in the country or the city, cannot have security under the conditions that now surround them.

To this end we are ready to begin to meet this problem—the intelligent care of population throughout our Nation in accordance with an intelligent distribution of the means of livelihood for that population. A definite program for putting people to work, of which I shall speak in a moment, is a component part of this greater program of security of livelihood through the better use of our national resources.

Closely related to the broad problem of livelihood is that of security against the major hazards of life. Here also a comprehensive survey of what has been attempted or accomplished in many nations and in many States proves to me that the time has come for action by the National Government. I shall send to you in a few days definite recommendations based on these studies. These recommendations will cover the broad subjects of unemployment insurance and old-age insurance, of benefits for children, for mothers, for the handicapped, for maternity care, and for other aspects of dependency and illness where a beginning can now be made.

The third factor—better homes for our people—has also been the subject of experimentation and study. Here, too, the first practical steps can be made through the proposals which I shall suggest in relation to giving work to the unemployed.

Whatever we plan and whatever we do should be in the light of these three clear objectives of security. We cannot afford to lose valuable time in haphazard public policies which cannot find a place in the broad outlines of these major purposes. In that spirit I come to an immediate issue made for us by hard and inescapable circumstance—the task of putting people to work. In the spring of 1933 the issue of destitution seemed to stand apart; today, in the light of our experience and our new national policy, we find we can put people to work in ways which conform to, initiate, and carry forward the broad principles of that policy.

The first objectives of emergency legislation of 1933 were to relieve destitution, to make it possible for industry to operate in a more rational and orderly fashion, and to put behind industrial recovery the impulse of large expenditures in Government undertakings. The purpose of the National Industrial Recovery Act to provide work for more people succeeded in a substantial manner within the first few months of its life, and the act has continued to maintain employment gains and greatly improved working conditions in industry.

The program of public works provided for in the Recovery Act launched the Federal Government into a task for which there was little time to make preparation and little American experience to follow. Great employment has been given and is being given by these works.

More than $2,000,000,000 have also been expended in direct relief to the destitute. Local agencies of necessity determined the recipients of this form of relief. With inevitable exceptions, the funds were spent by them with reasonable efficiency, and as a result actual want of food and clothing in the great majority of cases has been overcome.

But the stark fact before us is that great numbers still remain unemployed.

A large proportion of these unemployed and their dependents have been forced on the relief rolls. The burden on the Federal Government has grown with great rapidity. We have here a human as well as an economic problem. When humane considerations are concerned Americans give them precedence. The lessons of history, confirmed by the evidence immediately before me, show conclusively that continued dependence upon relief induces a spiritual and moral disintegration fundamentally destructive to the national fiber. To dole out relief in this way is to administer a narcotic, a subtle destroyer of the human spirit. It is inimical to the dictates of sound policy. It is in violation of the traditions of America. Work must be found for able-bodied but destitute workers.

The Federal Government must and shall quit this business of relief.

I am not willing that the vitality of our people be further sapped by the giving of cash, of market baskets, of a few hours of weekly work cutting grass, raking leaves, or picking up papers in the public parks. We must preserve not only the bodies of the unemployed from destitution but also their self-respect, their self-reliance, and courage and determination. This decision brings me to the problem of what the Government should do with approximately 5,000,000 unemployed now on the relief rolls.

About one million and a half of these belong to the group which in the past was dependent upon local welfare efforts. Most of them are unable for one reason or another to maintain themselves independently—for the most part through no fault of their own. Such people, in the days before the great depression, were cared for by local efforts—by States, by counties, by towns, by cities, by churches, and by private welfare agencies. It is my thought that in the future they must be cared for as they were before. I stand ready, through my own personal efforts and through the public influence of the office that I hold, to help these local agencies to get the means necessary to assume this burden.

The security legislation which I shall propose to the Congress will, I am confident, be of assistance to local effort in the care of this type of cases. Local responsibility can and will be resumed, for, after all, common sense tells us that the wealth necessary for this task existed and still exists in the local community, and the dictates of sound administration require that this responsibility be in the first instance a local one.

There are, however, an additional three and one-half million employable people who are on relief. With them the problem is different and the responsibility is different. This group was the victim of a Nation-wide depression caused by

conditions which were not local but national. The Federal Government is the only governmental agency with sufficient power and credit to meet this situation. We have assumed this task and we shall not shrink from it in the future. It is a duty dictated by every intelligent consideration of national policy to ask you to make it possible for the United States to give employment to all of these three and one-half million employable people now on relief, pending their absorption in a rising tide of private employment.

It is my thought that with the exception of certain of the normal public building operations of the Government, all emergency public works shall be united in a single new and greatly enlarged plan.

With the establishment of this new system we can supersede the Federal Emergency Relief Administration with a coordinated authority which will be charged with the orderly liquidation of our present relief activities and the substitution of a national chart for the giving of work.

This new program of emergency public employment should be governed by a number of practical principles.

(1) All work undertaken should be useful—not just for a day, or a year, but useful in the sense that it affords permanent improvement in living conditions or that it creates future new wealth for the Nation.

(2) Compensation on emergency public projects should be in the form of security payments which should be larger than the amount now received as a relief dole, but at the same time not so large as to encourage the rejection of opportunities for private employment or the leaving of private employment to engage in Government work.

(3) Projects should be undertaken on which a large percentage of direct labor can be used.

(4) Preference should be given to those projects which will be self-liquidating in the sense that there is a reasonable expectation that the Government will get its money back at some future time.

(5) The projects undertaken should be selected and planned so as to compete as little as possible with private enterprise. This suggests that if it were not for the necessity of giving useful work to the unemployed now on relief, these projects in most instances would not now be undertaken.

(6) The planning of projects would seek to assure work during the coming fiscal year to the individuals now on relief, or until such time as private employment is available. In order to make adjustment to increasing private employment, work should be planned with a view to tapering it off in proportion to the speed with which the emergency workers are offered positions with private employers.

(7) Effort should be made to locate projects where they will serve the greatest unemployment needs as shown by present relief rolls, and the broad program of the National Resources Board should be freely used for guidance in selection. Our ultimate objective being the enrichment of human lives, the Government has the primary duty to use its emergency expenditures as much as possible to serve those who cannot secure the advantages of private capital.

Ever since the adjournment of the Seventy-third Congress the administration has been studying from every angle the possibility and the practicability of new forms of employment. As a result of these studies I have arrived at certain very definite convictions as to the amount of money that will be necessary for the sort of public projects that I have described. I shall submit these figures in my Budget message. I assure you now they will be within the sound credit of the Government.

This work will cover a wide field including clearance of slums, which for adequate reasons cannot be undertaken by private capital; in rural housing of several kinds, where again private capital is unable to function; in rural electrification; in the reforestation of the great watersheds of the Nation; in an intensified program to prevent soil erosion and to reclaim blighted areas; in improving existing road systems and in constructing national highways designed to handle modern traffic; in the elimination of grade crossings; in the extension and enlargement of the successful work of the Civilian Conservation Corps; in non-Federal work, mostly self-liquidating and highly useful to local divisions of government; and on many others which the Nation needs and cannot afford to neglect.

This is the method which I propose to you in order that we may better meet this present-day problem of unemployment. Its greatest advantage is that it fits logically and usefully into the long-range permanent policy of providing the three types of security which constitute as a whole an American plan for the American people.

I shall consult with you from time to time concerning other measures of national importance. Among the subjects that lie immediately before us are the consolidation of Federal regulatory administration over all forms of transportation, the renewal and clarification of the general purposes of the National Industrial Recovery Act, the strengthening of our facilities for the prevention, detection, and treatment of crime and criminals, the restoration of sound conditions in the public utilities field through abolition of the evil features of holding companies, the gradual tapering off of the emergency credit activities of government, and improvement in our taxation forms and methods.

We have already begun to feel the bracing effect upon our economic system of a restored agriculture. The hundreds of millions of additional income that farmers are receiving is finding its way into the channels of trade. The farmers' share of the national income is slowly rising. The economic facts justify the widespread opinion of those engaged in agriculture that our provision for maintaining a balanced production gave at this time the most adequate remedy for an old and vexing problem. For the present, and especially in view of abnormal world conditions, agricultural adjustment with certain necessary improvements in methods should continue.

It seems appropriate to call attention at this time to the fine spirit shown during the past year by our public servants. I cannot praise too highly the cheerful work of the civil-service employees and of those temporarily working for the Government. As for those thousands in our various public agencies spread throughout the country, who, without compensation, agreed to take over heavy responsibilities in connection with our various loan agencies, and particularly in direct relief work, I cannot say too much. I do not think any country could show a higher average of cheerful and even enthusiastic teamwork than has been shown by these men and women.

I cannot with candor tell you that general international relationships outside our borders are improved. On the surface of things many old jealousies are resurrected, old passions aroused; new strivings for armament and power, in more than one land, rear their ugly heads. I hope that calm counsel and constructive leadership will provide the steadying influence and the time necessary for the coming of new and more practical forms of representative government throughout the world wherein privilege will occupy a lesser place and welfare a greater.

I believe, however, that our own peaceful and neighborly attitude toward other nations is coming to be understood and appreciated. The maintenance of international peace is a matter in which we are deeply and unselfishly concerned. Evidence of our persistent and undeniable desire to prevent armed conflict has recently been more than once afforded.

There is no ground for apprehension that our relations with any nation will be otherwise than peaceful. Nor is there ground for doubt that the people of most nations seek relief from the threat and burden attaching to the false theory that extravagant armament cannot be reduced and limited by international accord.

The ledger of the past year shows many more gains than losses. Let us not forget that, in addition to saving millions from utter destitution, child labor has been for the moment outlawed, thousands of homes saved to their owners, and, most important of all, the morale of the Nation has been restored. Viewing the year 1934 as a whole, you and I can agree that we have a generous measure of reasons for giving thanks.

It is not empty optimism that moves me to a strong hope in the coming year. We can, if we will, make 1935 a genuine period of good feeling, sustained by a sense of purposeful progress. Beyond the material recovery, I sense a spiritual recovery as well. The people of America are turning as never before to those permanent values that are not limited to the physical objectives of life. There are growing signs of this on every hand. In the face of these spiritual impulses we are sensible of the divine Providence to which nations turn now, as always, for guidance and fostering care.

Upon the conclusion of the address, the joint meeting was dissolved; and, at 1 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate returned to its Chamber.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, memorials, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Cumberland, Md., by an assembly of station and tower employees of railroads serving Cumberland and vicinity, remonstrating against consolidation of railroads; and

A resolution adopted at Oklahoma City, Okla., by the directors of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, urging prosecution of oil producers in excess of their respective allocations under Federal and State laws; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Resolutions adopted at Portland, Oreg., by the veterans of the Second Oregon Regiment, United States Volunteers of the War with Spain, praying the enactment of legislation to tax present tax-exempt bonds, and remonstrating against the cancelation of debts due from foreign governments;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana memorializing Congress to provide additional trained nurses for the United States Veterans' Hospital at Camp Stafford, near Alexandria, La.; and

Resolutions adopted at Oklahoma City, Okla., by the board of directors of the Independent Petroleum Association of America urging the enactment of legislation providing for the further regulation and control of the oil industry, the continuation of the present excise taxes on imported crude petroleum and its products, and the specific increasing of the excise tax on crude, fuel, and gas oil; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Uniontown, Pa., by delegates to the national convention of the Fraternal Order of Police, favoring the enactment of legislation making mandatory life sentences in the cases of criminals convicted of three or more felonies; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Greater Miami (Fla.) Apartment House Association, urging adequate national defense and a permanent air frontier defense base of adequate size at Chapman Field Army Air Corps Base near Miami, Fla.; and

A resolution adopted at Portland, Oreg., in annual reunion of veterans of the Second Oregon Volunteer Infantry of the War with Spain and Philippine Insurrection, favoring conscription of wealth, property, and labor in time of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Merchants Committee of San Francisco, Calif., urging the enactment of legislation to strengthen the immigration laws to prevent the spread of Communism and seditious propagada; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Galveston (Tex.) Chapter Reserve Officers' Association, favoring the retention of the present ratio in naval strength between the United States, Great Britain, and Japan, and the impregnable fortification of our Pacific possessions, particularly the Aleutian chain of islands; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A telegram from Hilda Phelps Hammond on behalf of the Women's Committee of Louisiana relative to a denial of the opportunity to be heard and submit evidence in support of their specific charges concerning Senator Long's alleged conspiracy which elected John H. Overton to the Senate; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted at a mass meeting of Filipinos at Aala Park, Honolulu, Hawaii, urging absolute and complete independence in 1935 of the Philippine Islands, and a reciprocity agreement to insure the economic structure of the islands; and

A resolution adopted by the Alaska Territorial Chamber of Commerce, of Juneau, Alaska, urging national defense and air-mail service for Alaska; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the executive board of the Morro Castle Association urging an investigation of marine transportation and the Steamboat Inspection Service of the United States Government; and

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Youngstown, Ohio, favoring allocation of funds for the improvement of Beaver and Mahoning Rivers in the State of Ohio; to the Committee on Commerce.

A petition of August M. Berglund, of Lynwood, Calif., praying the religious education of public school children; and

Resolutions adopted by various branches of the National Slovak Society of the United States of America, urging unemployment insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona, praying the enactment of legislation extending the operations of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation and providing funds for loans to citizens whose homes are imperiled;

A resolution adopted by the Vermont State Democratic Convention, urging the administration of relief work in Vermont free from political considerations;

A resolution adopted at Portland, Oreg., at the reunion of the Second Oregon Volunteers of the War with Spain and Philippine Insurrection, urging the permanent continuation of the guarantee of bank deposits;

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Cleveland, Ohio, urging the continuance of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation;

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Asheville, N. C., praying an investigation of the activities of the bondholders' and note holders' committees of the city of Asheville; and

A resolution adopted at New Orleans, La., by the American Hotel Association, urging an amendment of the National Housing Act to increase the amount of principal obligation under which a mortgage may be insured; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona, favoring negotiations with Mexico looking to the consent of that Government for the construction of a deep-water channel from the head of the Gulf of California to Yuma, Ariz.;

A memorial of Stanley Werner-Kuczysnki, of New York City, remonstrating against the recognition of Russia by the United States Government; and

A resolution adopted by the Unity Democratic League, of Brooklyn, N. Y., favoring an expression by this Government repudiating the conduct of Mexican officials toward freedom of worship, speech, assembly, education, and the press; to the Comimttee on Foreign Relations.

A petition of citizens of Williams Bay, Wis., praying the retention as postmaster of Oscar M. Waterbury at that village; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Petitions of Mary F. Farnham, of Portland, Oreg., of citizens of Detroit, Mich., and a resolution adopted by members of Palestine Lodge No. 542 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of Detroit, Mich., urging the continuance of the investigation of munitions manufacturers; to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolution and communications:

A resolution adopted by the Daytona Beach (Fla.) Chamber of Commerce, expressing faith in the President and the administration; and

Three communications from the Secretary of War, transmitting copies of resolutions of condolence on the death of Hon. Henry T. Rainey, Speaker of the House of Representa-

tives, by the Constitutional Convention of the Philippine Islands, the Tenth Philippine Legislature, and the Provincial Board of Ilocos Norte, P. I.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

DIETETIC IMPORTANCE OF FLORIDA FRUITS

Mr. Fletcher presented an article by Dr. John Harvey Kellogg, from the Herald, Miami, Fla., on the dietetic importance of Florida fruits; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 1) to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a procedure for cost accounting and cost reporting for Federal agencies; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates and for controlled expansion of the currency; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Copeland, Mr. Vandenberg, and Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 3) to regulate commerce in firearms; and

A bill (S. 4) to prevent the promotion of frauds through interstate communication; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 6) to prohibit the transportation in interstate or foreign commerce and carriage through the mails of certain gambling devices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 7) to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 8) to permit the appointment of special agents of the Division of Investigation as State officers;

A bill (S. 9) to amend the act entitled "To extend the provisions of the national Motor Vehicle Theft Act to other stolen property", approved May 22, 1934 (U. S. C., title 18, secs. 413–419);

A bill (S. 10) to amend the penal laws of the United States; and

A bill (S. 11) to repeal section 389 of the United States Code, being section 239 of the United States Criminal Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland, Mr. Vandenberg, and Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 12) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 13) to abolish the right of appeal in certain habeas corpus proceedings;

A bill (S. 14) authorizing the introduction in evidence in criminal cases of testimony taken at a preliminary hearing, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 15) to amend the act entitled "An act making it unlawful for any person to flee from one State to another for the purpose of avoiding prosecution or the giving of testimony in certain cases", approved May 18, 1934;

A bill (S. 16) to establish a confidential relationship between guidance workers and pupils;

A bill (S. 17) making it a felony to willfully fail to appear after having been admitted to bail;

A bill (S. 18) to amend section 1015 of the Revised Statutes;

A bill (S. 19) to amend section 1016 of the Revised Statutes;

A bill (S. 20) to amend an act entitled "An act to make persons charged with crimes and offenses competent witnesses in United States and Territorial courts", approved March 16, 1878; and

A bill (S. 21) to regulate the defense of alibi in criminal cases; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 22) to provide for the deportation of aliens convicted of certain crimes; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 23) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Costigan (for himself and Mr. Wagner):

A bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 25) to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 26) to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Brown:

A bill (S. 27) to limit the car length of trains which may be operated upon railroads by common carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 28) for the relief of R. B. Miller; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 29) granting a pension to Jane Bollinger; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 30) to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the United States Shipping Board to sell certain property of the United States situated in the city of Hoboken, N. J.", approved April 19, 1930; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 31) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 32) to establish a national military park to commemorate the campaign and battles of Saratoga, in the State of New York; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 33) to encourage travel to and within the United States by citizens of foreign countries, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 34) to amend section 2 of the act of February 13, 1893; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 35) for the relief of the Sachs Mercantile Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 36) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and materialmen for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office building at Hempstead, N. Y.;

A bill (S. 37) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and materialmen for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post office and courthouse building at Rutland, Vt.;

A bill (S. 38) for the relief of Winifred Meagher;

A bill (S. 39) for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

A bill (S. 40) for the relief of the Telescope Folding Furniture Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 41) for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 42) for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon; and

A bill (S. 43) for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 44) granting a pension to Elia Rodde;

A bill (S. 45) granting a pension to George S. Ward;

A bill (S. 46) granting an increase of pension to Helen K. Snowden;

A bill (S. 47) granting a pension to Joseph F. Sourek; and

A bill (S. 48) granting a pension to Carl M. Toepper; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 49) for the relief of Harriet DeLarm;

A bill (S. 50) for the relief of William D. Grush; and

A bill (S. 51) for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 52) for the relief of Albrecht Nest, apothecary of the Navy; and

A bill (S. 53) for the relief of Victor Oscar Gokey; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 54) to amend section 25 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended; and

A bill (S. 55) authorizing loans by Federal land banks to incorporated associations and corporations in certain cases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 56) for the relief of Patrick J. Mulcahey (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 57) authorizing an increase in the amount of bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 58) for the relief of James Gillespie; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 59) to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad engaged in interstate and foreign commerce to man locomotives, trains, and other self-propelled engines or machines with competent employees, to provide the least number of men that may be employed on locomotives, trains, and other self-propelled engines or machines, to provide qualifications for certain employees, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 60) requiring national banks to obtain indemnity bonds from State-qualified bonding companies; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 61) for the relief of John B. Canter; and

A bill (S. 62) for the relief of James Evans Monroe; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 63) granting a pension to Fred Hodgkiss;

A bill (S. 64) granting a pension to Anna Marie Flautt;

A bill (S. 65) granting an increase of pension to Blanche Welker;

A bill (S. 66) granting a pension to Joseph Wilfong;

A bill (S. 67) granting an increase of pension to Jess Musgrave;

A bill (S. 68) granting a pension to William Nire Metz; and

A bill (S. 69) granting a pension to Sarah A. Martin; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 70) for the relief of agriculture, the producers of livestock, and the producers of raw materials generally, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 71) granting a pension to Columbus R. Fulks;

A bill (S. 72) granting an increase of pension to Anthony R. Backus;

A bill (S. 73) granting a pension to Ella A. Barker;

A bill (S. 74) granting a pension to Earl E. Bayles;

A bill (S. 75) granting a pension to James C. Blackwell; and

A bill (S. 76) granting a pension to Clarence R. Boyles; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 77) to protect labor in its old age; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 78) relating to the qualifications of directors and other officials of the Federal land banks and other agricultural credit agencies; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 79) for the reinstatement of Harding Palmer in the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 80) authorizing an appropriation for the eradication and control of the screw worm; and

A bill (S. 81) to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of peanuts by the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 82) to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the emergency conservation work; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 83) to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 84) to amend section 61 of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, relating to depositories for money of bankrupt estates; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 85) for the relief of Homer H. Adams; and

A bill (S. 86) for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 87) to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 88) to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 89) to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 90) to provide for increasing the capital and bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation for the purpose of making cash advances to home owners, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 91) authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to municipalities and political subdivisions of States to aid in refinancing their outstanding indebtedness; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 92) to prohibit the making of photographs, sketches, or maps of vital military and naval defensive installations and equipment, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 93) to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

A bill (S. 94) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with certain public works at the naval air station, Pensacola, Fla.; and

A bill (S. 95) to provide for the carrying at reduced rates of officers and enlisted men of the military and naval forces while on leave of absence or furlough at their own expense; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 96) to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting until January 30, 1936, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 97) to provide for a customs examination building at Tampa, Fla.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 98) to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the upper Mississippi River, to provide for reforestation and the use of marginal lands in and for the agricultural and industrial development of the upper Mississippi River Basin, to provide for the restoration and preservation of the water level and for the development of electrical power in the upper Mississippi River Basin, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 99) for the relief of William Schick; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 100) granting a pension to Belle McGary (with accompanying papers);
A bill (S. 101) granting a pension to Lucy W. Farwell (with accompanying papers);
A bill (S. 102) granting a pension to Lottie Flint (with accompanying papers);
A bill (S. 103) granting a pension to Sarah Hagar Lewis;
A bill (S. 104) granting a pension to Mary A. Beck;
A bill (S. 105) granting a pension to Mary E. Bordwell;
A bill (S. 106) granting an increase of pension to Lena Bradshaw;
A bill (S. 107) granting a pension to Earl Cline;
A bill (S. 108) granting an increase of pension to Mattie F. Colebaugh;
A bill (S. 109) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth B. Craig;
A bill (S. 110) granting an increase of pension to John C. Denbo;
A bill (S. 111) granting a pension to Hulda Dodds;
A bill (S. 112) granting a pension to Eliza Ellis;
A bill (S. 113) granting a pension to William Edward Fugatt;
A bill (S. 114) granting a pension to George G. Gribben;
A bill (S. 115) granting a pension to Everett Goodwin;
A bill (S. 116) granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Henderson;
A bill (S. 117) granting a pension to Allison J. Little;
A bill (S. 118) granting an increase of pension to Minnie Mahler;
A bill (S. 119) granting an increase of pension to Mary A. McNeil;
A bill (S. 120) granting an increase of pension to Jane A. McNelly;
A bill (S. 121) granting an increase of pension to Martha J. Morgan;
A bill (S. 122) granting an increase of pension to Hannah Morrison;
A bill (S. 123) granting an increase of pension to Mary L. Parker;
A bill (S. 124) granting an increase of pension to Mary A. Phillippi;
A bill (S. 125) granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Pitts;
A bill (S. 126) granting a pension to Charles O. Puckett;
A bill (S. 127) granting a pension to Nancy Jane Ruffin;
A bill (S. 128) granting a pension to Hannah A. Smith.
A bill (S. 129) granting an increase of pension to Alice M. Strine;
A bill (S. 130) granting an increase of pension to Ellen M. Thomas;
A bill (S. 131) granting an increase of pension to Nancy J. Walker;
A bill (S. 132) granting a pension to Frank L. Wilkinson;
A bill (S. 133) granting an increase of pension to Terressa Willoughby;
A bill (S. 134) granting an increase of pension to Drusilla Wright;
A bill (S. 135) granting a pension to Alma Blanche Shipman;
A bill (S. 136) granting a pension to Clarence Edward Shipman;
A bill (S. 137) granting a pension to Lydia C. Wark;
A bill (S. 138) granting an increase of pension to Mary E. Cramer;
A bill (S. 139) granting an increase of pension to Eliza A. Perry;
A bill (S. 140) granting a pension to Claude A. Pomeroy; and
A bill (S. 141) granting a pension to Minnie O. Draper; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 142) to permit radium to be accepted in payment of war debts due from Belgium, and to provide for the distribution of such radium; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 143) for the relief of Joseph H. Sheridan; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 144) for the relief of Austin L. Tierney; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
A bill (S. 145) granting a pension to Ida D. Fletcher; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 146) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act to prohibit carriers from collecting a surcharge for the transportation of any person in parlor or sleeping cars; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 147) to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 148) for the relief of the estate of Mrs. Donnie Wright; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 149) for the relief of Charles B. Arrington; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 150) for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne;
A bill (S. 151) for the relief of Frederick Conger Johnson;
A bill (S. 152) granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased;
A bill (S. 153) granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr.;
A bill (S. 154) granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop;
A bill (S. 155) for the relief of John Henry Tackett; and
A bill (S. 156) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 157) for the relief of Albert Anderson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.
A bill (S. 158) authorizing the President to present a medal in the name of Congress to John F. Jensen; and
A bill (S. 159) to amend the provision in the act approved March 3, 1931, governing the computation of commissioned service of Naval Academy graduates who have been retired for age or service ineligibility for promotion; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
A bill (S. 160) granting a pension to Mary Merrill Scott; and
A bill (S. 161) granting a pension to Ada B. Nafew; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 162) to provide for the method of measurement of vessels using the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 163) for the relief of John C. Harker;
A bill (S. 164) for the relief of Donald L. Bruner;
A bill (S. 165) for the relief of Robert McFarland;
A bill (S. 166) for the relief of Jack Doyle; and
A bill (S. 167) to amend the retirement laws affecting certain grades of Army officers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.
A bill (S. 168) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to James R. Kelly;
A bill (S. 169) for the relief of John F. Korbel;
A bill (S. 170) for the relief of Alva A. Murphy; and
A bill (S. 171) for the relief of Aileen Random Weber; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 172) granting a pension to Helen R. Benson;
A bill (S. 173) granting an increase of pension to Lydia J. Barton;
A bill (S. 174) granting a pension to Celia K. Crow;
A bill (S. 175) granting a pension to Charles T. Griggs;
A bill (S. 176) granting a pension to Margaret Ledgerwood;
A bill (S. 177) granting a pension to Anna Ross;

A bill (S. 178) granting a pension to Anna M. Shumaker;
A bill (S. 179) granting a pension to Elizabeth Spafford;
A bill (S. 180) granting a pension to Emily D. Spencer;
A bill (S. 181) granting a pension to Jemima E. Trowbridge;
A bill (S. 182) granting a pension to Mary S. Tuffree;
A bill (S. 183) granting a pension to Bridget Wagner;
A bill (S. 184) granting a pension to Pearl F. Warren;
A bill (S. 185) granting an increase of pension to Lizzie Wilford;
A bill (S. 186) granting a pension to Mary Jane Willey;
A bill (S. 187) granting a pension to Belle Harmon; and
A bill (S. 188) granting a pension to Elnora Shirk; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Keyes:

A bill (S. 189) for the relief of William Craig, chief pay clerk, retired; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
A bill (S. 190) to provide for the extension and completion of the United States Capitol; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 191) granting a pension to Louis Zeller;
A bill (S. 192) granting an increase of pension to George F. Smith; and
A bill (S. 193) granting a pension to Frank C. Comstock; to the Committee on Pensions.
A bill (S. 194) for the relief of Patrick Francis Shea;
A bill (S. 195) for the relief of John H. Hannigan;
A bill (S. 196) for the relief of James S. Cuff; and
A bill (S. 197) for the relief of Cedric W. Root; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
A bill (S. 198) providing for the ratification of constitutional amendments by popular elections; and
A bill (S. 199) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxation of income derived from securities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.
A bill (S. 200) to permit the importation of goods made by indentured labor only to the extent necessary to supply American demands which cannot be met by American production, and for other purposes; and
A bill (S. 201) making income from United States securities subject to the income-tax laws of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.
A bill (S. 202) authorizing improvement of the Connecticut River between Saybrook and Hartford, Conn., for navigation purposes;
A bill (S. 203) to provide for a preliminary examination of the Connecticut River, with a view to the control of its floods and prevention of erosion of its banks in the State of Connecticut, and for other purposes; and
A bill (S. 204) to provide for the construction of four vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice breaking and assistance work; to the Committee on Commerce.
A bill (S. 205) for the relief of Helen M. Crowley;
A bill (S. 206) for the relief of Francis M. Johnston;
A bill (S. 207) for the relief of Joseph H. Sheridan;
A bill (S. 208) for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;
A bill (S. 209) for the relief of Carmine Sforza; and
A bill (S. 210) for the relief of Ella B. Kimball, daughter and only heir of Jeremiah Simonson; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 211) for the relief of John J. Moran; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 212) to liquidate and refinance agricultural indebtedness at a reduced rate of interest by establishing an efficient credit system, through the use of the Farm Credit Administration, the Federal Reserve banking system, and creating a Board of Agriculture to supervise the same; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 213) to amend section 113 of the Criminal Code of March 4, 1909 (35 Stat. 1109; title 18, sec. 203, U. S. Code), and for other purposes;
A bill (S. 214) to create the Federal Unemployment Insurance Corporation, prescribe its powers and duties, to establish a system of unemployment insurance, and for other purposes; and
A bill (S. 215) to establish uniform requirements affecting Government contracts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.
A bill (S. 216) granting a pension to John S. Marcum;
A bill (S. 217) granting a pension to Alzurah Long;
A bill (S. 218) granting a pension to Green Isaacs;
A bill (S. 219) granting a pension to Winnie Hood;
A bill (S. 220) granting a pension to Maude Kinser Alexander;
A bill (S. 221) granting an increase of pension to Charles Steffey;
A bill (S. 222) granting an increase of pension to Mary E. Fowler;
A bill (S. 223) granting an increase of pension to William G. Patton;
A bill (S. 224) granting a pension to John M. Roundtree;
A bill (S. 225) granting a pension to Price V. Hendricks;
A bill (S. 226) granting a pension to Mary Burton;
A bill (S. 227) granting a pension to Roscoe Johnson;
A bill (S. 228) granting a pension to Squire O. Baker; and
A bill (S. 229) granting a pension to William Russell; to the Committee on Pensions.
A bill (S. 230) to amend the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 by including the Cumberland River and its basin within the provisions of the act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.
A bill (S. 231) authorizing national banks to establish branch banks and to secure deposits; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.
A bill (S. 232) to amend the act of May 1924 relating to interest on loans made to veterans on adjusted-service certificates and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.
A bill (S. 233) for the relief of Polin A. McIntire;
A bill (S. 234) for the relief of James E. King;
A bill (S. 235) for the relief of J. U. Schickli & Bros.;
A bill (S. 236) for the relief of the heirs of Burton Stearns Adams, deceased;
A bill (S. 237) for the relief of the heirs of G. W. Roberts;
A bill (S. 238) for the relief of B. H. Hall;
A bill (S. 239) for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.;
A bill (S. 240) for the relief of Robert Rodes; and
A bill (S. 241) for the relief of James Lowe; to the Committee on Claims.
A bill (S. 242) for the relief of Charles B. Arrington;
A bill (S. 243) for the relief of Curtis Jett;
A bill (S. 244) for the relief of Thomas Salleng;
A bill (S. 245) for the relief of Charles Wilson;
A bill (S. 246) for the relief of Elmer Blair; and
A bill (S. 247) for the relief of Homer H. Keffer; to the Committee on Military Affairs.
A bill (S. 248) for the relief of Luther Foster; and
A bill (S. 249) for the relief of James Earl Johnston; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Townsend:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 1) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Costigan:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 2) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to permit the taxation of tax-exempt securities; and
A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 3) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States empowering Congress to regulate hours and conditions of labor and to establish minimum wages in any employment, and to regulate production, industry, business, trade, and commerce to prevent unfair methods and practices therein; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Neely:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 4) providing for the investigation, survey, and report of a continuous water line from the James River in Virginia to the New and Kanawha Rivers in West Virginia; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 5) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on certain incomes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Frazier:

A resolution (S. J. Res. 6) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting war; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Logan:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 7) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving the people of the United States the power to veto a declaration of war by Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 8) appointing a commission to be known as the "Commission on the International Exposition of 1937 in Paris"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

ACTIVITIES OF FREIGHT ASSOCIATIONS

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 1), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Federal Trade Commission be, and the same is hereby, directed to make an investigation and study of the activities of the freight associations of the United States and of the action of the railroads in jointly prescribing rates through such associations, and report the results thereof to the Congress as soon as practicable showing specifically the action of said associations, especially in making rates between different freight territories and reporting whether or not such activities violate the antitrust laws as applied to the act to regulate commerce in the Central Yellow Pine and Tift Lumber cases (10 I. C. C. 505, 548; 138 Fed. 753; 206 U. S. 441).

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 4), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Privileges and Elections, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and hereby is, authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

RAILROAD FREIGHT RATES

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 5), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Whereas it is alleged that the present rate system adopted by the rail carriers of the United States has resulted in higher rates per mile in some sections of the United States than others, notwithstanding efforts of Congress to make rail carriers a national system: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to examine into the present railroad freight rates with a view to determining (1) the relative investment costs and the value fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the properties of class I railroads in the United States, separating such values so as to show the same in the various freight territories of the country; (2) the cost of hauling freight, or the cost per car-mile of the movement of freight, as determined by the Federal Coordinator of Transportation or from other sources, in each of the several freight territories; (3) the effect of making rates throughout the country and regulating, if necessary, the needs of the different carriers as was done in the New England Divisions case (261 U. S. 184); and (4) the methods pursued by freight associations and railroads in jointly prescribing rates. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

RELATIONSHIP OF RAILROAD FREIGHT RATES

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 6), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Resolved, That the Interstate Commerce Commission be, and the same is hereby, requested to make an investigation and study of the relationship of rates in different parts of the United States and report the result thereof to the Congress of the United States as soon as practicable, showing:

First. The relative book value and value fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the properties of class I railroads in the United States, separating such values so as to show the same in the three large freight territories of the country.

Second. The cost of hauling freight, so far as the records disclose, in each of the said several territories.

S. S. MORRO CASTLE DISASTER

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 7), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

Whereas on September 8, 1934, the steamship *Morro Castle*, within 6 hours of its scheduled arrival in the port of New York, was swept by fire at sea, with the loss of many lives; and

Whereas various investigations already held in connection with the *Morro Castle* disaster, when combined with the records of other recent maritime tragedies, create a prima facie case that remediable conditions exist which do not tend to produce the utmost practicable degree of safety from the perils encountered upon the sea; and

Whereas it is imperative that life and property be accorded the utmost attainable degree of safety from such perils: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce is authorized and directed (1) to collect, collate, coordinate, and make available to the Senate the results of (a) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* disaster conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Steamboat Inspection Service of the Department of Commerce, (b) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* disaster, and the actions taken in connection with or subsequent to such inquiry, by the United States attorney for the southern district of New York, and (c) such other inquiries into the *Morro Castle* disaster and other maritime tragedies as would, in the discretion of the committee, be helpful for the purposes of this resolution; (2) to make such further investigations of the *Morro Castle* disaster, including the rescue operations carried on in connection therewith, as the committee shall deem advisable and necessary for the purposes of this resolution; (3) to investigate the adequacy and enforcement of the present legal standards of safety of ship construction and operation; (4) to investigate the prevalent methods and practices in the complementing of seagoing vessels, including all conditions of employment; (5) to investigate the adequacy and efficiency of the Steamboat Inspection Service; (6) to investigate whether the laws governing liability for loss of life and property at sea, the laws and usages of salvage, and the laws, usages, and practices of the business of marine insurance tend to encourage the installation and utilization of such devices and the promotion of such practices as are conducive to safety and to a paramount concern at all times for the preservation of life; and (7) to make a preliminary report of the results of its investigations as soon as practicable, to make further reports from time to time but at least once during each regular session of the Senate until it has completed its investigations, and to submit a final report to the Senate together with its recommendations for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution the Committee on Commerce or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof is authorized to hold such hearings; to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses until the final report is submitted; to employ such counsel, experts, and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants; to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents; to administer such oaths; and to take such testimony and make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic service to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee incurred in the exercise of its privileges and duties under this resolution, which shall not exceed $50,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

INVESTIGATION OF MUNITIONS INDUSTRY

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 8):

Resolved, That the special committee appointed by the Vice President, under authority of Senate Resolution 206, agreed to on April 12, 1934, to investigate the munitions industry, hereby is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate $100,000 in addition to the amount heretofore authorized to be expended for the purposes set forth in said resolution.

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON MINES AND MINING

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 9), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Mines and Mining, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers; to administer oaths; and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words; to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

DEATH OF SPEAKER RAINEY, OF ILLINOIS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing the death of Hon. Henry T. Rainey, late Speaker of the House of Representatives, from the State of Illinois, which was read.

Mr. Lewis thereupon submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 10), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Henry T. Rainey, late Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Seventy-third Congress.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

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DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE-ELECT LANDIS, OF INDIANA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing the death of Hon. Frederick Landis, late a Representative-elect from the State of Indiana, which was read.

Mr. Van Nuys thereupon submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 11), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Frederick Landis, late a Representative-elect from the State of Indiana.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Van Nuys, as a further mark of respect to the memories of the deceased Representatives,

The Senate took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

ATTENDANCE OF SENATORS

Mr. Huey P. Long, from the State of Louisiana; Mr. Patrick A. McCarran, from the State of Nevada; and Mr. Louis Murphy, from the State of Iowa, attended.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, January 4, 1935, was approved.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM NEW MEXICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of Carl A. Hatch, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of New Mexico on November 6, 1934, to fill the vacancy in the term ending January 2, 1937, caused by the resignation of Hon. Sam G. Bratton; which were read and ordered to be placed on file.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury on the state of the finances for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

USELESS PAPERS IN THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, schedules and lists of papers, documents, etc., in the files of the Treasury Department which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Department and have no permanent value or historical interest, which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison and Mr. Couzens as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Department of Justice for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SUITS ARISING UNDER PUBLIC VESSEL ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of suits arising under the public vessel act of March 3, 1925, in which final decrees were entered, exclusive of cases on appeal, which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SUITS IN ADMIRALTY AGAINST THE UNITED STATES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of suits arising under the act of March 9, 1920, authorizing suits against the United States in admiralty involving merchant vessels, in which final decrees were entered against the United States, exclusive of cases on appeal, which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SPECIAL ASSISTANT ATTORNEYS, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the special assistants employed under the appropriation "Pay of special assistant attorneys", contained in the Department of Justice Appropriation Act, 1935, together with the rates of compensation, the amounts paid, and a description of their duties; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Commission for the year ended October 31, 1934, except as otherwise noted; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

FINAL VALUATIONS OF CERTAIN RAILROAD PROPERTIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, final valuations of properties of the Illinois Central Railroad Co. and 34 other railway companies; which, with the accompanying documents, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORT OF AMERICAN INSTRUCTORS OF THE DEAF

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the president of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the proceedings of the twenty-eighth meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, held at West Trenton, N. J., June 18 to 23, 1933, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Printing.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ADMINISTRATOR OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities of the Veterans' Administration for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ANNUAL REPORT OF BOARD OF MEDIATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the National Mediation Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the eighth annual report of the Board of Mediation for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

CLAIMS OF SANFORD A. M'ALISTER AND ELIZA L. M'ALISTER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister against the United States, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

CLAIM OF ELDA GEER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claim of Elda Geer against the United States, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

CLAIM OF WEST INDIA OIL CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claim of West India Oil Co., which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

FILLING OF VACANT GOVERNMENT POSITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a statement of the reports submitted by the executive departments and independent establishments, and the municipal government of the District of Columbia, showing the number of vacant positions therein, the number filled, and the amounts unexpended for the period between July 1, 1934, and October 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

DISTRIBUTION OF WHEAT AND COTTON BY AMERICAN RED CROSS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chairman of the American Red Cross, transmitting an official report of the American Red Cross covering the distribution of 85,000,000 bushels of wheat and 844,063 bales of cotton appropriated by Congress for distribution to the needy throughout the United States.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying report, lie on the table.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate proceed to the election of a President pro tempore,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The motion of Mr. Robinson was agreed to.

Mr. Robinson thereupon submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 12):

Resolved, That Hon. Key Pittman, a Senator from the State of Nevada, be, and he hereby is, elected President of the Senate pro tempore, to hold office during the pleasure of the Senate, in accordance with the resolution of the Senate adopted on the 12th day of March 1890 on the subject.

On motion by Mr. McNary to strike out the words "Key Pittman, a Senator from the State of Nevada," and insert the words *Arthur H. Vandenberg, a Senator from the State of Michigan*,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 15 / Nays 63

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Capper, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, McNary, Metcalf, Norris, Schall, Steiwer, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. McNary's amendment was not agreed to.

The resolution was then agreed to.

Mr. Pittman appeared, and the oath prescribed by law was administered to him by the Vice President.

NOTIFICATION TO PRESIDENT OF ELECTION OF PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Mr. Robinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 14), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be notified of the election of Hon. Key Pittman, a Senator from the State of Nevada, as President of the Senate pro tempore.

NOTIFICATION TO HOUSE OF ELECTION OF PRESDENT PRO TEMPORE

Mr. Robinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 14), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the House of Representatives be notified of the election of Hon. Key Pittman, a Senator from the State of Nevada, as President of the Senate pro tempore.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE

Mr. Robinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 15), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That paragraph 1 of rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate be, and it is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

"1. The following standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of each Congress, with leave to report by bill or otherwise:

"Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to consist of nineteen Senators.

"Committee on Appropriations, to consist of twenty-four Senators.

"Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to consist of four Senators, to which shall be referred all resolutions directing the payment of money out of the contingent fund of the Senate or creating a charge upon the same: *Provided*, That any such resolution relating to substantive matter within the jurisdiction of any other standing committee of the Senate shall be first referred to such committee.

"Committee on Banking and Currency, to consist of twenty Senators.

"Committee on Civil Service, to consist of ten Senators.

"Committee on Claims, to consist of thirteen Senators.

"Committee on Commerce, to consist of twenty Senators.

"Committee on the District of Columbia, to consist of fifteen Senators.

"Committee on Education and Labor, to consist of thirteen Senators.

"Committee on Enrolled Bills, to consist of three Senators, who shall examine all bills, amendments, and joint resolutions before they go out of the possession of the Senate, and which shall have power to act jointly with the same committee of the House of Representatives, and which, or some one of which, shall examine all bills or joint resolutions which shall have passed both Houses, to see that the same are correctly enrolled, and, when signed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate, shall forthwith present the same, when they shall have originated in the Senate, to the President of the United States in person, and report the fact and date of such presentation to the Senate.

"Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, to consist of seven Senators.

"Committee on Finance, to consist of twenty-one Senators.

"Committee on Foreign Relations, to consist of twenty-three Senators.

"Committee on Immigration, to consist of fourteen Senators.

"Committee on Indian Affairs, to consist of fourteen Senators.

"Committee on Interoceanic Canals, to consist of eight Senators.

"Committee on Interstate Commerce, to consist of twenty Senators.

"Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to consist of seventeen Senators.

"Committee on the Judiciary, to consist of eighteen Senators.

"Committee on the Library, to consist of ten Senators, which shall have power to act jointly with the same committee of the House of Representatives.

"Committee on Manufactures, to consist of thirteen Senators.

"Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of seventeen Senators.

"Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of thirteen Senators.

"Committee on Naval Affairs, to consist of seventeen Senators.

"Committee on Patents, to consist of seven Senators.

"Committee on Pensions, to consist of ten Senators.

"Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to consist of nineteen Senators.

"Committee on Printing, to consist of seven Senators, which shall have power to act jointly with the same committee of the House of Representatives.

"Committee on Privileges and Elections, to consist of seventeen Senators.

"Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to consist of fourteen Senators, which shall have power to act jointly with the same committee of the House of Representatives.

"Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to consist of fifteen Senators.

"Committee on Rules, to consist of thirteen Senators.

"Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to consist of seventeen Senators."

MEMBERSHIP OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Mr. Robinson submitted an order designating the majority members of the standing committees of the Senate.

Mr. McNary submitted an order designating the minority members, including Mr. Shipstead and Mr. La Follette, of the said committees.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said orders, and the same were agreed to by unanimous consent, as follows:

Ordered, That the following shall constitute the standing committees of the Senate of the Seventy-fourth Congress:

On Agriculture and Forestry: Messrs. Smith (chairman), Wheeler, Thomas of Oklahoma, McGill, Bankhead, Bulow, Mrs. Caraway, Messrs. Murphy, Pope, Hatch, Bilbo, Moore, Schwellenbach, Norris, McNary, Capper, Norbeck, Frazier, and Shipstead.

On Appropriations: Messrs. Glass (chairman), McKellar, Copeland, Hayden, Thomas of Oklahoma, Byrnes, Tydings, Russell, Coolidge, Adams, McCarran, Overton, Bankhead, O'Mahoney, McAdoo, Truman, Hale, Keyes, Nye, Steiwer, Norbeck, Dickinson, Townsend, and Carey.

To Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate: Messrs. Byrnes (chairman), Tydings, Bachman, and Townsend.

On Banking and Currency: Messrs. Fletcher (chairman), Glass, Wagner, Barkley, Bulkley, Gore, Costigan, Reynolds, Byrnes, Bankhead, McAdoo, Adams, Maloney, Radcliffe, Norbeck, Townsend, Carey, Couzens, Steiwer, and Cutting.

On Civil Service: Messrs. Bulow (chairman), McKellar, George, Logan, Neely, Dieterich, Byrd, White, Gibson, and Frazier.

On Claims: Messrs. Bailey (chairman), Trammell, Black, Coolidge, Logan, Burke, Schwellenbach, ———, Capper, Townsend, White, Gibson, and ———.

On Commerce: Messrs. Copeland (chairman), Fletcher, Sheppard, Bailey, Mrs. Caraway, Messrs. Clark, Murphy, Overton, Bachman, Bilbo, Donahey, Guffey, Maloney, Radcliffe, McNary, Johnson, Nye, Vandenberg, White, and Gibson.

On the District of Columbia: Messrs. King (chairman), Glass, Copeland, Tydings, Gore, Lewis, Bankhead, McCarran, Reynolds, Bilbo, Capper, Carey, Austin, Couzens, and ———.

On Education and Labor: Messrs. Walsh (chairman), Copeland, Trammell, Black, Murphy, Thomas of Utah, Murray, Donahey, ———, Borah, Metcalf, La Follette, Jr., and Davis.

On Enrolled Bills: Mrs. Caraway (chairman), Messrs. Lonergan and Vandenberg.

On Expenditures in the Executive Departments: Messrs. Lewis (chairman), Wagner, Van Nuys, ———, ———, Hastings, and Davis.

On Finance: Messrs. Harrison (chairman), King, George, Walsh, Barkley, Connally, Gore, Costigan, Bailey, Clark, Byrd, Lonergan, Black, Gerry, Guffey, Couzens, Keyes, La Follette, Jr., Metcalf, Hastings, and Capper.

On Foreign Relations: Messrs. Pittman (chairman), Robinson, Harrison, George, Black, Wagner, Connally, Lewis, Bachman, Thomas of Utah, Van Nuys, Duffy, Pope, Bulkley, Murray, ———, Borah, Johnson, Capper, La Follette, Jr., Vandenberg, Cutting, and Shipstead.

On Immigration: Messrs. Coolidge (chairman), King, Copeland, McGill, Russell, Maloney, Moore, Schwellenbach, ———, ———, Johnson, Keyes, Austin, and Shipstead.

On Indian Affairs: Messrs. Thomas of Oklahoma (chairman), Wheeler, Ashurst, Bulow, Coolidge, Hatch, O'Mahoney, Donahey, ———, Frazier, Schall, La Follette, Jr., Steiwer, and Norbeck.

On Interoceanic Canals: Messrs. Gore (chairman), Trammell, Clark, Long, Duffy, ———, Schall, and Barbour.

On Interstate Commerce: Messrs. Wheeler (chairman), Smith, Wagner, Barkley, Neely, Dieterich, Lonergan, Long, Brown, Bone, Donahey, Minton, Moore, Truman, Couzens, Metcalf, Hastings, White, Davis, and Shipstead.

On Irrigation and Reclamation: Messrs. Adams (chairman), Sheppard, Pittman, Ashurst, Bankhead, Pope, McCarran, Overton, Hatch, O'Mahoney, Burke, ———, McNary, Johnson, Townsend, Carey, and Cutting.

On the Judiciary: Messrs. Ashurst (chairman), King, Neely, Long, Van Nuys, McCarran, Logan, Dieterich, McGill, Hatch, Burke, ———, ———, Borah, Norris, Hastings, Schall, and Austin.

On the Library: Messrs. Barkley (chairman), McKellar, Thomas of Oklahoma, Mrs. Caraway, Bilbo, Moore, Radcliffe, Norbeck, Barbour, and Gibson.

On Manufactures: Messrs. Bulkley (chairman), Smith, Sheppard, Costigan, Russell, Brown, Overton, Gerry, Guffey, Metcalf, La Follette, Jr., Cutting, and Barbour.

On Military Affairs: Messrs. Sheppard (chairman), Fletcher, Black, Lewis, Coolidge, Logan, Reynolds, Bachman, Duffy, Thomas of Utah, Minton, Schwellenbach, Cutting, Carey, Dickinson, Austin, and Barbour.

On Mines and Mining: Messrs. Logan (chairman), Pittman, Hayden, Fletcher, Bulow, Pope, Thomas of Utah, Guffey, ———, ———, Frazier, Davis, and McNary.

On Naval Affairs: Messrs. Trammell (chairman), Walsh, Tydings, Smith, McGill, Russell, Bone, Byrd, Dieterich, Brown, Gerry, ———, Hale, Metcalf, Davis, Keyes, and Johnson.

On Patents: Messrs. McAdoo (chairman), Smith, Trammell, Bone, Radcliffe, Norris, and White.

On Pensions: Messrs. McGill (chairman), Wheeler, Walsh, Bulkley, Lonergan, Thomas of Utah, Minton, Schall, Frazier, and Shipstead.

On Post Offices and Post Roads: Messrs. McKellar (chairman), Trammell, Hayden, Bailey, Bulow, Byrnes, Logan, Brown, O'Mahoney, Murray, Burke, ———, ———, Schall, Frazier, La Follette, Jr., Barbour, Davis, and Gibson.

On Printing: Messrs. Hayden (chairman), Fletcher, Walsh, Black, Truman, Vandenberg, and Dickinson.

On Privileges and Elections: Messrs. George (chairman), King, Smith, Connally, Bulkley, Gore, Logan, Bachman, Brown, Duffy, Hatch, Minton, Hastings, Austin, Dickinson, Johnson, and Nye.

On Public Buildings and Grounds: Messrs. Connally (chairman), Ashurst, Trammell, Tydings, Walsh, Long, Maloney, Truman, ———, Keyes, Dickinson, Austin, Barbour, and Shipstead.

On Public Lands and Surveys: Messrs. Wagner (chairman), Pittman, Ashurst, Adams, Hatch, O'Mahoney, Costigan, Murray, ———, ———, Norbeck, Nye, Cutting, Steiwer, and Carey.

On Rules: Messrs. Neely (chairman), Robinson, Copeland, Harrison, McKellar, Black, Adams, Byrd, Lewis, Hale, Steiwer, Dickinson, and Vandenberg.

On Territories and Insular Affairs: Messrs. Tydings (chairman), Pittman, Hayden, King, Robinson, Clark, Reynolds, Bone, McKellar, McAdoo, Wheeler, Gerry, Nye, Metcalf, Vandenberg, McNary, and White.

ORDER FOR REFERENCE OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS AND TREATIES

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Robinson submitted the following order, which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Ordered, That on calendar days of the present session of the Congress when no executive session is held, nominations or treaties received from the President of the United States may, where no objection is interposed, be referred, as in executive session, to the appropriate committees by the Presiding Officer of the Senate.

THE BUDGET

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying document, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

The Budget of the United States Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, of which this message is definitely a part, is transmitted herewith for your consideration. It deals principally with the moneys carried in the general and special accounts of the Government, which constitute the great bulk of the general fund, as this fund is shown on the first page of the daily Treasury statement. The remainder of the general fund consists mainly of moneys carried in trust accounts, which are not strictly Government moneys, and therefore enter only incidentally into the financial picture presented by the General Budget Summary.

REVIEW OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1934

The total expenditures of the Government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, as shown in the General Budget Summary and supporting schedules, amounted to $7,105,000,000 in round figures. Of this amount, the sum of $1,086,000,000 was spent for the operation and maintenance of the regular departments and establishments of the Government, $556,000,000 to meet veterans' pensions and benefits, $757,000,000 for interest on the national debt, $360,000,000 for statutory debt retirements, and $63,000,000 for tax refunds, making in the aggregate $2,822,000,000. The remainder of the total expenditures for that year, amounting to $4,283,000,000, was spent for recovery and relief. The general purposes to which this amount was applied are set forth in detail in supporting schedule no. 3. It will be seen that this amount was expended approximately as follows:

	In millions of dollars
Agricultural aid	847.0
Relief	1,844.4
Public works	653.5
Aid to home owners	194.9
Reconstruction Finance Corporation	584.6
Miscellaneous	158.6
Total	4,283.0

A part of this expenditure of $4,283,000,000 for recovery and relief is repayable; indeed, substantial repayments have already been made to the Government. Loans amounted to $732,000,000, and subscriptions to capital stock and preferred shares to $826,000,000, making a total of $1,558,000,000 which may be regarded as repayable expenditures made during the fiscal year 1934. The part regarded as nonrepayable totals $2,725,000,000. This sum has been spent mainly for grants, aids, public-works projects, and administrative expenses.

The total receipts of the Government for the fiscal year 1934 reached in the aggregate $3,115,500,000. Of this amount $2,640,600,000 came from internal revenue, $313,400,000 from customs, $152,600,000 from miscellaneous revenues, and $8,900,000 from receipts due to the realization upon assets. Income tax supplied $818,000,000 of internal revenues; miscellaneous taxes (e. g., estate, capital stock, liquor, tobacco, stamp, and excise taxes), $1,469,600,000, and processing taxes, $353,000,000. Since the processing taxes are appropriated for the use of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, their total should be subtracted from the aggregate receipts shown above in order to arrive at the general receipts of the Government.

The general receipts of $2,762,500,000, excluding processing taxes, approximately equaled the regular expenditures for the year, a fact which should be duly recognized.

The deficit at the end of the fiscal year 1934, as shown in the General Budget Summary, was $3,989,500,000 in round figures. After deducting $359,900,000 for statutory debt retirements during 1934, the resulting net deficit financed from borrowing was $3,629,600,000. The gross increase in the national debt amounted to $4,514,400,000, making a total debt of $27,053,000,000, as indicated in supporting schedule no. 6. This addition to the debt during 1934 included the financing of the net deficit of $3,629,600,000 and an increase of $884,800,000 in the cash balance of the general and special accounts, as shown in supporting schedule no. 4.

THE ECONOMIC SITUATION

Because of its profound influence on the Federal Budget, the economic situation may be briefly summarized at this point. Business was substantially more active during the fiscal year 1934 than in either of the two preceding fiscal years. At the opening of the year, in July 1933, producers were increasing their operations, sharply reflecting in part larger orders placed in anticipation of code regulations. There was a temporary decline in output in the autumn and early winter, in response to an overaccumulation of inventories during this period, but production again advanced during the last half of the fiscal year. Industrial output for the period as a whole, when measured by the Federal Reserve Board index, was 25 percent greater than in the fiscal year 1933 and only slightly below the level of the fiscal year 1931. The degree of recovery varied in the different industries. Production of nondurable goods, which had declined only moderately during the depression, approached within 1 percent of its 1923–25 average, while output in the durable-goods group, where prices showed relatively small declines since 1929, was 38 percent below its average in those years. Construction activity financed by private individuals continued to be restricted in amount, although public construction increased. This result was in no way surprising, in view of the enormous sums spent on permanent structures, in many cases in excess of actual requirements, during the period 1925–29.

The average volume of industrial employment expanded in proportion to production, and the total number of unemployed at the end of the fiscal year 1934, although still very large, decreased by about two millions as compared with June 1933, and four millions as compared with the worst point of the depression, which fell in March 1933. Reflecting higher wage rates and an expansion in total hours worked, industrial pay rolls averaged sharply higher over the year. Distribution of commodities at retail to consumers increased, but in smaller proportion than output, with the result that inventories of manufactured goods showed a net growth over the year ended June 30, 1934.

At the end of the fiscal year 1934 the Bureau of Labor Statistics index of wholesale commodity prices stood at 74.8 percent of its 1926 average as compared with 66.3 percent on June 30, 1933, and 59.6 percent early in March 1933. The sharpest rise in prices took place in farm products which were affected by anticipation of smaller crops during the summer of 1934. The rise in agricultural prices more than offset the decrease in farm output, and farmers' cash income, including governmental rental and benefit payments, was 34 percent higher than in the fiscal year 1933. Corporate profits, aided by larger volume as well as by inventory appreciation, also increased considerably.

Following the close of the fiscal year 1934, output in basic industries fell sharply through September, reflecting particularly an overaccumulation of inventories in steel and textile products and the delay in the placing of orders for autumn merchandise because of uncertainty as to the effect of the drought. Industrial prices, however, remained relatively stable, and prices of farm products and foods moved into closer alinement with prices of nonagricultural commodities. In retail markets goods continued to move in sustained volume with the result that inventories were reduced to lower levels and output was again increasing in the final quarter of the calendar year 1934.

CONDITION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1935

The total expenditure requirements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, are estimated at approximately $8,581,000,000, as shown in the General Budget Summary. Of this amount, the sum of $3,321,000,000 is for regular expenditures, and $5,260,000,000 for recovery and relief. The regular expenditures are for the following general purposes:

	In millions of dollars
Operation and maintenance of the regular departments and establishments	1,235
Veterans' pensions and benefits	610
Interest on the national debt	835
Tax refunds (excluding processing taxes)	68
Subtotal	2,748
Debt retirements	573
Total	3,321

The amount of $1,235,000,000, mentioned above, includes $20,000,000 for expenditures estimated to be made this year from an additional sum of approximately $125,000,000 which will be required for 1935 to make up deficiencies in the appropriations for the regular departments and establishments, including the Veterans' Administration. Of this additional sum, approximately $65,000,000 will be required to meet the needs of the Veterans' Administration due to the application of new laws or revised rules pertaining to service-connected disabilities.

Of the total expenditures for recovery and relief, $788,000,000 are for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and the refunding of processing taxes, while $4,472,000,000 are devoted to other purposes in the recovery and relief program. During the first 5 months of the current fiscal year the Government expended for recovery and relief $1,712,000,000, or at the rate of about $350,000,000 per month.

A summary of the aggregate amounts expended for recovery and relief from February 1, 1932, to November 30, 1934, shows a total figure of $8,164,900,000. This expenditure has been distributed approximately as follows:

	In millions of dollars
Agricultural aid	1,337.3
Relief	2,783.0
Public works	1,226.2
Aid to home owners	306.3
Reconstruction Finance Corporation	2,351.2
Miscellaneous	160.9
Total	8,164.9

From February 1, 1932, to November 30, 1934, nearly 3 years, provision for recovery and relief through appropriations and authorizations reached a grand total of $14,412,400,000. Of this total there remained unexpended on November 30, $6,247,500,000, a large part of which had already been obligated though not yet actually paid out by the Treasury. The sum of approximately $900,000,000 from the unobligated portion must, however, be made available for transfer to emergency relief needs during the remaining months of the current fiscal year. Recommendation is therefore made that the Congress provide for the immediate transfer of such unobligated portion for relief during the transition period from direct relief to work relief as outlined in my annual message.

Appropriations for emergency relief purposes will be completely exhausted early in February. Hence it is vitally necessary that unobligated balances of moneys already appropriated be made immediately available to care for the unemployed during the remainder of the fiscal year 1935 and the transition period. Through such action no new appropriation will be required to carry our relief needs for the current fiscal year.

The total receipts for the fiscal year 1935 are estimated at $3,711,000,000. After deducting from this amount the processing taxes, estimated at $589,000,000, there remains $3,122,000,000 to be applied against other expenditures of the Government.

The income tax for 1935 is estimated to yield $234,000,000 more than in 1934, or a total of $1,051,000,000. The receipts from miscellaneous internal-revenue taxes, exclusive of processing taxes, are expected to produce $60,000,000 more in 1935 than in 1934, thus bringing the total yield up to $1,543,000,000. It is estimated that customs will show a decrease for 1935 under 1934 of about $26,000,000, due to the Cuban sugar agreement and to the foreign-trade situation in general. Miscellaneous revenues and other receipts from the realization of certain assets are expected to yield for 1935 about $227,000,000, an increase of $66,000,000 over 1934.

The deficit for the fiscal year 1935 is estimated at $4,869,000,000, including $573,000,000 for statutory debt retirements. On December 26, 1934, the gross national debt stood at $28,484,000,000. It is estimated that the gross debt on June 30, 1935, will amount to about $31,000,000,000. In the Budget message of last year it was estimated that the national debt on June 30, 1935, would amount to $31,800,000,000. According to the latest estimates the debt will not reach this amount by $800,000,000.

THE FISCAL YEAR 1936

In the Budget message of last year I said, speaking of the fiscal year 1936, that we should plan to have a definitely balanced Budget for the third year of recovery and from that time on to seek a continued reduction of the national debt.

Despite the substantial measure of recovery achieved since that statement was made, unemployment is still large. The States and local units now provide a smaller proportionate share of relief than a year ago, and the Federal Government is therefore called upon to continue to aid in this necessary work.

For this reason it is evident that we have not yet reached a point at which a complete balance of the Budget can be obtained. I am, however, submitting to the Congress a Budget for the fiscal year 1936 which balances except for expenditures to give work to the unemployed. If this Budget receives the approval of the Congress, the country will henceforth have the assurance that, with the single exception of this item, every current expenditure of whatever nature will be fully covered by our estimates of current receipts. Such deficit as occurs will be due solely to this cause, and it may be expected to decline as rapidly as private industry is able to reemploy those who now are without work.

A résumé of the financial plan which the General Budget Summary shows for 1936, as compared with 1934 and 1935, is presented below.

[In millions of dollars]

	1934	1935	1936
I. Regular:			
1. Receipts	2,763	3,123	3,422
2. Expenditures:			
(1) Operation and maintenance of regular departments and establishments	1,086	1,235	1,622
(2) Veterans' pensions and benefits	556	610	740
(3) Interest on national debt	757	835	875
(4) Tax refunds (exclusive of processing taxes)	63	68	65
Total regular expenditures	2,462	2,748	3,302
II. Recovery and relief:			
1. Agricultural Adjustment Administration:			
Processing taxes	353	589	570
Expenditures (including refunds of processing taxes)	290	788	472
Excess of expenditures over taxes	−63	+199	−98
2. Other recovery and relief expenditures	3,993	4,472	4,110
Total recovery and relief expenditures	3,930	4,671	4,012
Total expenditures (exclusive of debt retirements)	6,392	7,419	7,314
Net deficit	3,629	4,296	3,892
Debt retirements	360	573	636
Gross deficit	3,989	4,869	4,528

The estimated expenditures for the fiscal year 1936, as shown in the General Budget Summary, total in round figures $8,520,000,000, including statutory debt requirements. Of this amount, $3,938,000,000 are for regular purposes, and the remainder for recovery and relief. The regular expenditures consist of $1,622,000,000 for the operation and maintenance of the regular departments and establishments of the Government, which includes $200,000,000 to be expended from an annual appropriation of $300,000,000 for public works, as requested in the Budget and as explained below. The other items of regular expenditures are $740,000,000 for veterans' pensions and benefits, $875,000,000 for interest on the national debt, $636,000,000 for statutory debt retirements, and $65,000,000 for tax refunds (excluding processing tax refunds).

Some of the principal increases in the major expenditure items for 1936 may be cited. The restoration of the final 5 percent of the 15-percent salary reduction amounts to about $40,000,000 for the regular departments and establishments, exclusive of the Postal Service. The latter service requires an additional sum of $25,000,000 for this purpose. Provision has been made in 1936 for an increase in the civil-service retirement and disability fund of $20,000,000 over 1935, making a total annual contribution to this fund of $40,000,000. This increase will enable the Government to meet more nearly its annual obligation with respect to this fund. It has been estimated that this obligation amounts to $52,000,000, but such estimate has not been sufficiently established to justify its inclusion in the Budget. An effort will be made during the coming year, however, definitely to establish the Government's annual liability, the amount of which will be included in the 1937 Budget. Likewise, an increase of $50,000,000 is recommended in the veterans' adjusted-service certificate fund, thus bringing the total annual contribution to this fund up to $100,000,000. The actuarial requirement of the fund for 1936 has been estimated at $155,000,000. An effort will also be made during the coming year to establish this fund on a more definite basis consistent with the Government's actual liability under existing law. The expenditures for national defense have been increased for 1936 over 1935 by $180,000,000. This increase is due to the current policy of the Congress and the Executive to make up for the delay by the United States in meeting the provisions of the naval treaties of 1922 and 1930, and to provide replacement and improved equipment for the Army. Veterans' pensions and other requirements have also been increased by about $130,000,000, after adding to the 1935 figure the estimated supplemental amount previ-

ously mentioned, which is due to the application of new laws and revised rules pertaining to service-connected disabilities.

Another increase in the estimated expenditures is $200,000,000 from an appropriation of $300,000,000 which I am requesting for public works. This appropriation is intended to take care of the normal public-works requirements of the Government usually included in the annual supply bills, such as Federal highways, river and harbor improvements, and general public works, including the construction program of the Tennessee Valley Authority. This requested appropriation may therefore be regarded as regular instead of emergency. The debt charges for interest and retirements have increased considerably due to the growth of the national debt, but the decrease in the average annual interest rate has served to keep these charges down.

The estimated expenditures for recovery and relief during 1936 are placed at $4,110,000,000, excluding $472,000,000 for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. I recommend that $4,000,000,000 be appropriated by the Congress in one sum, subject to allocation by the Executive principally for giving work to those unemployed on the relief rolls. An estimate of expenditures covering this amount is included in the Budget.

The total receipts for the fiscal year 1936 are estimated at approximately $3,992,000,000. When $570,000,000 of estimated processing taxes are deducted from this amount, there will remain for general purposes $3,422,000,000.

The detailed estimates of revenues and receipts for 1936, shown in Statement No. 1, indicate a gain of $137,000,000 in the collections from income tax over those for 1935. This gain is due to anticipated improvement in business and to the upward revision of rates in the Revenue Act of 1934. The miscellaneous internal-revenue taxes for 1936 are estimated to increase some $143,000,000 over the collections for 1935. This increase is predicated on the assumption that the taxes terminating on June 30 and July 31, 1935, will be extended by the Congress, and also that the tax rates which would be reduced on June 30, 1935, will be continued. Otherwise there will be a reduction in the total estimate of miscellaneous internal-revenue taxes of $378,000,000, thus bringing the total estimate down to $1,308,000,000, excluding processing taxes. Customs are estimated to yield $298,000,000 for 1936, representing a small increase of $11,000,000 over 1935. Miscellaneous revenues and other receipts are estimated to produce $250,000,000, a gain of about $23,000,000 over 1935.

While I do not consider it advisable at this time to propose any new or additional taxes for the fiscal year 1936, I do recommend that the Congress take steps by suitable legislation to extend the miscellaneous internal-revenue taxes which under existing law will expire next June or July, and also to maintain the current rates of these taxes which will be reduced next June. I consider that such taxes are necessary to the financing of the Budget for 1936.

In this connection, may I say, too, that the postal revenues, as estimated in detail in the annexed budget of the Post Office Department, are based on the continuation of the 3-cent postage rate for nonlocal first-class mail. Unless this rate is continued, the postal expenses for 1936, which include steamship and aircraft subsidies and free carriage of Government mail, will be increased by about $75,000,000, all of which will become an added burden on the general revenues of the Treasury. I, therefore, recommend the extension of the 3-cent rate.

If the estimates submitted in this Budget are approved, and if the expenditures for which authorization is asked are made in full, the deficit, including statutory debt retirements, will amount to $4,528,000,000 for the fiscal year 1936. The national debt will be increased during this year by approximately $3,152,000,000, thus bringing the total debt up to $34,239,000,000. But this increase, as I have pointed out, will be due solely to continued relief of unemployment.

CONTINUATION OF EMERGENCY AGENCIES

A number of the emergency agencies now authorized by law will terminate during the present fiscal year. Most of these agencies fill important present needs and should be continued. As rapidly as seems practicable, I am bringing the administrative expenses of these agencies under the supervision of the Director of the Budget.

ECONOMY LEGISLATION

Many of the estimates of appropriations contained in the Budget are based upon the continuation of certain legislative provisions with reference to economy which are now in force. They are appended hereto and should be reenacted if the estimates are to be sustained. Among those continued is the provision for certain special salary reductions, the suspension of the reenlistment bonus to men of the military and naval services, the reduction in travel allowances of certain postal employees, permitting temporary reassignment of duties of certain postal employees, reduction in fees of jurors and witnesses, permitting transfers between appropriations, and the involuntary retirement of Federal employees having 30 years' service. Specific provision is also made for service credits to certain personnel affected by the suspension of increases in pay during the fiscal years 1933 to 1935, in the determination of compensation accruing subsequent to June 30, 1935, but without authorizing the payment of the amount that would have been paid during these years. Among the economy provisions which now obtain and which it is not proposed to continue is the 5-percent reduction in compensation of Government employees after July 1, 1935. I see no reason, however, for the restoration of this reduction prior to that date. The index figure of the cost of living, on the basis of which salary restorations are provided by section 3, title II, of the Economy Act of 1933, now indicates that such restorations in all probability would not even be justified on next July 1, or for some time thereafter.

IMPROVEMENTS IN THE FORM OF THE BUDGET

Several important changes have been made in the form of the Budget document for 1936. The purpose of these changes has been twofold: (1) To improve the usefulness of the document from the citizens' standpoint, and (2) to provide more adequate treatment of the financial requirements of certain governmental units, such as the Post Office Department and the District of Columbia.

The General Budget Summary, following this message, is designed to present on one page a comprehensive picture of the financial requirements of the Government. It exhibits the anticipated receipts from all sources and the estimated expenditures for all purposes. It also shows the deficit and indicates the proposed means of financing this deficit. Since the figures presented in the summary are necessarily in aggregate amounts, the details of these amounts are shown in six supporting schedules. Both in the summary and in these schedules appropriate columns are carried to provide direct comparisons between the Budget figures for 1936 and the estimated and actual figures for 1935 and 1934.

The revenue estimates are emphasized in this Budget for the first time. These estimates are set forth in Statement No. 1 in sufficient detail to show all the principal sources from which the Government gets its income. Accompanying this statement is a supporting text, which analyzes and gives the reasons for the 1936 estimates and compares them with those for 1935 and with the actual collections for 1934.

Annexed budgets are set up for the major self-supporting or self-contained units of the Government, namely, the Post Office Department, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the Tennessee Valley Authority, and the District of Columbia. The use of such budgets permits the receipts and expenditures of each of these units to be clearly and completely presented in gross figures and in balanced form, as has not hitherto been done. By following this method the net figures for each unit, which may be either appropriation needs or surplus receipts, are calculated and then carried to the General Budget Summary. Thus the financial requirements of these units are definitely tied into the general budgetary plan. The annexed budgets are therefore not in any sense independent or multiple budgets, but simply integral parts of the Government's general Budget.

BETTER METHODS OF FISCAL CONTROL

In order to promote more satisfactory methods of budgetary control in the Government, I propose this year to inaugurate the policy of having a summation of the Budget prepared for publication immediately after the Congress has acted on all financial matters. This summation will be ready on or before July 1, unless the Congress is still in session. It will be presented along the lines of the General Budget Summary and supporting schedules, including Statements Nos. 1 and 2, as shown in this Budget. It will exhibit the revenue estimates, so revised by the Treasury, as to reflect any changes in the economic situation during the preceding 6 or 7 months and also any revisions made by the Congress in the tax laws. It will provide a complete summary of all appropriations and expenditure authorizations made by the Congress and related estimates of expenditures. Lastly, it will indicate the need for executive or administrative measures in controlling the execution of the Budget during the fiscal year 1936.

A substantial reduction in the number of appropriation items would facilitate the exercise of budgetary control over expenditures and at the same time make for departmental economy. I, therefore, recommend that the Congress establish a special joint committee to make a detailed study of the appropriation items in each regular appropriation bill with a view to greatly reducing the number of them, consistent with proper budgetary and accounting requirements.

It is my belief that substantial adherence to the general recommendations and total figures presented in this Budget will accomplish three major objectives: (1) The normal functions of the United States Government can be carried on with economy and a high standard of efficiency, (2) the broad obligation of the Government to use all proper efforts to prevent destitution can be maintained under more practical methods than we are using at present, and (3) the excellent credit of the Government will be maintained for the common good.

I believe that the Congress will sustain these objectives.

FRANKLN D. ROOSEVELT.

JANUARY 3, 1935.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A telegram from J. Howard Fore, of Bunkie, La., praying that a hearing be given the women of Louisiana in connection with the election and service of the senior Senator from Louisiana (Mr. Long); to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Resolutions adopted at Chicago, Ill., at the annual convention of the Beauty and Barber Supply Institute, remonstrating against the 10-percent tax on cosmetics and toilet articles; and

A petition of Norman Bays, of Pittsburgh, Pa., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the prompt payment of World War veterans' adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the State of New Mexico and Oliver O. St. Johns, Sr., of Francestown, N. H., praying the passage of an old-age pension law; to the Committee on Pensions.

A resolution adopted at Chicago, Ill., at the annual convention of the Beauty and Barber Supply Institute, favoring certain amendments to proposed legislation to safeguard the public against injurious and misbranded articles of food and drugs; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted at Saginaw, Mich., at the annual State convention of the Eleanor Roosevelt League of Women, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for unemployment insurance, health insurance, and national old-age pensions; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Mont Pleasant Lodge, Czechoslovak Society of America, of Schenectady, Branch 215, Lithuanian Alliance of America, and Branch 25, Association of Lithuanian Workers, Inc., of Poolville, all in the State of New York, praying the enactment of legislation providing for unemployment and social insurance; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of citizens of Elmira, N. Y., praying the enactment of an old-age pension law; to the Committee on Pensions.

A resolution adopted by Over-the-Top Council, No. 82, Daughters of America, of Otisville, N. Y., favoring the strengthening of immigration laws and further limitations on immigration; to the Committee on Immigration.

Resolutions adopted at New York City by the American Veterans' Association, Inc., favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the payment to war veterans of pensions or benefits in the future except for disability due to service, and remonstrating against the cash payment of adjusted-service certificates in advance of their due date; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Ridgewood-Metropolitan Civic Association, Inc., of Maspeth, N. Y., favoring a reduced rate of legal interest on property loans and publicity of the names of holders of stocks and bonds; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A memorial of citizens of Bath, N. Y., remonstrating against antireligious activities of the Mexican Government and favoring the recall of the present American Ambassador to that country; and

A resolution adopted by Padraic Pearse Council, American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, of Rochester, N. Y., remonstrating against entangling alliances with any foreign nation; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Women's Civic Club, of Flushing, N. Y., favoring a continuance of the investigation of munitions makers; to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Local No. 259, International Association of Oil Field, Gas Well, and Refinery Workers of America, of Arkansas City, Kans., favoring the establishment of a minimum wage scale of $5 per day for labor; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Chambers of Commerce, of Abilene, Ellsworth, Salina, and Junction City, all in the State of Kansas, urging the enactment of legislation bringing all classes of public carriers under the control and supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission;

A petition of the receiver of the Wichita Northwestern Railway Co., Hutchinson, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation to place all commercial transportation on highways under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, to regulate water-borne traffic, to permit the establishment of through routes and joint rates found to be in the public interest, and to restore the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act in its original form; and

Resolutions adopted by the Chambers of Commerce of Abilene and Ellsworth, in the State of Kansas, urging the repeal of the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Resolutions adopted by various women's organizations in the State of Kansas urging the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Ashurst presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona praying the enactment of legislation for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness under a practical amortization plan, enable the producer to realize at least the cost on his product, limit middlemen to a reasonable profit, and afford protection to the consumer; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona praying the enactment of legislation extending the operations of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation and providing funds for loans to citizens whose homes are imperiled; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona favoring negotiations with Mexico looking to the consent of that Government for the construction of a deep-water channel from the head of the Gulf of California to Yuma, Ariz.; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona praying the enactment of an old-age pension law; to the Committee on Pensions.

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona favoring the establishment as a permanent Federal highway of the highway in the State of Arizona known as the "Sunset Route"; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the State Land Department of the State of Arizona urging the enactment of legislation to grant Arizona an additional four sections of public lands out of each township in the State for the support and maintenance of the common school system of the State; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 250) authorizing the Brookewell Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Ohio River at or near Wellsburg, W. Va.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 251) granting an increase of pension to Frank Deloe;

A bill (S. 252) granting a pension to Joseph J. McNeal;

A bill (S. 253) granting a pension to Rebecca Swisher Boyd; and

A bill (S. 254) granting an increase of pension to Robert Blake; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin:

A bill (S. 255) for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 256) for the relief of Orville E. Clark; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 257) for the relief of the owners of the late American schooner *Three Marys;*

A bill (S. 258) for the relief of the heirs or legal representatives of Charls Johnson and Kate Johnson;

A bill (S. 259) for the relief of Robert A. Bowers and Mary E. Bowers;

A bill (S. 260) for the relief of John G. Sessions; and

A bill (S. 261) for the relief of E. L. Trenholm; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 262) granting a pension to Harvey E. Barron;

A bill (S. 263) granting a pension to Vivian C. Bogle; and

A bill (S. 264) granting a pension to Emmerline Valentine; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 265) to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana"; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A bill (S. 266) to provide for the erection of a public historical museum in the Custer Battlefield National Cemetery, Mont.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 267) for the relief of certain officers and employees of the Foreign Service of the United States who, while in the course of their respective duties, suffered losses of personal property by reason of catastrophes of nature; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 268) extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act to Lem C. Brown; and

A bill (S. 269) granting an annuity to Samuel R. Stone; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 270) for the relief of Junius A. Bandy; and

A bill (S. 271) for the relief of James Foy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 272) for the relief of William Frank Lipps;

A bill (S. 273) for the relief of John F. Hatfield; and

A bill (S. 274) for the relief of Charles C. Floyd; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 275) for the relief of Henry A. Taylor;

A bill (S. 276) for the relief of Harry Layman;

A bill (S. 277) for the relief of the Perkins-Campbell Co.;

A bill (S. 278) for the relief of George W. Allison;

A bill (S. 279) to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations;

A bill (S. 280) for the relief of Mrs. Hazel B. Lowe, Mrs. Tess H. Johnston, and Miss Esther L. Teckmeyer;

A bill (S. 281) for the relief of the Fred G. Clark Co.;

A bill (S. 282) for the relief of William Kemper;

A bill (S. 283) for the relief of Beatrice I. Manges;

A bill (S. 284) for the relief of the Peerless Motor Car Co.;

A bill (S. 285) to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden;

A bill (S. 286) for the relief of the Champion Rivet Co., of Cleveland, Ohio; and

A bill (S. 287) for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 288) granting an increase of pension to Mary C. Brant;

A bill (S. 289) granting a pension to Mary Ida Cox;

A bill (S. 290) granting a pension to Edward Brennenstuhl;

A bill (S. 291) granting a pension to Richard R. Denton;

A bill (S. 292) granting an increase of pension to Letha C. Durflinger;

A bill (S. 293) granting an increase of pension to Polly Fuller;

A bill (S. 294) granting a pension to Fannie S. Greene;

A bill (S. 295) granting a pension to Helen M. Harvey;

A bill (S. 296) granting an increase of pension to Rachel Heizeman;

A bill (S. 297) granting an increase of pension to Alice V. Keeler;

A bill (S. 298) granting an increase of pension to Margaret Jane Loar;

A bill (S. 299) granting an increase of pension to Lucy Montgomery;

A bill (S. 300) granting an increase of pension to Georgette M. Perkins;

A bill (S. 301) granting an increase of pension to Anna Robinson;

A bill (S. 302) granting a pension to Florella Roe;

A bill (S. 303) granting a pension to Chester Shartzer;

A bill (S. 304) granting an increase of pension to Amelia Shultz;

A bill (S. 305) granting a pension to Mary C. Smith;

A bill (S. 306) granting a pension to Hazel A. Snyder and minor children;

A bill (S. 307) granting a pension to Laura F. Helm;

A bill (S. 308) granting a pension to Hanna Lewis;

A bill (S. 309) granting an increase of pension to Melise Wise;

A bill (S. 310) granting a pension to Catherine Ott (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 311) granting a pension to Lena Ungerbuhler (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 312) for the relief of Lillian G. Frost;

A bill (S. 313) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of A. C. Messler Co.; and

A bill (S. 314) for the relief of Vito Valentino; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 315) granting a pension to Annie Coan; and

A bill (S. 316) granting a pension to Viola May Snow; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 317) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 318) to correct the naval record of Theodore Reynders; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 319) granting a pension to Mary Harrington Niblack; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 320) placing the position of postmaster in first-, second-, and third-class offices in the competitive classified service and for other purposes essential to the establishment of the Post Office Department on a nonpolitical career basis; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A bill (S. 321) granting a pension to Nancy L. Corwin;

A bill (S. 322) granting a pension to Sarah A. Gilliland;

A bill (S. 323) granting a pension to Emma A. McDuffie;

A bill (S. 324) granting a pension to Ella F. Lane;

A bill (S. 325) granting a pension to Dorothy Crosby Allen;

A bill (S. 326) granting a pension to Martha Adelaide Childs;

A bill (S. 327) granting a pension to Mary Ann Fox;

A bill (S. 328) granting a pension to Margaret Saunders;

A bill (S. 329) granting a pension to Florence L. Collins; and

A bill (S. 330) granting a pension to Mary J. Welch; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 331) to amend the Criminal Code to prohibit certain members and employees of any national political committee from holding certain Government positions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 332) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, by making beans a basic agricultural commodity; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 333) for the relief of the Acme Motor Truck Corporation; and

A bill (S. 334) for the relief of Leon Frederick Ruggles; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 335) authorizing the coinage of a 3-cent nickel piece; and

A bill (S. 336) to amend subsection J of section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 337) to extend certain benefits of the Public Health Service to certain seamen, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 338) providing for the examination and survey of a proposed deep-waterway canal connecting Grand River with Lake Michigan;

A bill (S. 339) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of the Crooked and Indian Rivers, Mich.; and

A bill (S. 340) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Detroit River, Mich.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 341) for the relief of Anthony Peter De Young (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 342) for the relief of Edward H. Cotcher; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 343) to provide further for the national security and defense; to the Special Committee on Investigation of Munitions.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 344) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate commerce", approved February 4, 1887, as amended and supplemented; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 345) to repeal Government wage cuts as of January 1, 1935, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 346) to restore the basic rate of compensation of Federal officers and employees; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 347) for the relief of James J. Jordan; and

A bill (S. 348) for the relief of Berle C. Palmer; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 349) granting a pension to Narcissa Hussey;

A bill (S. 350) granting a pension to Granville Brown;

A bill (S. 351) granting a pension to Wilbern Alonzo Hussey;

A bill (S. 352) granting a pension to James N. Davis;

A bill (S. 353) granting an increase of pension to Tennessee F. Maynard;

A bill (S. 354) granting a pension to Ida H. McCullough;

A bill (S. 355) granting a pension to Hanna White;

A bill (S. 356) granting an increase of pension to Truman H. Wilkinson;

A bill (S. 357) granting a pension to Taylor C. Lyon;

A bill (S. 358) granting a pension to Stephen D. Jones;

A bill (S. 359) granting a pension to John Bivens;

A bill (S. 360) granting a pension to Olive A. Lewis;

A bill (S. 361) granting a pension to Thomas B. Hall (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 362) granting a pension to Anna Bierd (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 363) to increase the efficiency of the Veterinary Corps of the Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 364) to exempt from taxation certain property of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 365) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Elmer E. Miller; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 366) for the relief of Lyda F. Foster; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 367) to provide old-age compensation for the citizens of the United States; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper and Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 368) to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 369) amending the Civil Service Retirement Act; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 370) relating to loans to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 371) for the relief of G. Elias & Bro., Inc.;

A bill (S. 372) for the relief of Edward L. Gockeler;

A bill (S. 373) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Robert A. Watson; and

A bill (S. 374) for the relief of certain officers of the Army whose household and other effects were damaged or destroyed by the flooding of a warehouse at Fort Myer, Va.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 375) to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims covered by the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 376) to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah; and

A bill (S. 377) providing for the sale of certain public lands to the Utah Gilsonite Co.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 378) to provide for the protection of watersheds in and adjacent to national forests; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 379) to provide for the deportation of certain alien seamen, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 380) to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah; and

A bill (S. 381) for the relief of the Confederated Bands of Ute Indians located in Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 382) to provide for the purchase of a certain lot of land in Cedar City, Utah; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 383) to provide compulsory licenses for unused patents; to the Committee on Patents.

A bill (S. 384) relating to the classified civil service; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 385) granting a pension to Eliza Beagley;

A bill (S. 386) granting a pension to Susan Turner; and

A bill (S. 387) to amend the act approved March 3, 1927, entitled "An act granting pensions to certain soldiers who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 388) to establish a Department of National Defense and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 389) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of the Green River, Utah; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 390) for the relief of Orson Thomas;

A bill (S. 391) for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley; and

A bill (S. 392) for the relief of Samuel L. Wells; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 393) to provide for the establishment and maintenance, under the Bureau of Mines, of a research station at Salt Lake City, Utah; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A bill (S. 394) to regulate the transportation of passengers and property in interstate and foreign commerce by motor carriers operating on the public highways, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 395) relative to the qualifications of practitioners of law in the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 396) to amend section 1180 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia with respect to usury;

A bill (S. 397) to provide for recording of deeds of trust and mortgages secured on real estate in the District of Columbia, and for the releasing thereof, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 398) to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto;

A bill (S. 399) to amend sections 416 and 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 400) to permit the step-children of certain officers and employees of the United States to be admitted to the public schools of the District of Columbia without payment of tuition;

A bill (S. 401) to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the healing art to protect the public health in the District of Columbia", approved February 27, 1929;

A bill (S. 402) to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 403) to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections nos. 5 and 6;

A bill (S. 404) to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 405) for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 406) to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes";

A bill (S. 407) to amend section 115a of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to lunacy proceedings;

A bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 409) to amend certain sections of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution; and

A bill (S. 410) to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 411) to authorize an annual appropriation of $10,000 to pay the pro rata share of the United States of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History at Mexico City; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 412) granting a pension to Earnest G. Harvey; and

A bill (S. 413) granting a pension to Roy E. Donnelly; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 414) to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 415) to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relating to direct loans for industrial purposes by Federal Reserve banks, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1934 (Public, No. 417, 73d Cong.); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 416) for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 417) for the relief of Fred M. Munn; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 418) providing import duties on coal and coke imported into the United States from foreign countries; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 419) to correct the naval record of Robert Nelson Campbell; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 420) to amend section 3 of Public Law No. 393, Seventy-third Congress; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A bill (S. 421) granting a pension to Earl J. Stark; and

A bill (S. 422) granting a pension to Dudley C. Tribble; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 423) for the relief of Lynn Brothers' Benevolent Hospital; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 424) authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 425) for the relief of Robert Rayl; to the Committee on Public Lands.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 426) to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 427) authorizing the reimbursement of Edward B. Wheeler and the State Investment Co. for the loss of certain lands in the Mora Grant, N. Mex.;

A bill (S. 428) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;

A bill (S. 429) conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico to hear, determine, and render judgment upon certain claims against the United States;

A bill (S. 430) for the relief of Anna Hathaway;

A bill (S. 431) granting compensation to Reuben R. Hunter; and

A bill (S. 432) for the relief of John J. Doyle; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 433) to provide for the taking over by the Government of the outstanding capital stock of all Federal Reserve banks; to create a Federal Reserve bank and a Federal Reserve bank board; to provide an adequate and stable monetary system; to prevent both uncontrolled deflation and inflation; to provide a system to control the price of commodities through control of the purchasing power of money; to substitute Federal Reserve bank notes for outstanding gold certificates, silver certificates, Treasury notes of 1890, United States notes, Federal Reserve notes, national currency, and national-bank notes; and to coin and regulate the value of money in pursuance of article I, section 8, paragraph 5, of the Constitution of the United States; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 434) for the relief of Joseph Thompson; and

A bill (S. 435) for the relief of A. D. Ellis; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 436) for the relief of Mrs. Zoe Tilghman; and

A bill (S. 437) for the relief of Cooper E. Davis; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 438) for the relief of Roy Chandler; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 439) to secure to the farmers a price for agricultural products of not less than the cost of production thereof, including a reasonable profit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 440) granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma for constructing a bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota in the State of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 441) granting a pension to Carrie L. Warner (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 442) granting a pension to Sarah E. Wilkerson;

A bill (S. 443) granting a pension to Joseph K. Sullivan;

A bill (S. 444) granting a pension to Wilber T. Lardie; and

A bill (S. 445) granting an increase of pension to Alma H. Aultman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 446) for the relief of Elva Rhea Speck; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 447) conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 448) to authorize a preliminary examination of Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

A bill (S. 449) to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

A bill (S. 450) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Westport Slough, Oreg.; and

A bill (S. 451) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Brookings Harbor, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 452) to extend the provisions of the Forest Exchange Act to lands adjacent to the national forests in the State of Oregon;

A bill (S. 453) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to grant a patent of certain lands to Truman H. Ide; and

A bill (S. 454) to amend section 3 of the act of July 13, 1926 (44 Stat. 915), entitled "An act for the relief of certain counties in the States of Oregon and Washington within whose boundaries the revested Oregon & California Railroad Co. grant lands are located"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 455) for the relief of Oliver Victor Riessbeck; and

A bill (S. 456) authorizing an appropriation for the further development of the submarine and destroyer base at Tongue Point, Oreg.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 457) for the relief of John W. Beck;

A bill (S. 458) for the relief of Noah C. Dugan;

A bill (S. 459) for the relief of Allan W. Hartmann;

A bill (S. 460) for the relief of Marinius M. Londahl; and

A bill (S. 461) for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 462) to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon;

A bill (S. 463) to facilitate the use and occupancy of national-forest lands for the purposes of residence, recreation, education, industry, and commerce; and

A bill (S. 464) to add certain lands to the Malheur National Forest in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 465) for the relief of the estates of Edwin G. Scott, Clyde R. Dindinger, and Ralph R. Fraley;

A bill (S. 466) for the relief of William J. Ewing;

A bill (S. 467) for the relief of Kate Hatton;

A bill (S. 468) for the relief of Theodor Knudson;

A bill (S. 469) for the relief of Josephine R. Briggs;

A bill (S. 470) for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.; and

A bill (S. 471) for the relief of the Columbia Boat & Barge System, Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 472) to authorize the distribution to persons admitted to citizenship of the patriotic poster entitled "Look the Truth in the Face"; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 473) relating to information to be furnished to stockholders of corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 474) to increase the lump-sum payment made under the Workmen's Compensation Act in cases of death or of permanent total or permanent partial disability suffered prior to February 12, 1927; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 475) for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 476) relating to promotions of civil-service employees; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Ashurst:

(By request.) A bill (S. 477) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the southern district of New York and two additional judges for the southern district of California;

(By request.) A bill (S. 478) to amend a part of section 1 of the act of May 27, 1908, chapter 200, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, sec. 592);

(By request.) A bill (S. 479) to amend section 126 of the Judicial Code, as amended;

(By request.) A bill (S. 480) to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisoners, to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners, to establish Federal jails, and for other purposes";

(By request.) A bill (S. 481) authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 482) to amend section 51 of chapter 2, title 45, of the Code of Laws of the United States of America; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 483) for the relief of Stanley A. Jerman, receiver for A. J. Peters Co., Inc.; and

A bill (S. 484) for the relief of James Vallandingham (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 485) for the relief of Daniel Connell Flynn; and

A bill (S. 486) for the relief of Joseph A. Frayne (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 487) to provide for the purchase of the surplus copper heretofore mined and processed in the United States; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 488) for the relief of Michael Ilitz; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 489) for the relief of the Coast Fir & Cedar Product Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 490) for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

A bill (S. 491) for the relief of Fred Herrick;

A bill (S. 492) for the relief of the estates of Nicholas Ownby and Jesse Ownby; and

A bill (S. 493) for the relief of Walter S. Chiene and Annie H. Chiene (widow, guardian of minors, and administratrix of estate of Lyon Playfair Chiene); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 494) authorizing an appropriation for the further development of the submarine and destroyer base at Tongue Point, Oreg.;

A bill (S. 495) to correct the naval record of John B. Dolan; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 496) for the relief of Fred M. Smith;

A bill (S. 497) for the relief of Harry J. Kennedy;

A bill (S. 498) for the relief of William Kelley;

A bill (S. 499) authorizing the President to present medals, in the name of Congress, to certain survivors of the sinking of the steamship *Tuscania;* and

A bill (S. 500) for the relief of Elijah L. Gum; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 501) to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Oregon, at or near Taft, Oreg.;

A bill (S. 502) to provide an examination and survey of Seaside Harbor, Oreg.; and

A bill (S. 503) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of Chetco Cove, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 504) providing for a reimbursable loan to the Klamath and Modoc Tribe of Indians and the Yahooskin Band of Snake Indians, State of Oregon;

A bill (S. 505) to credit the Klamath Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore covered into the Treasury for reimbursement of appropriations; and

A bill (S. 506) to credit the Klamath Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Klamath Reservation, Oreg.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 507) to amend section 3 of the act of July 13, 1926 (44 Stat. 915), entitled "An act for the relief of certain counties in the States of Oregon and Washington, within whose boundaries the revested Oregon & California Railroad Co. grant lands are located"; and

A bill (S. 508) to add certain lands to the Ochoco National Forest in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 509) to prevent the use of Federal official patronage in elections and to prohibit Federal officeholders from misuse of positions of public trust for private and partisan ends; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 510) authorizing and directing the Secretary of Agriculture to investigate all phases of taxation in relation to agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 511) granting a pension to George W. Newman;

A bill (S. 512) granting a pension to Daniel Kinney;

A bill (S. 513) granting a pension to Alfred L. Chapman;

A bill (S. 514) granting a pension to Robert A. Masterson;

A bill (S. 515) granting a pension to Susan F. Cates;

A bill (S. 516) granting a pension to Mary E. Allen;

A bill (S. 517) granting a pension to Harold C. Cline;

A bill (S. 518) granting a pension to John L. Hammack;

A bill (S. 519) granting a pension to Lillian S. Blackwell;

A bill (S. 520) granting a pension to Myrtle J. Buzan;

A bill (S. 521) granting a pension to Mark Baldwin;

A bill (S. 522) granting a pension to Matilda Jane Hart;

A bill (S. 523) granting a pension to J. B. Stanfield;

A bill (S. 524) granting a pension to Mary Nightingale;

A bill (S. 525) granting a pension to Arminta Sullivan;

A bill (S. 526) granting a pension to Christiana L. Todd;

A bill (S. 527) granting pensions to certain persons who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898;

A bill (S. 528) to amend section 3 of the act entitled "An act granting pensions to certain soldiers who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1927;

A bill (S. 529) granting an increase in pension to Blanche C. Hurd;

A bill (S. 530) granting a pension to John R. Liles;

A bill (S. 531) granting a pension to Emma V. Crawford (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 532) granting a pension to O. Scott Clark (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 9) authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 10) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the fixing of prices in time of war and the prevention of profiteering; to the Special Committee on Investigation of Munitions.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 11) directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 12) proposing an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for national representation for the people of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Pittman:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 13) to authorize an appropriation for the expenses of an examination of the United States and Turkish claims; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 14) amending Public Resolution No. 118, Seventy-first Congress, approved February 14, 1931, providing for an annual appropriation to meet the quota of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Pope:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 15) proposing an amendment to article V of the Constitution of the United States, providing for the popular amendment of said Constitution; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Cutting and Mr. Hatch:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 16) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American Section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 17) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to restrictions on the employment of aliens; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 18) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on certain incomes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 19) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to popular nominations of candidates for President and Vice President; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

TAXATION OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 2), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That it is the sense of the Congress that all income and interest from all bonds or other certificates of indebtedness hereafter issued by the Government of the United States shall be taxable by the United States.

ELIZABETH TENNER

Mr. Bankhead, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 16), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for Miscellaneous Items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Elizabeth Tenner, mother of Zelda Tenner, late an assistant clerk in the office of Senator Bankhead, a sum equal to six months compensation at the rate she was receiving by law at the time of her death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

REPORTS ON INDUSTRIAL PRICES

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 17), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture is hereby requested to send to the Senate as soon as practicable a certain study, memorandum, or report, prepared by Gardner C. Means, Economic Adviser on Finance, relative to monopolistic influence upon, or monopolistic control of, industrial prices, and any and all reports or memorandums said Gardner C. Means has made touching the subject of industrial prices.

TAKING OF TESTIMONY IN IMPEACHMENT TRIALS

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 18), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Resolved, That in the trial of any impeachment the Presiding Officer of the Senate, upon the order of the Senate, shall appoint a committee of 12 Senators to receive evidence and take testimony at such times and places as the committee may determine, and for such purpose the committee so appointed and the chairman thereof, to be elected by the committee, shall (unless otherwise ordered by the Senate) exercise all the powers and functions conferred upon the Senate and the Presiding Officer of the Senate, respectively, under the rules of procedure and practice in the Senate when sitting on impeachment trials.

Unless otherwise ordered by the Senate, the rules of procedure and practice in the Senate when sitting on impeachment trials shall govern the procedure and practice of the committee so appointed. The committee so appointed shall report to the Senate in writing a certified copy of the transcript of the proceedings and testimony had and given before such committee, and such report shall be received by the Senate and the evidence so received and the testimony so taken shall be considered to all intents and purposes, subject to the right of the Senate to determine competency, relevancy, and materiality, as having been received and taken before the Senate, but nothing herein shall prevent the Senate from sending for any witness and hearing his testimony in open Senate, or by order of the Senate having the entire trial in open Senate.

ELIZA J. SELLERS

Mr. Davis, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 19), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Eliza J. Sellers, widow of James F. Sellers, late messenger at the card door of the Senate, a sum equal to 1 year's compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 20), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Appropriations, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON NAVAL AFFAIRS

Mr. Trammel, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 21), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Naval Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON INTEROCEANIC CANALS

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 22), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Interoceanic Canals, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 23), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and hereby is, authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND CURRENCY

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 24), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Banking and Currency, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized to sit during the sessions, recesses, and adjourned periods of the Seventy-fourth Congress at such times and places as it may deem advisable, to make investigations into all matters within its jurisdiction, and to compile and prepare statistics and documents in relation thereto, as directed from time to time by the Senate and as may be necessary, and to report in due course to the Senate the result thereof, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ such expert, stenographic, clerical, and other assistance as may be necessary; and all of the expenses incurred in pursuance hereof shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and the committee is authorized to order such printing and binding as may be necessary for its use.

ASSISTANT CLERK TO COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 25), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce is authorized to employ until July 1, 1935, an assistant clerk, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at the rate of $2,000 per annum.

BLANCHE A. HALL

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 26), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Blanche A. Hall, daughter of William L. Walling, late an employee of the Senate under supervision of the Sergeant at Arms, a sum equal to 1 year's compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS AND SURVEYS

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 27), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and thereby is, authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not to exceed 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

SYSTEM OF HEALTH INSURANCE

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 28), which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor:

Resolved, That the Committee on Education and Labor of the Senate is hereby directed and instructed, either acting through the full committee or through a duly appointed subcommittee, as soon as practicable, to make a full and complete investigation in order to determine the best and most effective kind of Federal legislation to provide a system of health insurance throughout the entire United States, and to report to the Senate as early as practicable the recommendations outlining the kind of legislation it is believed will most effectively accomplish this purpose.

AMENDMENT OF RULE XXV—COMMITTEE ON AERONAUTICS AND AVIATION

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 29), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That rule XXV of the standing rules of the Senate be, and the same is hereby, amended by inserting, on page 30, after the third line of paragraph 1, the following:

"Committee on Aeronautics and Aviation, to consist of 12 Senators."

AMENDMENT OF THE RULES—RIVER AND HARBOR PROJECTS

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 30), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That the standing rules of the Senate be, and they are hereby, amended by adding, after rule XX, a new rule, relating to river and harbor projects, as follows:

"Rule XXI. When a rivers and harbors authorization bill is pending, a point of order may be made against the authorization of any project in any form not formally recommended to the Congress in an official report of the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors."

COLUMBIA AND SNAKE RIVERS, OREG., WASH., AND IDAHO

Mr. McNary and Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 31), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

Resolved, That the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, created under section 3 of the Rivers and Harbors Act, approved June 13, 1902, be, and is hereby, requested to review the reports on the Columbia and Snake Rivers, Oreg., Wash., and Idaho, submitted in House Document No. 16, Seventy-third Congress, second session, with a view to determining the advisability of constructing a dam and navigation locks at Umatilla Rapids in connection with the improvement of Snake River.

JAPANESE POLICY IN MANCHURIA

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 32), which was submitted to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas by the Kellogg Peace Pact signed at Paris on August 27, 1928, the high contracting parties (including the United States and Japan) solemnly declared that they condemn recourse to war for the solution of international controversies; and

Whereas by the nine-power treaty signed at Washington on February 6, 1922, the contracting powers (including the United States and Japan) agreed to respect the sovereignty, the independence, and the territorial and administrative integrity of China, and to refrain from taking advantage of conditions in China in order to seek special rights or privileges which would abridge the rights of subjects or citizens of friendly states; and

Whereas it is alleged that the policy pursued by Japan in Manchuria in establishing the Manchukuoan Government, in setting up a government oil monopoly of foreign oil interests, and the refusal by Manchukuo, as stated in the Japanese press, to observe the open-door policy except as to nations according her recognition, is a violation of the above treaties: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to examine into the policy pursued by Japan in Manchuria with a view to determining whether such policy has violated any of the provisions of the Kellogg Peace Pact or the nine-power treaty.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

FORTIFICATION OF CERTAIN MANDATED ISLANDS IN THE PACIFIC

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 33), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas by article 119 of the treaty of peace with Germany, signed at Versailles on June 28, 1919, Germany renounced in favor of the Principal Allied and Associated Powers all rights over her overseas possessions, including

the groups of islands in the Pacific Ocean lying north of the Equator; and

Whereas the Principal Allied and Associated Powers, including the United States, agreed that in accordance with article 22, part I (Covenant of the League of Nations), of the said treaty, a mandate should be conferred upon His Majesty the Emperor of Japan to administer the said islands; and

Whereas His Majesty the Emperor of Japan accepted such mandate, subject to the agreement, among others, that no military or naval bases should be established or fortifications erected in the mandated territories; and

Whereas for some 14 years there have been recurrent charges in the press to the effect that Japan has fortified her mandated islands in violation of the agreement not to do so; and

Whereas it is alleged that Japan has failed to make reports on its administration of its mandated islands, as required by the League of Nations: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to examine into the charge that Japan is fortifying or has fortified her mandated islands and to report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 34), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on the District of Columbia, or any subcommittee thereof, is hereby authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers; to administer oaths; and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

EFFECT OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT ON ANTITRUST LAWS

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 35), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Whereas, to prevent monopolies and combinations in restraint of trade and efforts to obtain monopolistic control of trade and commerce, laws were enacted by the Congress which are still in force; and

Whereas it is claimed that such laws have not been enforced and that monopolies have increased and monopolistic control of industry has been strengthened; and

Whereas, notwithstanding the enactment of said antitrust laws, it is alleged that the National Industrial Recovery Act has been construed as permitting monopolies and protanto repeals the said antitrust laws; and

Whereas it is alleged that the said antitrust laws are inadequate to meet monopolistic developments and should therefore be strengthened in order that the purpose for which they were enacted might be realized: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on the Judiciary, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to conduct an investigation to determine (1) whether the National Industrial Recovery Act has encouraged or promoted monopolistic practices; (2) whether the National Industrial Recovery Act or rules, regulations, and codes issued under it have tended to nullify the antitrust laws; (3) whether, in that event, legislation is needed to restore the antitrust laws to the position which they occupied prior to the date of enactment of the National Recovery Act; and (4) whether the antitrust laws, if properly enforced, are adequate to control monopolistic practices.

The committee shall report as soon as practicable the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation. For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses until the final report is submitted; to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents; to administer such oaths; and to take such testimony and make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PRINTING OF ADDITIONAL COPIES OF REPORT ON STOCK EXCHANGE PRACTICES

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 36), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved, That 4,000 additional copies of the report (no. 1455) of the Committee on Banking and Currency, Seventy-third Congress, second session, on Stock Exchange Practices, be printed for the use of the Senate document room.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Packers and Stockyards Act; Peanuts, publication of statistics by Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Lucile A. Abbey; Burton S. Adams; Homer H. Adams; John B. Canter; Collier Manufacturing Co.; George S. Conway, Jr.; Helen M. Crowley; Germania Catering Co., Inc.; B. H. Hall; Frederick Conger Johnson; Francis M. Johnston; James E. King; James Lowe; Winifred Meagher; R. B. Miller; James Evans Monroe; Thomas Peraglia; G. W. Roberts; Robert Rodes; William Schick; J. U. Schickli & Bros.; Carmine Sforza; Joseph H. Sheridan; John Henry Tackett; Aileen Random Weber; Mrs. Donnie Wright; to the Committee on Claims.

Certain States Employment Offices; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Radium, to accept as payment of war debts from Belgium; to the Committee on Finance.

Albert Anderson; Charles B. Arrington; Elmer Blair; Donald L. Bruner; Harriet DeLarm; William D. Grush; John C. Harker; Curtis Jett; Homer H. Keffer; Frank alias Francis Kroegel; Robert McFarland; Patrick J. Mulcahey; Thomas Salleng; Charles Wilson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Luther Foster; James E. Johnston; Photographs, to prohibit making of Military or Naval equipment; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Anthony R. Backus; Ella A. Barker; Lydia J. Barton; Mary A. Beck; Helen R. Benson; James C. Blackwell; Mary E. Bordwell; Clarence R. Boyles; Lena Bradshaw; Mary Burton; Earl Cline; Mattie F. Colebaugh; Elizabeth B. Craig; Mary E. Cramer; Celia K. Crow; John C. Denbo; Hulda Dodds; Minnie O. Draper; Eliza Ellis; Lucy W. Farwell; Anna Marie Flautt; Ida D. Fletcher; Lottie Flint; Mary E. Fowler; William Edward Fugatt; Columbus R. Fulks; Everett Goodwin; George G. Gribben; Charles T. Griggs; Sarah J. Henderson; Winnie Hood; Margaret Ledgerwood; Sarah Hagar Lewis; Allison J. Little; Minnie Mahler; John S. Marcum; Sarah A. Martin; Belle McGary; Mary A. McNeil; Jane A. McNelly William Nire Metz; Martha J. Morgan; Hannah Morrison; Jess Musgrave; Mary L. Parker; William G. Patton; Eliza A. Perry; Mary A. Phillippi; Sarah J. Pitts; Claude A. Pomeroy; Charles O. Puckett; Elia Rodde; Anna Ross; John M. Roundtree; Nancy Jane Ruffin; William Russell; Alma Blanche Shipman; Clarence Edward Shipman; George F. Smith; Hannah A. Smith; Helen K. Snowden; Joseph F. Sourek; Emily D. Spencer; Charles Steffey; Alice M. Strine; Ellen M. Thomas; Carl M. Toepper; Mrs. Jemima E. Trowbridge; Bridget Wagner; Nancy J. Walker; George S. Ward; Lydia C. Wark; Mrs. Pearl F. Warren; Blanche Welker; Joseph Wilfong; Frank L. Wilkinson; Mary Jane Willey; Terressa Willoughby; Drucilla Wright; to the Committee on Pensions.

Saratoga Battlefield; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 364) to exempt from taxation certain property of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War in the District of Columbia, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 396. An act to amend section 1180 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia with respect to usury (Rept. No. 2);

S. 397. An act to provide for recording of deeds of trust and mortgages secured on real estate in the District of Columbia, and for the releasing thereof, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 3);

S. 398. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto (Rept. No. 4);

S. 399. An act to amend sections 416 and 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 5);

S. 400. An act to permit the stepchildren of certain officers and employees of the United States to be admitted to the public schools of the District of Columbia without payment of tuition (Rept. No. 6);

S. 401. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the healing art to protect the public health in the District of Columbia", approved February 27, 1929 (Rept. No. 7);

S. 402. An act to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 8), and

S. 404. An act to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 9).

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 10) thereon.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until Thursday next.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Monday, January 7, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

In compliance with paragraph 5, section 2, of the Army Appropriation Act, approved August 29, 1916, I transmit herewith the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Council of National Defense for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 10, 1935.*

REPORT OF NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the act of March 3, 1915, which established the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, I submit herewith the annual report of that committee for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 10, 1935.*

(NOTE: Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

ERECTION OF MEMORIALS AND ENTOMBMENT OF BODIES IN THE ARLINGTON MEMORIAL AMPHITHEATER

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

In compliance with the requirements of the act of Congress of March 4, 1921, I transmit herewith the Annual Report of the Commission on the Erection of Memorials and Entombment of Bodies in the Arlington Memorial Amphitheater for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 10, 1935.*

ANNUAL REPORT OF SECRETARY OF SENATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Senate, transmitting, pur-

suant to law, a report of receipts and expenditures of the Senate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying report, lie on the table and be printed.

SPECIAL RAILWAY MAIL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Postmaster General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a statement relative to special contracts made with the following railroad companies for the transportation of the mails, viz:

Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Co., between Hudson Terminal station, New York, N. Y., and Journal Square, Jersey City, N. J.;

Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co., Victor A. Miller, receiver, between Ridgway and Durango, Colo.;

Colorado & Southern Railway Co., between Denver and Leadville, Colo.;

Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad Co., between Thistle and Marysvale, Utah;

Copper River & Northwestern Railway Co., between Cordova and Kennecott, Alaska;

The Alaska Railroad, between Seward and Fairbanks, Alaska; and

Pacific & Arctic Railway & Navigation Co., between Skagway and White Pass, Alaska.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying statement, be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the cost and other data with respect to Indian irrigation projects as compiled to the end of the fiscal year June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

REPORT OF SURGEON GENERAL OF PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

TRAVEL EXPENSES OF BOTANIC GARDEN

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Director of the United States Botanic Garden, transmitting, pursuant to law, a statement showing the travel expenses in connection with official business of the Botanic Garden during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which was referred to the Committee on the Library.

CLAIM OF DR. GEORGE W. RITCHEY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey against the United States; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS OF FEDERAL OFFICERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing officers and one administrative office of the Government delinquent in rendering or transmitting their accounts to the proper offices in Washington during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, and whether the delinquency was waived, together with a list of officers who, upon final settlement of their accounts, were found to be indebted to the Government and had failed to pay the same into the Treasury of the United States; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

REPORTS FROM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the following reports, which were referred as indicated:

A report on Federal-aid road work for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934; and

A report concerning appropriations for national-forest roads and trails for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A report showing the proceeds from the sale of waste paper during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF LIBRARIAN OF CONGRESS AND REGISTER OF COPYRIGHTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Librarian of Congress, transmitting, pursuant to law, his annual report, together with the report of the Register of Copyrights, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying reports, was referred to the Committee on the Library.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, recommending the immediate cash payment at face value of World War veterans' adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Milwaukee, Wis., favoring the early acquisition of the properties of the two major telegraph companies by the Government and their operation on the basis of service at cost by the Post Office Department; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Portland, Oreg., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the construction and maintenance of transmission lines and distribution systems by the Government within the Bonneville Dam project; and

Resolutions adopted at Chicago, Ill., by the National Association of Marketing Teachers, urging the publication of the census of American business and for a census of trades and services every 2 years; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Hale presented resolutions adopted by the faculty of Colby College, of Waterville, the Waterville chapter of the American Association of University Women, and various citizens and church organizations, all in the State of Maine, urging the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) presented a petition of the Carroll County branch of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, of Westminster, Md., praying a continuance of the investigation of munitions makers; which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) presented a resolution adopted by the Maryland State Bar Association, favoring the early ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Parsons, Kans., urging the enactment of legislation granting the Interstate Commerce Commission power to regulate rates for all common carriers and favoring legislation to permit transcontinental railroads to compete more freely with water-borne traffic through the Panama Canal; and

A petition of the legislative committee of the Order of Railway Conductors, Department of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation limiting the car length of trains, providing for the repeal of the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act, the supervision by the Government of bus and truck transportation, and the strengthening of the railroad retirement act.

Mrs. Caraway presented a petition of citizens of the State of Arkansas praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions, which was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Fletcher presented petitions of citizens of the State of Florida praying the building by the Government of a cross-State canal in the State of Florida to relieve unemployment, which were referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petition and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Woodside Civic Association, of Woodside, Long Island, N. Y., favoring the continuance of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation for the relief of distressed home owners; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Resolutions adopted by various Councils of the Knights of Columbus and the Holy Name Society of St. Saviors Roman Catholic Church, of Brooklyn, all in the State of New York, remonstrating against antireligious activities of the Mexican Government; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Schall presented a communication from I. L. Graven, of Dawson, Minn., urging immediate relief for certain families in Lac Qui Parle County in the State of Minnesota, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, of New York City, favoring adequate support of the Bureau of Mines and the Geological Survey in promoting safety and efficiency and conserving and developing natural resources and eliminating waste in the mineral industries; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A resolution adopted by the Medical Society of the District of Columbia, together with an accompanying statement, expressing its attitude toward medical care of indigents in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

TRANSPORTATION OF "HOT OIL"

On motion by Mr. Gore, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the majority opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, delivered January 7, 1935, in the cases of *Panama Refining Co. et at, Petitioners,* v. *A. D. Ryan, S. D. Bennett, and J. Howard Marshall* and *Amazon Petroleum Corporation, Barney Cockburn, E. J. Boase et al., Petitioners,* v. *Archie D. Ryan, S. D. Bennett, and Phil E. Baer,* on writs of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, in the matter of the transportation in interstate and foreign commerce of so-called "hot oil", be printed as a Senate document.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrnes from the Special Committee on Senatorial Campaign Expenditures, created under Senate Resolution 173 (73d Cong., 2d sess.), submitted a report (No. 11) dealing with investigations conducted in the States of Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Delaware, and New Mexico, and stating that no further inquiry is necessary; which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 4. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Privileges and Elections to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 9. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Mines and Mining to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 22. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Interoceanic Canals to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 23. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Foreign Relations to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 27. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys to hold hearings during the Seventy-four Congress; and

S. Res. 34. Resolution authorizing the Committee on the District of Columbia to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

THE WORLD COURT

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Robinson, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following protocols, reported them with a recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to the adherence by the United States thereto with certain reservations, and he submitted a report (Ex. Rept. 1) thereon:

A protocol of signature of the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated December 16, 1920;

A protocol for the revision of the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated September 14, 1929; and

A protocol of accession of the United States of America to the protocol of signature of the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated September 14, 1929.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 533) granting a pension to John B. Wandell; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 534) to extend certain letters patent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Patents.

A bill (S. 535) for the relief of William Cornwell and others; and

A bill (S. 536) for the relief of Ada Mary Tornau; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 537) for the relief of C. O. Meyer; and

A bill (S. 538) for the relief of H. Kaminski & Co., Kaminski Hardware Co., and the Carolina Hardware Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 539) for the relief of Charles Y. Wilson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 540) for the relief of Fred Luscher; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 541) to prohibit the transportation in interstate commerce of advertisements of intoxicating liquors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 542) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 543) to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon common carriers engaged in interstate commerce by railroad by compelling such carriers to maintain tracks, bridges, and appurtenances thereto in safe and suitable condition; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 544) for the relief of Charles Edwin Doyle (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 545) to prohibit the making of photographs, sketches, or maps of vital military and naval defensive installations and equipment, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 546) for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 547) for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 548) for the relief of H. L. Roberts & Co.;

A bill (S. 549) for the relief of Augusta Burkett, widow of Alexander Burkett (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 550) for the relief of Lota Tidwell, the widow of Chambliss L. Tidwell (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 551) to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 552) to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 553) to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 554) to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 555) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 556) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 557) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 558) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 559) to authorize the settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 560) for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc. (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 561) to reimburse officers, enlisted men, and civilian employees of the Army and their families and dependents, or their legal representatives, for losses sustained as a result of the hurricane which occurred in Texas on August 16, 17, and 18, 1915 (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 562) to authorize credit in disbursing officers' accounts covering shipment of privately owned automobiles from October 12, 1927, to October 10, 1929 (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 563) for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 564) extending the classified executive civil service of the United States; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 565) for the relief of James L. Barnett; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 566) for the relief of George Yusko; and

A bill (S. 567) for the relief of Sarah Lloyd; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 568) granting a pension to George W. Criss;

A bill (S. 569) granting an increase of pension to William C. Milliner; and

A bill (S. 570) granting a pension to Frederick L. Knicely; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 571) to exempt a limited quantity of cotton produced by small producers from the cotton-ginning tax; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 572) to repeal a part of section 5 of the National Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 573) to amend paragraph (8) of section 1 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 574) relative to Members of Congress acting as attorneys in matters where the United States has an interest; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 575) to amend the Mining Act of May 10, 1872, as amended; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A bill (S. 576) granting a pension to Genoa Stewart (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 577) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at Wallace, Idaho; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 578) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 579) to provide for the licensing of corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 580) to prevent the adulteration, misbranding, and false advertising of food, drugs, and cosmetics in interstate and foreign and other subject commerce for the purposes of safeguarding the public health, preventing deceit upon the purchasing public, and promoting fair competition, with respect of commerce in such products; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 581) for the relief of Harold E. Seavey; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 582) granting a pension to Charles W. Locke (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 583) granting an increase of pension to Mary G. Walsh;

A bill (S. 584) granting an increase of pension to Margaret Thompson;

A bill (S. 585) granting an increase of pension to Martha L. Trefethen;

A bill (S. 586) granting an increase of pension to Josie M. Smart;

A bill (S. 587) granting a pension to Warren A. Small;

A bill (S. 588) granting an increase of pension to Joanna A. Small;

A bill (S. 589) granting an increase of pension to Charlotte W. Stevens;

A bill (S. 590) granting a pension to Alice H. Palmer;

A bill (S. 591) granting a pension to Roy M. Osborne;

A bill (S. 592) granting an increase of pension to George Neill;

A bill (S. 593) granting an increase of pension to Julia L. Morrison;

A bill (S. 594) granting an increase of pension to Frances V. Morrill;

A bill (S. 595) granting a pension to Angie L. Moulton;

A bill (S. 596) granting a pension to Nellie B. Leighton;

A bill (S. 597) granting a pension to Martha W. Keeler;

A bill (S. 598) granting an increase of pension to Mary M. Joy; and

A bill (S. 599) granting a pension to Lillian M. Johnson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 600) to amend sections 211, 245, and 312 of the Criminal Code, as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 601) granting an increase of pension to Susie D. Hanscome;

A bill (S. 602) granting a pension to Mary A. Gillon;

A bill (S. 603) granting a pension to William M. Forrest;

A bill (S. 604) granting a pension to Nellie Fredericks;

A bill (S. 605) granting an increase of pension to Mary Coles;

A bill (S. 606) granting a pension to William Conley;

A bill (S. 607) granting a pension to Elsie Blanchard;

A bill (S. 608) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Burrell;

A bill (S. 609) granting a pension to Mary L. Bryant;

A bill (S. 610) granting a pension to Alice L. Preston; and

A bill (S. 611) granting a pension to Rachel A. Bosworth; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 612) for the benefit of the Omaha and Winnebago Indians of Nebraska; and

A bill (S. 613) to add certain public domain lands in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 614) extending the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 615) to provide for the restoration, through exchange, of certain timberlands to the Yosemite National Park, Calif., and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 616) authorizing the removal of rock from the submarine and destroyer base reservation at Astoria (Tongue Point), Oreg.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 617) for the relief of Roy Alvey Jones; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 618) to authorize the acquisition of land for industrial sites in the vicinity of the Bonneville Dam in the Columbia River;

A bill (S. 619) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920; and

A bill (S. 620) to authorize the periodic construction of channels for fishing purposes in the Siltcoos and Takenitch Rivers, in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 621) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgments upon the claim of Suncrest Orchards, Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 622) granting a pension to Fred Burns;

A bill (S. 623) granting a pension to Grace V. Foster; and

A bill (S. 624) for the relief of Edward M. Brown; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 625) providing for the purchase of a site and the erection thereon of a public building for the use of station A, a station of the post office at Portland, Oreg.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 626) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity; and

A bill (S. 627) authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Carrol D. War for the losses sustained by him by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 628) to convey certain lands to Clackamas County, Oreg., for public park purposes; and

A bill (S. 629) to provide for the acquisition of certain timberlands and the sale thereof to the State of Oregon for recreational and scenic purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 630) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, to provide an interest rate of 3 percent per annum on loans to agricultural improvement districts; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry;

A bill (S. 631) for the relief of Ernest F. Blair;

A bill (S. 632) to provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Helena, in the State of Arkansas;

A bill (S. 633) for the relief of Isaac Pierce;

A bill (S. 634) to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 635) for the relief of Ira N. Saffell; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 636) granting a pension to Eleanora Emma Bliss;

A bill (S. 637) granting a pension to Hosea M. Jones;

A bill (S. 638) granting a pension to Roland Burkhart;

A bill (S. 639) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Dunn;

A bill (S. 640) granting an increase of pension to Roy E. George;

A bill (S. 641) granting a pension to Lizzie Knight;

A bill (S. 642) granting an increase of pension to Laura I. Robinson; and

A bill (S. 643) granting an increase of pension to Sidney H. Bailey; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 644) for the relief of the First National Bank of Lake Village, Ark.;

A bill (S. 645) for the relief of James W. Green, Jr.;

A bill (S. 646) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of W. W. Busby, administrator of the estate of Evelina V. Busby, deceased, against the United States; and

A bill (S. 647) for the relief of Emma Fein; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 648) for the relief of Harry Roland Burgess; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 649) to restore the right to compensation to Roberta K. Dillon; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 650) amending section 23 of the Merchant Marine Act of 1920; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 651) for the relief of Harry Flanery;

A bill (S. 652) for the relief of Harold S. Shepardson; and

A bill (S. 653) for the relief of James W. Carmichael, deceased; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 654) authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 655) for the relief of C. W. Zaring & Co.;

A bill (S. 656) for the relief of Webster & Hull;

A bill (S. 657) for the relief of J. R. Osgood;

A bill (S. 658) for the relief of K. W. Boring;

A bill (S. 659) for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

A bill (S. 660) for the relief of Kate E. Kemon;

A bill (S. 661) for the relief of Walter L. Rasasco; and

A bill (S. 662) for the relief of Merrill-Stevens Dry Dock & Repair Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 663) to prevent Government officials from accepting any fidelity or surety bond running to the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 664) granting a pension to Laura F. Carmichael;

A bill (S. 665) granting a pension to Elise M. Lum;

A bill (S. 666) granting a pension to Ida Miller;

A bill (S. 667) granting a pension to Minnie Phelps; and

A bill (S. 668) granting a pension to Minnie L. Stewart; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 669) to amend the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act so as to extend provisions thereof to corporations, associations, and individuals to aid in constructing and maintaining facilities for the growing, harvesting, marketing, storing, warehousing, and/or processing of forest products; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 670) for the relief of Eliza Boykin; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings):

A bill (S. 671) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 672) for the relief of the city of Baltimore; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 673) authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain lands to the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission of Maryland, for park purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 674) authorizing the President to order Maj. E. P. Duval before a retiring board for a hearing of his

ase, and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his resignation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 675) to extend the benefits of the United States Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Ethel Smith McDaniel, widow of Travis McDaniel;

A bill (S. 676) for the relief of George F. Jones;

A bill (S. 677) for the relief of Mary E. Roney; to the Commitee on Claims.

A bill (S. 678) for the relief of Louis E. LeBrun; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 679) for the relief of James T. Webster and Mary A. Webster;

A bill (S. 680) for the relief of Howard E. Tolson;

A bill (S. 681) for the relief of Richard Riggles;

A bill (S. 682) for the relief of William Zeiss, administrator of William B. Reaney, survivor of Thomas Reaney and Samuel Archbold;

A bill (S. 683) for the relief of John L. Alcock;

A bill (S. 684) for the relief of Brown and Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.;

A bill (S. 685) for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co.;

A bill (S. 686) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Dora M. Jeffery;

A bill (S. 687) conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Fred Ownes;

A bill (S. 688) for the relief of Lucretia Norris;

A bill (S. 689) for the relief of Mary Kress, Myer Toor, and Theresa Toor;

A bill (S. 690) to extend the benefits of the United States Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Anna S. Matthews;

A bill (S. 691) for the relief of Herbert J. Myers;

A bill (S. 692) for the relief of Emma Gregory;

A bill (S. 693) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Lillian Stecher Waldecker, formerly Lillian A. Stecher;

A bill (S. 694) for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others; and

A bill (S. 695) for the relief of the firm of Levenson & Zenitz (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 696) for the relief of Sylvan M. Levy; and

A bill (S. 697) for the relief of George J. Hannigan; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 698) granting a pension to John Doane Gardiner;

A bill (S. 699) granting a pension to Mary Amanda Jones;

A bill (S. 700) granting an increase of pension to George W. King;

A bill (S. 701) granting an increase of pension to Catherine Merritt;

A bill (S. 702) granting a pension to Mary Schlining;

A bill (S. 703) granting a pension to Annie J. Maddox;

A bill (S. 704) granting a pension to Annie Cantwell;

A bill (S. 705) granting a pension to Abbie V. Hull; and

A bill (S. 706) granting an increase of pension to Fannie B. Kinsella; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 707) to amend the act of May 19, 1926, "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters"; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Dieterich:

A bill (S. 708) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Velie Motors Corporation; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 709) to incorporate the United States Civil Legion; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 710) authorizing the State of Illinois to abandon the Illinois and Michigan Canal in Illinois, and to grant to the State of Illinois all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the land comprising the right-of-way of the Illinois and Michigan Canal as the same was routed and constructed through the public lands of the United States, in the State of Illinois, pursuant to the act of Congress of the United States of March 2, 1827, and in and to the 90 feet of land on each side of said canal, vested in the State of Illinois, pursuant to the act of Congress of the United States of March 30, 1822; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 711) relating to the appointment of a district judge of the District Court of the United States for the State of Minnesota, and to amend the act of March 2, 1925 (43 Stat. L., ch. 397, p. 1098); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 712) for the relief of A. H. Marshall; and

A bill (S. 713) granting jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear the case of David A. Wright; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 714) providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 715) to revive certain patents; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 716) granting a pension to Julius Hampton, Jr.;

A bill (S. 717) granting a pension to Annie Wright;

A bill (S. 718) granting a pension to Laura E. Myers;

A bill (S. 719) granting an increase of pension to Emily Semple Wood;

A bill (S. 720) granting a pension to Barbara Oertel;

A bill (S. 721) granting a pension to Neva Dobbins;

A bill (S. 722) granting a pension to Daniel Pierce; and

A bill (S. 723) granting a pension to Grace A. Coates; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 724) for the relief of James T. Moore; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 725) for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith;

A bill (S. 726) for the relief of Robbie Coates;

A bill (S. 727) for the relief of James E. Haynes;

A bill (S. 728) for the relief of Elton Firth;

A bill (S. 729) for the relief of A. F. Amory;

A bill (S. 730) for the relief of the Virginia Engineering Co., Inc.; and

A bill (S. 731) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the legal representatives of Henry H. Sibley, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 732) for the relief of Zinsser & Co.; and

A bill (S. 733) for the relief of William Burke; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 734) to amend sections 5136 and 5153 of the Revised Statutes, as respectively amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 735) for the relief of Wiener Bank Verein; and

A bill (S. 736) for the relief of Louise Fox; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 737) to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, as amended; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 738) to aid in providing the people of the United States with adequate facilities for park, parkway, and recreational area purposes, and to provide for the transfer of certain lands, chiefly valuable for such purposes, to States and political subdivisions thereof; and

A bill (S. 739) to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix, in the State of New York; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 740) for the relief of Amos D. Carver, S. E. Turner, Clifford N. Carver, Scott Blanchard, P. B. Blanchard, James B. Parse, A. N. Blanchard, and W. A. Blanchard;

A bill (S. 741) for the relief of the Union Shipping & Trading Co., Ltd.;

A bill (S. 742) for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

A bill (S. 743) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the claim of the Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co.; and

A bill (S. 744) for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 745) increasing the fees of jurors in United States Courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 746) for the relief of Joseph M. Thomas, alias Joseph Thomas, alias Thomas O'Donnell (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 747) for the relief of Joe G. Baker (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 748) granting a pension to Sarah C. Hackleman (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 749) granting a pension to Jesse Cotton (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 750) granting a pension to Grace V. Lawrence (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 751) granting a pension to Emma M. Webb (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 752) to amend section 177 of the Judicial Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 753) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Wales Island Packing Co.; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 754) to amend section 21 of the act approved June 5, 1920, entitled "An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of the American merchant marine, to repeal certain emergency legislation, and provide for the disposition, regulation, and use of property acquired thereunder, and for other purposes", as applied to the Virgin Islands of the United States; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 755) for the adjudication and determination of the claims arising under the extension by the Commissioner of Patents of the patent granted to Frederick G. Ransford and Peter Low as assignees of Marcus P. Norton, no. 25036, August 9, 1859; to the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads.

A bill (S. 756) for the relief of Arthur Van Gestel, alias Arthur Goodsell; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 757) granting an increase of pension to Kate O'Donnell Wood; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 758) for the relief of Jacob G. Ackerman;

A bill (S. 759) for the relief of Joseph Schoenbach;

A bill (S. 760) for the relief of Harry P. Hollidge;

A bill (S. 761) for the relief of Marion Von Bruning (nee Marion Hubbard Treat);

A bill (S. 762) for the relief of Marion Von Bruning (nee Marion Hubbard Treat);

A bill (S. 763) for the relief of A. W. Duckett & Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 764) for the relief of the Globe Shipping Co., Inc., of New York, N. Y. (successors of the Globe Shipping Co.);

A bill (S. 765) for the relief of M. T. Stark, Inc.;

A bill (S. 766) for the relief of Messrs. M. Aronin & Sons;

A bill (S. 767) for the relief of Cowtan & Tout, Inc.;

A bill (S. 768) for the relief of Louis Godick;

A bill (S. 769) for the relief of Valle & Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 770) for the relief of A. and M. Karagheusian, Inc.;

A bill (S. 771) for the relief of Schapiro Bros.;

A bill (S. 772) for the relief of B. Lindner & Bro., Inc.;

A bill (S. 773) for the relief of Sorenson & Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 774) for the relief of Epstein Underwear Co.;

A bill (S. 775) for the relief of Etna Watch Co.;

A bill (S. 776) for the relief of Messrs. Stein & Blaine;

A bill (S. 777) for the relief of Bengol Trading Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 778) for the relief of W. K. Webster & Co.;

A bill (S. 779) for the relief of the William Wrigley, Jr., Co., Inc., of New York City, N. Y.;

A bill (S. 780) for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.;

A bill (S. 781) for the relief of the estate of George B. Spearin, deceased;

A bill (S. 782) for the relief of the Sound Construction & Engineering Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 783) for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co.;

A bill (S. 784) for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co., now Frederick Snare Corporation;

A bill (S. 785) for the relief of Robbins-Ripley Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 786) for the relief of the North American Dredging Co.;

A bill (S. 787) for the relief of J. Henry Miller, Inc.;

A bill (S. 788) for the relief of the International Mercantile Marine Co.;

A bill (S. 789) for the relief of H. P. Converse & Co.;

A bill (S. 790) for the relief of the Compagnia Generale Transatlantique;

A bill (S. 791) for the relief of the city of New York;

A bill (S. 792) authorizing the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claims of the estate of George Chorpenning, deceased;

A bill (S. 793) for the relief of Charles F. Bond, receiver of the partnership of Thorp & Bond, New York, N. Y.; and

A bill (S. 794) for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Austin (for Mr. Gibson):

A bill (S. 795) for the relief of F. Whitney Harrington; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 796) granting a pension to Mary A. Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 797) to provide for establishing and maintaining a public airport for the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 798) for the relief of Wallace Shippee;

A bill (S. 799) for the relief of Yvonne Hale; and

A bill (S. 800) for the relief of the United Marble Co., Inc., Rutland, Vt.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 801) to amend an act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes", approved May 22, 1920;

A bill (S. 802) to provide for the designation of beneficiaries by employees subject to the provisions of the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, as amended, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 803) to provide for a special clerk and liaison officer; and

A bill (S. 804) for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service to include employees in the legislative branch; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 805) granting a pension to Annie Jones (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 806) extending for 2 years the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the relief of unemployment through the performance of useful public work, and for other purposes", approved March 31, 1933; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 807) granting an honorable discharge to Henry Hilbun; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 808) for the relief of Harry H. A. Ludwig; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 809) for the relief of Julius McKindry Henderson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 810) equalizing annual leave of employees of the Department of Agriculture stationed outside the continental limits of the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 811) authorizing the issuing of certificates of arrival to persons born in the United States who are now aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 812) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior and the Arizona State Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a toll or free bridge across the Colorado River at or near Parker, Ariz., within the Colorado River Indian Reservation; and

A bill (S. 813) authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to establish a fish-cultural station in Arizona; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 814) for the relief of John Mulhern; and

A bill (S. 815) for the relief of Jessie Blout; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 816) to provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Big Dry Wash, in the State of Arizona; and

A bill (S. 817) for the relief of W. I. Johnson; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 818) granting a pension to Lewis G. Simpson; and

A bill (S. 819) granting an increase of pension to Lorenzo D. Walters; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 820) relating to costs in radio proceedings before the Federal Communications Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 821) making eligible for retirement under the same conditions as now provided for officers of the Regular Army Capt. Oliver A. Barber, an officer of the United States Army during the World War, who incurred physical disability in line of duty;

A bill (S. 822) for the relief of Henry Brown; and

A bill (S. 823) for the relief of Benjamin H. Southern; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 824) for the relief of Thomas S. Garen; and

A bill (S. 825) for the relief of Frank S. Harrison; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 826) for the relief of James Rowland;

A bill (S. 827) for the relief of Samuel H. McAlexander;

A bill (S. 828) for the relief of Clarence Winborn;

A bill (S. 829) for the relief of William F. Slatton;

A bill (S. 830) for the relief of Claude L. Pyle;

A bill (S. 831) for the relief of Frank R. Garner, formerly second lieutenant, United States Army;

A bill (S. 832) for the relief of James F. Dubberly;

A bill (S. 833) providing for reimbursement of the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Co. for expenditure in revetment work on the Arkansas River during the flood of 1927;

A bill (S. 834) for the relief of Carl L. Moore;

A bill (S. 835) for the relief of Robert L. Martin;

A bill (S. 836) for the relief of C. F. Cooley, administrator of the estate of Charles F. Cooley, Jr.;

A bill (S. 837) for the relief of Cavalry Cemetery, Little Rock, Ark.;

A bill (S. 838) for the relief of E. A. Ahrens;

A bill (S. 839) for the relief of L. L. Stokes; and

A bill (S. 840) for the relief of James F. Fitzgerald; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 841) granting a pension to Norfleet Hughes;

A bill (S. 842) granting a pension to Ernest McCord;

A bill (S. 843) granting an increase of pension to Mary A. Stutler;

A bill (S. 844) granting a pension to Charlie A. Stacks;

A bill (S. 845) granting a pension to Edie A. Kimberly;

A bill (S. 846) granting a pension to Theta B. Spring;

A bill (S. 847) granting a pension to Anna J. Darby;

A bill (S. 848) granting an increase of pension to Henry W. McLain;

A bill (S. 849) granting a pension to Jessie B. Auer;

A bill (S. 850) granting a pension to Ernest J. Hollis;

A bill (S. 851) granting a pension to E. Corinne Miller; and

A bill (S. 852) granting a pension to Jennie Railey; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 853) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 854) to provide for cooperation with the States and Territories in providing and administering old-age pensions; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. King:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 20) to prohibit the exportation of arms or munitions of war from the United States under certain conditions; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Couzens:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 21) authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 22) directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Borah:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 23) giving consent of the Congress of the United States to the States of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho, or any two of said States, to agree upon the jurisdiction to be exercised by said States over boundary waters between any two or more of said States; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 24) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 25) to amend section 9 of Public, No. 67, Seventy-third Congress, otherwise known and cited as the "National Industrial Recovery Act"; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 26) to amend section 9 (c) of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

AMERICAN CONSERVATION WEEK

Mr. Wagner submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 3), which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys:

Whereas under the inspiring leadership of President Cleveland it became the settled policy of this Nation to conserve its natural resources; and

Whereas the establishment of an American Conservation Week will have the desired effect of bringing the American people to realize in the words of that great conservationist, President Roosevelt, that "the conservation of our natural resources and their proper use constitute the fundamental problem which underlies almost every other problem of our national life": Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the President of the United States is requested to issue each year a proclamation designating the first week in April as American Conservation Week and inviting the people of the United States to observe that week in schools, churches, museums, parks, and other suitable places, with ceremonies appropriate to the occasion.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. Harrison submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 37), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and hereby is, authorized to sit during the sessions or recesses of the Seventy-fourth Congress at such times and places as they may deem advisable; to make investigations into internal revenue, customs, currency, and coinage matters, and other matters within its jurisdiction, and to compile and prepare statistics and documents relating thereto as directed from time to time by the Senate and as may be necessary; and to report from time to time to the Senate the result thereof; to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ such expert, stenographic, clerical, and other assistance as may be necessary; and all of the expenses of such committee shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and the committee is authorized to order such printing and binding as may be necessary for its use.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Mr. Wheeler submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 38), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any subcommitte thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

ADDITIONAL CLERKS TO SENATORS

Mr. Byrnes submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 39), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That whenever during the remainder of the present session of Congress a Senator shall file with the Chairman of the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate a statement showing the necessity for an additional clerical assistant to enable him to discharge the duties of his office, such Senator may appoint one assistant clerk to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at $1,500 per annum until the end of the present session of Congress.

WAGES PAID BY BUILDING CONTRACTORS

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 40), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That Senate Resolution No. 228, agreed to May 30, 1934, authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to investigate the "Kick-back racket" in public works and construction, hereby is continued in full force and effect until the end of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

DECEMBER CORNER IN SUGAR

Mr. Vandenberg submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 41):

Whereas it is generally understood that a group of so-called "long traders" in sugar, operating through the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, cornered the market in December futures, forcing an ultimate settlement with so-called "short traders" who were speculative sellers; and

Whereas this corner in sugar for domestic consumption resulted, in part, from the use of market limitations created by the Jones-Costigan Act and in part by the price-fixing decrees of the Cuban Government in respect to sugar sales in the continental United States; and

Whereas any such speculation at home and any such price manipulation and price fixing abroad threatens the welfare of domestic consumers and may threaten the welfare of domestic producers and, in any event, jeopardizes the integrity of the Jones-Costigan Act and may nullify its domestic purposes: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture is requested to report to the Senate (a) all information at the disposal of the Department and the Agricultural Adjustment Administration respecting this December corner in sugar and the ultimate results as found by the exchange and by these Departments; (b) the history of the dealings of all Government Departments with the merchandising of the 1934 Cuban sugar quota in the United States; (c) the names of all so-called "long" and "short" traders in December futures on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange; (d) the names of the board of directors of the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange and the personnel of the Cuban Sugar Stabilization Institute, and the identification of any banks or other financial institutions in the United States known to have been connected with the financing, or the refusal to finance, the 1934 Cuban sugar crop; and (e) such recommendations as he may care to make for additional legislation to protect the Jones-Costigan Act and for legislation, if deemed necessary, to control commodity dealings on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

Mr. Copeland submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 42), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized to sit during the sessions, recesses, and adjourned periods of the Seventy-fourth Congress at such times and places as it may deem advisable, to make investigations into all matters within its jurisdiction, and to compile and prepare statistics and documents in relation thereto, as directed from time to time by the Senate and as may be necessary, and to report in due course to the Senate the result thereof, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ such experts, stenographic, clerical, and other assistance as may be necessary; and all of the expenses incurred in pursuance hereof shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, and the committee is authorized to order such printing and binding as may be necessary for its use.

METHODS FOR PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY

Mr. Austin (for Mr. Gibson) submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 43), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Whereas there exists a large and growing need for low-cost electricity and means for its production and distribution; and

Whereas the time is now propitious for the development of methods for such production and distribution: Therefore be it

Resolved, That a select committee of the Senate, consisting of five Members, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a study of methods for production and distribution of electricity and confer with and advise the President concerning plans for their adoption. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations, if any, for further necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Malheur National Forest; national forest land; watersheds in national forests; and Willamette National Forest, Oreg.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Civil Service Retirement Act; classified civil service; to the Committee on Civil Service.

Acme Motor Truck Corporation; George W. Allison; Robert A. Bowers and Mary E. Bowers; Josephine R. Briggs; Champion Rivet Co.; Lyon Playfair Chiene; Coast Fir & Cedar Products Co., Inc.; Columbia Boat & Barge System, Inc.; Cooper E. Davis; John J. Doyle; Elias & Bro.; William J. Ewing; Ann Hathaway; Kate Hatton; Fred Herrick; Reuben R. Hunter; Charles Johnson and Kate Johnson; William Kemper; Korber Realty, Inc.; Theodore Knudson; Las Vegas Hospital Association; Lynn Bros. Benevolent Hospital; Beatrice I. Manges; A. C. Messler Co.; Elmer E.

Miller; Peerless Motor Car Co.; Leon Frederick Ruggles; Edwin G. Scott; John G. Sessions; Henry A. Taylor; Orson Thomas; *Three Marys,* schooner; Zoe A. Tilghman; E. L. Trenholm; James Vallandingham; Edward B. Wheeler and State Investment Co.; Samuel L. Wells; and Ralph E. Woolley; to the Committee on Claims.

Arkansas River, Okla., bridge; to the Committee on Commerce.

Coal and coke; Lyda F. Foster; Elva Rhea Speck; and Samuel R. Stone; to the Committee on Finance.

Ute Indians, Confederated Band; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

John W. Beck; Roy Chandler; Orville E. Clark; Edward H. Cotcher; Custer Battlefield, National Cemetery, Mont.; Noah C. Dugan; Charles C. Floyd; Elijah L. Gum; Allan W. Hartmann; Michael Ilitz; James J. Jordan; M. M. Londahl; Fred M. Munn; national defense; Berle C. Palmer; Fred M. Smith; Veterinary Corps, Regular Army; and volunteer organizations, War with Spain; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Junius A. Bandy; A. D. Ellis; Joseph A. Frayne; and Joseph Thompson; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Patents, compulsory licenses for unused; to the Committee on Patents.

Dorothy Crosby Allen; Mark Baldwin; Eliza Beagley; Anna Bierd; John Bivens; Lillian S. Blackwell; Vivian Bogle; Rebecca Swisher Boyd; Mary C. Brant; Edward Brennenstuhl; Granville Brown; Myrtle J. Buzan; Susan F. Cates; Alfred L. Chapman; Martha Adelaide Childs; O. Scott Clark; Harold C. Cline; Florence L. Collins; Mary Ida Cox; Emma V. Crawford; James N. Davis; Frank Deloe; Richard R. Denton; Roy E. Donnelly; Letha C. Durflinger; Mary Ann Fox; Polly Fuller; Fannie S. Greene; Thomas B. Hall; John L. Hammack; Matilda Jane Hart; Earnest G. Harvey; Helen M. Harvey; Rachel Heizeman; Laura F. Helm; Blanche C. Hurd; Narcissa Hussey; Wilbern Alonzo Hussey; Stephen D. Jones; Alice V. Keeler; Daniel Kinney; Wilber T. Lardie; Olive A. Lewis; John R. Liles; Margaret Jane Loar; Taylor C. Lyon; Robert A. Masterson; Tennessee F. Maynard; Ida H. McCullough; Joseph J. McNeal; Lucy Montgomery; George W. Newman; Mary Nightingale; Catherine Ott; Georgette M. Perkins; Anna Robinson; Florella Roe; Margaret Saunders; Chester Shartzer; Amelia Shultz; Mary C. Smith; Viola May Snow; Hazel A. Snyder; J. B. Stanfield; Arminta Sullivan; Christiana L. Todd; Susan Turner; Lena Ungerbuhler; Emmerline Valentine; Carrie L. Warner; Hanna White; Truman H. Wilkinson; and Melise Wise; to the Committee on Pensions.

Truman H. Ide; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 364. A bill to exempt from taxation certain property of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War in the District of Columbia;

S. 397. A bill to provide for recording of deeds of trust and mortgages secured on real estate in the District of Columbia;

S. 398. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a code of laws for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901;

S. 399. A bill to amend sections 416 and 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia;

S. 400. A bill to permit the step-children of certain officers and employees of the United States to be admitted to the public schools of the District of Columbia without payment of tuition;

S. 401. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the healing art to protect the public health in the District of Columbia", approved February 27, 1929;

S. 402. A bill to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia;

S. 404. A bill to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes; and

S. 408. A bill to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair), under the order heretofore agreed to, referred to the appropriate committees certain nominations this day received from the President of the United States.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 31 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, January 10, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commisisons, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 3410, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF THE UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Civil Service:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by the act of Congress to regulate and improve the civil service of the United States, approved January 16, 1883, I transmit herewith the Fifty-first Annual Report of the United States Civil Service Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

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(NOTE: Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

LAWS OF THE THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE OF PUERTO RICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 23 of the act of Congress approved March 2, 1917, entitled "An act to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico, and for other purposes", I transmit herewith certified copies of laws and resolutions enacted by the Thirteenth Legislature of Puerto Rico, during its second regular session, February 12 to April 15, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 14, 1935.*

ORDINANCES ADOPTED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF PUERTO RICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 38 of the act of Congress approved March 2, 1917, entitled "An act to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico, and for other purposes", I transmit herewith certified copies of each of four ordinances adopted by the Public Service Commission of Puerto Rico. The ordinances are described in the accompanying letter from the Secretary of the Interior forwarding them to me.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 14, 1935.*

SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES PRISONERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, showing the names of persons employed under the appropriation for the support of United States prisoners, the annual rate of compensation paid to each, together with a description of their duties, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EXPENDITURES OF UNITED STATES COURT OF CUSTOMS AND PATENT APPEALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a statement of expenditures under appropriations for the United States Court of Customs and Patent Appeals for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, which, with the accompanying statement, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORT OF STATISTICAL STUDIES BY DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of statistical studies performed by the Department of Labor for other than Government activities, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

ANNUAL REPORT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Public Utilities Commission of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the official proceedings of the Commission for the year ended December 31, 1933, with other information relating to the regulation and operation of public utilities in the District coming under the jurisdiction of the Commission; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

GEORGETOWN BARGE, DOCK, ELEVATOR & RAILWAY CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a report of the Georgetown Barge, Dock, Elevator & Railway Co., transmitted, pursuant to law, for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City and County of Denver, Colo., urging the continuance of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation indefinitely; and

A resolution adopted at Flint, Mich., by the American Monetary Reform Association, favoring the enactment of legislation depriving banks organized for private profit of the right to issue money; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Graphic Arts Association, Houston-Galveston Region, of Houston, Tex., expressing appreciation for the recent enactment of legislation relating to mass mailings of advertising literature; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Synod of New Jersey at Atlantic City, N. J., favoring a continuation of the investigation of munitions manufacturers; to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and statement:

A resolution adopted by the New York State board of directors of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, of New York City, urging the early ratification of the World Court protocols; and

A statement of the managing director of the Louisiana Taxpayers Association, of New Orleans, La., relative to the distribution of the proceeds of a tax recently imposed on corporations in the State of Louisiana.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Maloney presented a resolution adopted by citizens of West Hartford, Conn., remonstrating against present religious intolerance in Mexico; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Minton presented a resolution adopted by Frankfort Division, No. 232, of the Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees favoring the enactment of legislation to modify section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit the railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Johnson presented a communication from the president of the American Coalition, of Washington, D. C., embodying a resolution adopted by the board of directors of that organization, remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wheeler presented a resolution adopted at Spokane, Wash., by the Northwest Mining Association favoring the immediate and unconditional remonetization of silver; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Costigan presented a petition of citizens of the State of Colorado praying the enactment of legislation to provide for emergency seed loans in 1935; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Council of the Medical Society of the State of New York remonstrating against compulsory health insurance and the regimentation of the medical profession and defining its position with respect to rendering medical services; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fletcher presented resolutions adopted by the Orlando Chapter of the Laymen's League of the Unitarian Church, of Orlando, and members of the student body, faculty, and staff of Rollins College, of Winter Park, in the State of Florida, favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce, of Hays, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation placing all classes of public carriers under the control and supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission;

A resolution adopted by the same organization favoring the repeal of the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act; and

Resolutions adopted by Local No. 292, International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders and Helpers of America, of Parsons, Division No. 192, and Division No. 112, Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Horton and Herington, respectively, in the State of Kansas, favoring the enactment of legislation modifying section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act to permit railroads to compete with other forms of unregulated transportation.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Bar Association of Franklin County, of Ottawa, Kans., favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF CONTINGENT EXPENSE COMMITTEE

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 20. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Appropriations to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 21. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Naval Affairs to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 24. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 38. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Interstate Commerce to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

S. Res. 40. Resolution to continue the investigation of the so-called "kick-back racket" in public works and construction.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the foregoing resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 37) authorizing the Committee on Finance to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment striking out, on lines 5 and 6, the words "currency, and coinage matters," having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 855) granting a pension to Emma H. Hughes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin:

A bill (S. 856) granting a pension to Ella W. Cleveland; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 857) to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 858) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 859) to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 860) for the relief of James Francis McDonald and Sarah Elizabeth McDonald; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Long:

A bill (S. 861) relative to the holding of terms of court in the fifth judicial circuit; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 862) for the relief of the Portland Iron Works; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 863) authorizing a preliminary examination of the lower Columbia River, with a view to the controlling of floods;

A bill (S. 864) to authorize preliminary examination and survey of De Poe Bay, Oreg.; and

A bill (S. 865) authorizing a survey of the Willamette River and its tributaries, in the State of Oregon, with a view to controlling floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 866) to provide for the appointment of additional district judges for the eastern and western districts of Missouri; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 867) providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 868) granting a pension to Mary A. Phillips; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 869) to improve the navigability of the Columbia River and its tributaries; to provide for the flood control of the Columbia River and its tributaries; to provide for reforestation and the use of marginal lands in the Columbia River Basin; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of the Columbia River Basin; to provide for the irrigation of lands in the Columbia River Basin; to provide for the development of electrical power in the Columbia River Basin; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 870) for the relief of Smith Wall; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 871) authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Alvin C. York as a major in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 872) for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 873) to prevent discriminations against American ships and ports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 874) to amend paragraph (1) of section 3, as amended February 28, 1920, and March 4, 1927 (U. S. C., title 49, sec. 3), of the Interstate Commerce Act (U. S. C., title 49, ch. 1); to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 875) for the relief of Michael F. Calnan;

A bill (S. 876) for the relief of Edgar Joseph Casey;

A bill (S. 877) to place William H. Clinton on the retired list of the Navy;

A bill (S. 878) for the relief of Ray Funcannon;

A bill (S. 879) for the relief of Denis Healy;

A bill (S. 880) for the relief of Dominick Edward Maggio;

A bill (S. 881) for the relief of Leo James McCoy;

A bill (S. 882) for the relief of Albert Lawrence Sliney;

A bill (S. 883) directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 64 years;

A bill (S. 884) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning; and

A bill (S. 885) to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 886) for the relief of Marino Ambrogi;

A bill (S. 887) for the relief of Edward T. Costello;

A bill (S. 888) for the relief of Joseph Gorman;

A bill (S. 889) for the relief of Albert A. Marquardt;

A bill (S. 890) for the relief of Michael J. Moran;

A bill (S. 891) for the relief of Hector H. Perry;

A bill (S. 892) providing for the promotion of certain officers and enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps when transferred from the active to the retired list;

A bill (S. 893) for the relief of Patrick J. Sullivan; and

A bill (S. 894) for the relief of Robert H. Wilder; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 895) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Atlantic Works, of Boston, Mass.;

A bill (S. 896) for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

A bill (S. 897) for the relief of the estate of Milton L. Baxter;

A bill (S. 898) for the relief of the Central Dredging Co.;

A bill (S. 899) for the relief of John J. Corcoran;

A bill (S. 900) for the relief of Arthur K. Finney;

A bill (S. 901) for the relief of Manuel Gonsalves;

A bill (S. 902) for the relief of William Hensley;

A bill (S. 903) for the relief of the Holyoke Ice Co.;

A bill (S. 904) for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee;

A bill (S. 905) for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

A bill (S. 906) for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers;

A bill (S. 907) for the relief of M. Grace Murphy;

A bill (S. 908) for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

A bill (S. 909) for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

A bill (S. 910) for the relief of Bertram Rich;

A bill (S. 911) for the relief of Thelma Lucy Rounds;

A bill (S. 912) for the relief of Louise St. Gez, executrix of Auguste Ferre, deceased, surviving partner of Lapene & Ferre;

A bill (S. 913) for the relief of Dean Scott;

A bill (S. 914) for the relief of Tom Small;

A bill (S. 915) for the relief of William R. Smith;

A bill (S. 916) to carry into effect the decisions of the Court of Claims in favor of claimants in French spoliation cases not heretofore paid;

A bill (S. 917) for the relief of the estate of John Stewart, deceased;

A bill (S. 918) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Union Iron Works; and

A bill (S. 919) for the relief of James P. Whalen; to the Committee on Claims:

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 920) for the relief of Ruth J. Barnes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 921) for the relief of C. J. Mast; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 922) to provide for the erection of a public historical museum in the Custer Battlefield National Cemetery, Mont.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 923) granting a pension to Frank T. Douglas, alias Lewis Calhoun; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 924) to provide for the election of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 925) to carry into effect the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of William W. Danenhower; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 926) to repeal Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 927) to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 928) for the relief of Rene Hooge;

A bill (S. 929) for the relief of the Southern Products Co.;

A bill (S. 930) for the relief of First Lt. Francis H. Kuhn; and

A bill (S. 931) for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 933) to provide for an investigation and report of losses resulting from the campaign for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruit fly by the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 934) for the relief of Bertram Lee Schoonmaker; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 935) to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 936) for the relief of Bertram Lee Schoonmaker; and

A bill (S. 937) for the relief of the J. M. Dooley Fireproof Warehouse Corporation, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 938) creating the World War Memorial Commission and providing for the erection, in Washington, of a memorial to the soldiers, sailors, and marines of the United States who lost their lives in the World War; and

A bill (S. 939) making an appropriation to carry out the national memorial construction program of the Veterans' Memorial Grove Association of Orange County, N. Y.; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 940) to provide for the further carrying out of the award of the National War Labor Board of July 31, 1918, in favor of certain employees of the Bethlehem Steel Co., Bethlehem, Pa.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 941) for the relief of William J. Cocke; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 942) granting a pension to Wilbur N. Fisher; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 943) to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act;

A bill (S. 944) to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act; and

A bill (S. 945) to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 946) to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana"; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A bill (S. 947) for the relief of James A. Boone; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 948) for the relief of Halvor H. Groven;

A bill (S. 949) for the relief of R. R. Purcell;

A bill (S. 950) authorizing the Court of Claims to investigate and determine the facts in connection with the claim of the First National Bank of Billings, Mont.;

A bill (S. 951) for the relief of Mrs. Guy A. McConoha; and

A bill (S. 952) for the relief of Zelma Halverson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 953) granting an increase of pension to Catherine A. Riley;

A bill (S. 954) granting a pension to Jerry M. Humphrey;

A bill (S. 955) granting a pension to Clara Stuart;

A bill (S. 956) granting a pension to Waumdi Duba (Red Eagle);

A bill (S. 957) granting a pension to James A. Boone;

A bill (S. 958) granting a pension to Joseph E. Williams;

A bill (S. 959) granting a pension to Marie Taylor;

A bill (S. 960) granting a pension to John Ransom;

A bill (S. 961) granting a pension to Daniel S. J. Leif;

A bill (S. 962) granting a pension to Jens A. Jepsen;

A bill (S. 963) granting a pension to Caroline Henkel;

A bill (S. 964) granting an increase of pension to Dora White;

A bill (S. 965) granting an increase of pension to Louise Hatch;

A bill (S. 966) granting a pension to Carl A. Grant;

A bill (S. 967) granting a pension to certain Indians on the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation;

A bill (S. 968) granting a pension to certain Indians, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 969) granting a pension to Emma L. Long;

A bill (S. 970) granting a pension to Louis E. Supernant;

A bill (S. 971) granting a pension to Henry Archdale, Sr.; and

A bill (S. 972) granting a pension to Mary Lange; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 973) for the relief of Emma Susan McMurdo; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 974) for the relief of Charles E. Bryant; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 975) granting a pension to James C. Neff; and

A bill (S. 976) granting a pension to Golda Stump Darr; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 977) to deprive persons hereafter naturalized under the laws of the United States of their citizenship upon commission of a felony, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 978) authorizing the Secretary of War to convey to the University of Oregon certain lands forming a part of the Coos Head River and Harbor Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 979) authorizing the appointment and retirement of Terrell W. Hill as a second lieutenant, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 980) to provide for the selection of members of county and community committees under the Cotton Act of 1934; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 981) granting a pension to Harmon C. Harris; and

A bill (S. 982) granting a pension to Dorothy G. Johnson (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 983) for the relief of Grady D. Coleman; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 984) for the relief of the James River Bridge Corporation;

A bill (S. 985) for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.;

A bill (S. 986) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Emma A. Quillin;

A bill (S. 987) for the relief of Howard Lewter; and

A bill (S. 988) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Mary Cato; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 989) for the relief of James N. Hudson; and

A bill (S. 990) for the relief of Henry Bess, otherwise known as Lewis Russ and as Francis Smith; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 991) granting an increase of pension to Annie S. Wynne; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 992) for the relief of Albert Ralphaile Anastasio; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 993) directing the Comptroller General to adjust the account between the United States and the State of Connecticut; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McNary:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 27) to provide for allocation to private shipyards on the Pacific coast a fair share of the 50 percent allotted to private shipyards under naval construction bills passed by Congress; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 28) to authorize the several States to negotiate compacts or agreements to promote greater uniformity in the laws of such States affecting labor and industries; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 29) to authorize the erection of a monument to Queen Isabella; to the Committee on the Library.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 30) authorizing the issuance of a special postage stamp in honor of Brig. Gen. Thaddeus Kosciusko; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Murray:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 31) for the relief of farmers in the drought-stricken areas of Montana; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Van Nuys and Mr. Minton:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 32) authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Department of Agriculture employees outside United States; and Maryland National Capitol Park & Planning Commission; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

James L. Barnett; to the Committee on Civil Service.

Jacob G. Ackerman; E. A. Ahrens; John L. Alcock; Messrs. M. Aronin & Sons; Joe G. Baker; Bengol Trading Co.; Jessie Blout; Charles F. Bond; Bowers Southern Dredging Co.; Brown & Cunningham; August Burkett; Calvary Cemetery; Amos D. Carver; certain claims; certain disbursing officers, Army, four; George Chorpenning; H. P. Converse & Co.; Charles F. Cooley; William Cornwell; Cowtan & Tout; disbursing officers, private automobiles, October 12, 1927, to October 10, 1929; James F. Dubberly; A. W. Duckett & Co.; Epstein Underwear Co.; Etna Watch Co.; Emma Fein; Fidelity Trust Co.; First National Bank, Lake Village, Ark.; Frank R. Garner; Globe Shipping Co.; Louis Godick; James W. Green, Jr.; Emma Gregory; Henry Harrison Griffith; Yvonne Hale; James E. Haynes; Harry P. Hollidge; individual claims, Conservation Corps; International Mercantile Marine Co.; individual claims of military personnel, three; Jay Street Terminal; Dora M. Jeffery; H. Kaminski & Co.; A. and M. Karagheusian; Mary Kress, Levenson & Zenitz; Charles A. Lewis; B. Lindner & Bro., Inc.; A. H. Marshall; Robert L. Martin; Anna S. Matthews; Samuel H. McAlexander; Ethel Smith McDaniel; C. O. Meyer; J. Henery Miller; Carl L. Moore; Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co.; Herbert J. Myers, New York City; Lucretia Norris; North American Dredging Co.; officers, enlisted men, civilian employees of Army, hurricane, August 16, 17, 18, 1915; Fred Owens; Claud L. Pyle; Richard Riggles; Robbins Ripley Co.; H. L. Roberts & Co.; Mary E. Roney; James Rowland; Sanford & Brooks Co. (Inc.); St. Louis Southwestern Railway Co.; Schapiro Bros.; Joseph Schoenbach; Harold E. Seavey; Henry H. Sibley; William F. Slatton; Snare & Triest; Sorenson Co.; Sound Construction & Engineering Co. (Inc.); M. T. Stark (Inc.); Stein & Blaine; L. L. Stokes; Suncrest Orchards (Inc.); Lota Tidwell; Howard E. Tolson; Ada Mary Tornau; United Marble Co.; Valle & Co.; Velie Motor Corporation; Virginia Engineering Co. (Inc.); Marion Von Bruning; Lillian Stecher Waldecker; W. K. Webster & Co.; Western Electric; Clarence Winborn; Kate O'Donnell Wood; David A. Wright; and William Zeiss; to the Committee on Claims.

Roberta K. Dillon; to the Committee on Finance.

City of Baltimore, Md.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Oliver A. Barber; Miles Thomas Barrett; Henry Brown; William Burke; James W. Carmichael; Maj. E. P. Duval; Harry Flanery; Harrington F. Whitney; Alfred W. Kliefoth; Sarah Lloyd; James T. Moore; Isaac Pierce; Ira N. Saffell; Harold S. Shepardson; Benjamin H. Southern; Charlotte Taylor; Joseph M. Thomas; George Yusko; and Zinsser & Co.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Charles Edwin Doyle; Thomas S. Garen; and Sylvan M. Levy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Jessie B. Auer; Sidney H. Bailey; Elsie Blanchard; Eleanora Emma Bliss; Rachel A. Bosworth; Mary L. Bryant; Roland Burkhart; Fred Burns; Elizabeth Burrell; Annie Cantwell; Mary Coles; William Conley; Jesse Cotton; George W. Criss; Anna J. Darby; Elizabeth Dunn; William M. Forrest; Grace V. Foster; Nellie Fredericks; John Doane Gardiner; Mary A. Gillon; Sarah C. Hackleman; Susie D. Hanscome; Ernest J. Hollis; Norfleet Hughes; Abbie V. Hull; Annie Jones; Hosea M. Jones; Mary Amanda Jones; Lillian M. Johnson; Mary M. Joy; Martha W. Keeler; George W. King; Fannie B. Kinsella; Frederick L. Knicely; Lizzie Knight; Grace V. Lawrence; Nellie B. Leighton; Charles W. Locke; Elise M. Lum; Annie J. Maddox; Catherine Merritt; E. Corinne Miller; Ida Miller; William C. Milliner; Francis V. Morrill; Julia L. Morrison; Angie L. Moulton; George Neill; Barbara Oertel; Roy M. Osborne; Alice H. Palmer; Alice L. Preston; Laura I. Robinson; Mary Schlining; Lewis G. Simpson; Joanna A. Small; Warren A. Small; Josie M. Smart; Theta B. Spring; Charlie A. Stacks; Charlotte W. Stevens; Genoa Stewart; Margaret Thompson; Martha L. Trefethen; Mary G. Walsh; Lorenzo D. Walters; and Emma M. Webb; to the Committee on Pensions.

Big Dry Wash Battle, Arizona; Helena, Ark., Battle; W. I. Johnson; and Yosemite National Park, Calif.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

HANDBOOK OF LABOR STATISTICS

Mr. Wagner submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 44), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved, That the Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1935 edition, be printed as a Senate document with an index in such form and style as may be directed by the Committee on Printing; and that 3,000 additional copies be printed for the use of the Senate document room.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 45), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Education and Labor, or any subcommittee thereof, is hereby authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and employ a stenographer at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT CLERK FOR COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 46), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Education and Labor hereby is authorized to employ for the remainder of the session of the Senate an assistant clerk, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at the rate of $2,000 per annum.

DECEMBER CORNER IN SUGAR

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 41) requesting certain information from the Secretary of Agriculture concerning the 1934 Cuban sugar crop and the alleged December corner in sugar futures.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution, and having been modified by Mr. Vandenberg,

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to as follows:

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture is requested to report to the Senate (a) all the information at the disposal of the Department and the Agricultural Adjustment Administration respecting the so-called "corner" in December sugar futures, and the ultimate results as found by these Government agencies and by the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange; (b) the history of any dealings the Department of Agriculture or the Agricultural Adjustment Administration may have had with the merchandising of the 1934 Cuban sugar quota in the United States; (c) the names of all so-called "long" and "short" traders in December sugar futures on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, if available; (d) the names of the members of the board of directors and of the managers of the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, and of the personnel of the Cuban Sugar Stabilization Institute; (e) the names of any banks or other financial institutions in the United States known to the Department or the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to have been connected with financing, or refusing to finance, the 1934 Cuban sugar crop; (f) the effect, if any, of Cuban price decrees and of the so-called "corner" in December futures upon the sugar-price index in the United States; and (g) any other available information bearing upon additional legislation that may be needed to safeguard the objective of the Jones-Costigan Act or to control commodity dealings on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange.

The preamble was stricken out.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

Pending the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 1 o'clock and 3 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following resolution (H. Res. 51), which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. Anthony J. Griffin, a Representative from the State of New York.

Resolved, That a committee of four Members of the House with such Members of the Senate as may be joined, be appointed to attend the funeral.

Resolved, That the Sergeant at Arms of the House be authorized and directed to take such steps as may be necessary for carrying out the provision of these resolutions and that the necessary expenses in connection therewith be paid out of the contingent fund of the House.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect the House do now adjourn.

WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court, transmitted to the Senate by the President on December 10, 1930,

Pending which,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of January 14, 1935, was approved.

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR-ELECT FROM VERMONT

Mr. McNary presented the credentials of Warren R. Austin, duly chosen a Senator by the qualified electors of the State of Vermont for the term beginning January 3, 1935, which were ordered to be placed on file.

BOARD OF VISITORS TO NAVAL ACADEMY

The Vice President, in accordance with the provisions of the act of August 29, 1916, appointed Mr. Dieterich, Mr. Russell, Mr. Metcalf, and Mr. Davis as members of the Board of Visitors on the part of the Senate to visit the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.

REPORT OF FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, including statements showing permits and licenses issued, the parties thereto, the terms prescribed, the moneys received, and the names and compensation of the members and employees of the Commission; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

MORNING BUSINESS

By unanimous consent, morning business was transacted, as follows:

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York, favoring the Federal regulation of milk produced in other States and marketed within the State of New York under similar regulations applied by the State to milk produced within its borders;

A resolution adopted by the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, memorializing Congress to pass Federal legislation for the control and eradication of field bindweed; and

Resolutions adopted by the Surety National Farm Loan Association, of Dodge, Nebr., favoring a permanent rate of 4-percent interest on farm mortgages made through the Federal Farm Credit System and a thorough investigation of the meat-packing business in the United States to bring about an equitable readjustment in the livestock industry as it affects the producer and consumer; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the same association memorializing Congress to retrieve from private owners the power of coining and regulating money; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted at Somerset, Pa., by the State convention of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, favoring the registration of all aliens and the deportation of those failing within 90 days therefrom to declare their intention of citizenship; and

A resolution adopted by the same organization remonstrating against any change in the jurisdiction of cases relating to aliens who believe in communism or anarchy; to the Committee on Immigration.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York, memorializing Congress to consider legislation looking to either taking all profits out of war or putting the business of manufacturing munitions of war solely in the hands of the Government; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York, memorializing Congress to take appropriate action designating Floyd Bennett Field Airport in Brooklyn, N. Y., as an Air Mail Service station for New York City and environs; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and a petition of Vincent Jos. Klus, of New York City, praying the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) presented numerous petitions of citizens of the State of Maryland, praying the publication at Government expense of all testimony taken by the Federal Communications Commission, Broadcast Division, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Borah presented similar petitions of numerous citizens of the State of Idaho; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma presented similar petitions of citizens of the State of Oklahoma; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Copeland presented resolutions adopted by Young Emmet Council, of Yonkers, and Padraic Pearce Council, of Rochester, of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, remonstrating against certain utterances of the American Ambassador to Great Britain, and favoring an American policy of no entangling alliances with a foreign nation; which were referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Copeland presented resolutions adopted by the New York State Board of Directors of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, of New York City, favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols and urging the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution adopted by the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, memorializing Congress to enact legislation for the control and eradication of field bindweed; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Wagner presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to consider legislation looking to either taking all profit out of war, or putting the business of manufacturing munitions of war solely in the hands of the Government; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution favoring the Federal regulation of milk produced in other States and marketed within the State of New York under similar regulations as applied by the State to milk produced within its borders; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to take appropriate action designating Floyd Bennett Field Airport in Brooklyn, N. Y., as an Air Mail Service station for the city of New York and its environs; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Wagner presented resolutions adopted by the American Legion Auxiliary Unit of Rockville Center Post, No. 303, favoring the establishment and maintenance at appropriate points in the United States of suitable cemeteries for the burial of deceased war veterans and making Armistice Day a national holiday; which were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Liberal, Kans., favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Schall presented resolutions adopted by the Board of Commissioners and the Agricultural Drought Committee of Marshall County, of Warren, Minn., favoring feed and seed loans to farmers in western Marshall County, Minn.; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Davis presented a numerously signed petition of citizens of the State of Pennsylvania, favoring the publication of hearings and the report of the Federal Communications Commission on radiobroadcasting programs, which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF CONTINGENT EXPENSE COMMITTEE

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 39) authorizing the appointment of additional assistant clerks to certain Senators, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 16. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Elizabeth Tenner;

S. Res. 19. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Eliza J. Sellers; and

S. Res. 26. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Blanche A. Hall.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. McCarran,

Ordered, That the Committee on Civil Service be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

S. 345. A bill to repeal Government wage cuts as of January 1, 1935, and for other purposes; and

S. 346. A bill to restore the basic rate of compensation of Federal officers and employees.

On motion by Mr. Logan,

Ordered, That the Committee on Commerce be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 230) to amend the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 by including the Cumberland River and its basin within the provisions of the act, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

On motion by Mr. Gore,

Ordered, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 26) to prohibit the shipment in interstate and foreign commerce of petroleum and the products of petroleum produced in contravention of State laws, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

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AMENDMENT OF PENAL LAWS

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 10) to amend the penal laws of the United States.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the said bill be postponed indefinitely.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 994) to regulate sales in interstate commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Glass:

A bill (S. 995) to amend section 12 (b) of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 996) for the relief of the legal representatives of the estate of Henry H. Sibley, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 997) to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Coolidge:

A bill (S. 998) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of George Lawley & Son Corporation, of Boston, Mass.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 999) for the relief of Judson B. Isbester;

A bill (S. 1000) for the relief of Anton C. Miller; and

A bill (S. 1001) for the relief of Frederick H. Pollman; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1002) granting a pension to William H. Owen;

A bill (S. 1003) granting a pension to Mary Webb;

A bill (S. 1004) granting a pension to Bessie Kirkman; and

A bill (S. 1005) granting a pension to Josephine Morton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin (for Mr. Gibson):

A bill (S. 1006) granting a pension to Lottie Rumrill; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1007) for the relief of Charles Murphy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 1008) for the relief of the Fairmont Creamery Co., of Omaha, Nebr.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1009) for the relief of George W. Baker; and

A bill (S. 1010) for the relief of Fred Edward Nordstrom; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1011) granting a pension to Benjamin C. Reeve; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1012) for the relief of Ed Symes and wife, Elizabeth Symes, and certain other citizens of the State of Texas; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1013) for the relief of Benjamin F. Hazlett; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1014) granting a pension to Elizabeth Jane Catron Mills Young; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 1015) to authorize the issuance of a special series of stamps commemorative of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Michigan into the Union; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1016) to empower the health officer of the District of Columbia to authorize the opening of graves, and the disinterment and reinterment of dead bodies, in cases where death has been caused by certain contagious diseases; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1017) for the relief of Jasper J. Hammer and Sarah A. Hammer; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1018) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 1019) to define, regulate, and license real-estate brokers and real-estate salesmen; to create a real-estate commission in the District of Columbia; to protect the public against fraud in real-estate transactions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 1020) authorizing the Southern Ute and the Ute Mountain Bands of Ute Indians, located in Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico, to sue in the Court of Claims; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1021) to provide for additional water supply for the Utah National Guard training camp on the Jordan Narrows Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1022) authorizing the purchase of certain lands within the State of Utah; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 1023) to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1024) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1025) granting a pension to Martha E. Burrell; and

A bill (S. 1026) granting a pension to Mary Lee Pryor (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1027) for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood;

A bill (S. 1028) for the relief of Drew N. Keever; and

A bill (S. 1029) for the relief of John J. Tatum; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 1030) for the relief of the Mutual Savings & Loan Association, Wilmington, Del.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1031) granting a pension to Silman G. Brogan; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A bill (S. 1032) for the relief of Lula E. Simmons; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 1033) to authorize the Attorney General to investigate and sue for recovery of refunds of income taxes unlawfully paid or allowed; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1034) to encourage and revive export trade in agricultural products of the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1035) granting a pension to Ann E. Richards; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1036) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;

A bill (S. 1037) authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

A bill (S. 1038) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

A bill (S. 1039) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the West India Oil Co.;

A bill (S. 1040) for the relief of George W. Miller (with an accompanying paper);

A bill (S. 1041) for the relief of Cohen, Goldman & Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 1042) for the relief of J. R. Collie and Eleanor Y. Collie;

A bill (S. 1043) to provide for the settlement of claims against the United States on account of property damage, personal injury, or death;

A bill (S. 1044) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.;

A bill (S. 1045) for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

A bill (S. 1046) for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;

A bill (S. 1047) authorizing the adjustment of the claim of the Moffat Coal Co.;

A bill (S. 1048) for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;

A bill (S. 1049) for the relief of L. E. Baumgarten;

A bill (S. 1050) to authorize and direct the Comptroller General of the United States to allow credit in the amount of $921 to Hon. Matthew E. Hanna, former American Minister to Nicaragua;

A bill (S. 1051) for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

A bill (S. 1052) for the relief of the Washington Post Co.;

A bill (S. 1053) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.;

A bill (S. 1054) authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.;

A bill (S. 1055) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

A bill (S. 1056) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.;

A bill (S. 1057) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.;

A bill (S. 1058) for the relief of Charles L. Kee;

A bill (S. 1059) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Francis B. Kennedy;

A bill (S. 1060) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Adelphia Bank & Trust Co.;

A bill (S. 1061) authorizing the United States Employees' Compensation Commission to consider the claim of Martin Luther Mauney; and

A bill (S. 1062) for the relief of James R. Young; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1063) for the relief of Charles L. Graves; and

A bill (S. 1064) for the relief of Albert Gonzales; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1065) to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead entrymen; and

A bill (S. 1066) to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements, to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1067) to extend the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the relief of Indians occupying railroad lands in Arizona, New Mexico, and California", approved March 4, 1913, as extended by the acts of April 11, 1916, June 30, 1919, and March 10, 1928; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1068) to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the Convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 33) providing that it shall be unlawful, unless otherwise provided by act of Congress or by proclamation of the President, to export to any country violating the terms of the pact of Paris arms, munitions, implements of war, or other articles for use in war, or to make any such trade or financial arrangements with the violating country or its nationals as in the judgment of the President may be used to strengthen or maintain the violation; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

ACCEPTANCE OF STATUES OF CAESAR RODNEY AND JOHN M. CLAYTON

Mr. Townsend submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 4), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware and placed in Statuary Hall, are accepted in the name of the United States, and that the thanks of Congress be tendered the State for the contribution of the statues of two of its most eminent citizens whose names are so thoroughly identified with the State and Nation.

Resolved further, That a copy of these resolutions suitably engrossed and duly authenticated be transmitted to the Governor of Delaware.

STATUES OF CAESAR RODNEY AND JOHN M. CLAYTON

Mr. Townsend submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 5), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there be printed, with illustrations, and bound, in such form and style as may be directed by the Joint Committee on Printing, 3,500 copies of the proceedings in Congress, together with the proceedings at the unveiling in the rotunda of the Capitol, and such other matter as may be relevant thereto, upon the acceptance of the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware, of which 500 shall be for the use of the Senate and 1,150 for the use of the House of Representatives, and the remaining 1,850 copies shall be for the use and distribution of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of Delaware.

The Joint Committee on Printing is hereby authorized to have this copy prepared for the Public Printer and shall procure suitable illustrations to be published with these proceedings.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON TERRITORIES AND INSULAR AFFAIRS

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 47), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee or any subcommittee thereof may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION

Mr. Coolidge submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 48), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Immigration, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

FINANCING OF MAYFLOWER HOTEL CO., WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. King submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 49), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That Senate Resolution No. 231, Seventy-third Congress, second session, agreed to June 13, 1934, is hereby continued in full force and effect until the expiration of the Seventy-fourth Congress, and the limit of expenditures to be made under authority of such resolution is hereby increased by $1,000.

ADDITIONAL CLERK FOR COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. Pittman submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 50), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations is authorized to appoint one additional clerk to serve until the expiration of the present session of the Congress, and to be paid a salary at the rate of $1,800 per annum out of the contingent fund of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY

Mr. Smith submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 51), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, or any subcommittee thereof, is hereby authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any sessions or recesses of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 52), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Military Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per one hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Mr. Bailey submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 53), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Claims or any subcommittee thereof be, and hereby is, authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during sessions or recesses of the Senate.

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON WORLD WAR VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following notice in writing:

In compliance with the terms of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to offer a resolution to amend rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate by adding after the paragraph in said rule reading as follows: "Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to consist of 17 Senators," a new paragraph reading as follows: "Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, to consist of 17 Senators."

DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE GRIFFIN, OF NEW YORK

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) laid before the Senate the resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing the death of Hon. Anthony J. Griffin, late a Representative from the State of New York.

Mr. Copeland thereupon submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 54), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Anthony J. Griffin, late a Representative from the State of New York.

Resolved, That a committee of two Senators be appointed by the Vice President to join the committee appointed on the part of the House of Representatives to attend the funeral of the deceased Representative.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

The Presiding Officer, in accordance with the second provision of the resolution, appointed Mr. Copeland and Mr. Wagner as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased Representative,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Tuesday, January 15, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Norris raised a question as to the presence of a quorum; Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

THE WORLD COURT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

The movement to make international justice practicable and serviceable is not subject to partisan considerations. For years Republican and Democratic administrations and party platforms alike have advocated a court of justice to which nations might voluntarily bring their disputes for judicial decisions.

To give concrete realization to this obviously sound and thoroughly American policy, I hope that at an early date the Senate will advise and consent to the adherence by the United States to the Protocol of Signature of the Statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated December 16, 1920, the Protocol for the Revision of the Statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated September 14, 1929, and the Protocol for the Accession of the United States of America to the Protocol of Signature of the Statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, dated September 14, 1929, all of which were submitted to the Senate December 10, 1930.

I urge that the Senate's consent be given in such form as not to defeat or to delay the objective of adherence.

The sovereignty of the United States will be in no way diminished or jeopardized by such action. At this period in international relationships, when every act is of moment to the future of world peace, the United States has an opportunity once more to throw its weight into the scale in favor of peace.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 16, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message lie on the table and be printed.

REPORT OF GOVERNOR GENERAL OF PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 21 of the act of Congress approved August 29, 1916, entitled "An act to declare the purpose of the people of the United States as to the future political status of the people of the Philippine Islands, and to provide a more autonomous government for those islands", I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the report of the Governor General of the Philippine Islands for the calendar year 1933, together with appendixes, consisting of abridged reports of the heads of the six departments of the Philippine government for the calendar year 1933.

I concur in the recommendation of the Secretary of War that this report and its appendixes be printed as a congressional document.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 16, 1935.*

(NOTE: Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

ACTS OF NINTH PHILIPPINE LEGISLATURE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying documents, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 19 of the act of Congress approved August 29, 1916, entitled "An act to declare the purpose of the people of the United States as to the future political status of the people of the Philippine Islands, and to provide a more autonomous government for those islands", I transmit herewith a copy of Act No. 4104, passed by the Ninth Philippine Legislature at its third session, and a set of the laws and resolutions enacted by the Ninth Philippine Legislature during its third special session, from April 30 to May 5, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 16, 1935.*

AMENDMENT OF VETERANS' REGULATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 20, title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, I am transmitting herewith Executive Orders No. 6775 (Veterans' Regulation No. 6 (c)) and No. 6776 (Veterans' Regulation No. 8 (a)), approved by me June 30, 1934.

Executive Order No. 6775 amends Executive Order No. 6566 (Veterans' Regulation No. 6 (b)), January 19, 1934, and Executive Order No. 6776 effected the cancelation of Executive Order No. 6096, March 31, 1933.

These regulations were promulgated in accordance with the terms of title I, Public, No. 2, Seventy-third Congress, "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government."

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 16, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying papers, lie on the table.

RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISING INSPECTORS, STEAMBOAT INSPECTION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of the General Rules and Regulations Prescribed by the Board of Supervising Inspectors, Steamboat Inspection, together with supplements for the years 1932, 1933, and 1934, and stating that the supplement covering the new boiler rules adopted by an executive committee of the Board and approved by the Secretary of Commerce would be transmitted later; which, with the accompanying documents, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPORT OF CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the vice president of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the company for the year ended December 31, 1934, the results of the operations for December being estimated; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Woman Citizens' Union of New Orleans, La., praying a continuance of the investigation of munitions manufacturers; to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Cambridge, Mass., memorializing Congress to enact legislation authorizing the immediate payment of the so-called "veterans' bonus"; to the Committee on Finance.

A communication from the chairman of the Harlem Labor Committee, transmitting a resolution adopted at a labor mass meeting in New York City condemning lynch and mob law and favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of the Woman Citizens' Union of New Orleans, La., urging the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented a petition of the Council of Administration, National Association of Letter Carriers, praying the repeal of legislation reducing salaries of postal and other Government employees; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of citizens of Marshall County, Kans., praying the passage of the so-called "Frazier-Lemke" refinancing and cost-of-production bills, relating to agricultural relief; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Glass, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 12) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 36) to print additional copies of the report of the Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, Seventy-third Congress, second session, on Stock Exchange Practices, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1069) to advance Commander Alfred H. Miles to the grade of captain on the active list of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 1070) for the relief of William A. Thompson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1071) granting a pension to H. Emma Streepy; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1072) for the relief of Earl N. Everson; and

A bill (S. 1073) for the relief of Louis Finger; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 1074) for the relief of Anna Ventrone; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1075) for the relief of Louis H. Cordis; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1076) relating to the Oregon-Washington Bridge Board of Trustees; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1077) to further extend the time in which the States of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, and Wyoming may enter into a compact or agreement respecting the disposition and apportionment of the waters of the Columbia River and its tributaries; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1078) to provide that transferors for collection of negotiable instruments shall be preferred creditors of national banks in certain cases; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1079) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1080) making provisions in reference to personal injury suits by seamen; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1081) granting a pension to Mary L. Robinson; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1082) for the reinstatement of John Carmichael Williams in the United States Navy; and

A bill (S. 1083) for the relief of Cecil M. Autrey; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1084) for the relief of W. F. Lueders;

A bill (S. 1085) for the relief of W. G. McGee;

A bill (S. 1086) for the relief of Mamie Randel;

A bill (S. 1087) for the relief of the Southern Products Co.;

A bill (S. 1088) for the relief of J. H. Bowling;

A bill (S. 1089) for the relief of Arthur N. Knofft;

A bill (S. 1090) for the relief of Amy McLaurin;

A bill (S. 1091) for the relief of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Gilmer, Tex.;

A bill (S. 1092) for the relief of First Lt. Francis H. Kuhn; and

A bill (S. 1093) for the relief of the heirs of Frank Boddeker; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1094) for the relief of Claude C. Martin;

A bill (S. 1095) for the relief of the officers of the Russian Railway Service Corps organized by the War Department under authority of the President of the United States for service during the war with Germany; and

A bill (S. 1096) authorizing the appointment of Roy M. Kisner as a captain, Dental Corps, Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 1097) to amend the naval record of Kenneth A. Kellogg, alias Frank Barry; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1098) to exempt the mining claims of disabled veterans from the requirements that labor be performed or improvements made on them; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A bill (S. 1099) for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;

A bill (S. 1100) for the relief of the estate of Regnor Dahl;

A bill (S. 1101) for the relief of H. M. Thatcher; and

A bill (S. 1102) conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Alta Melvin and Tommy Melvin; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1103) for the relief of William K. Beldin;

A bill (S. 1104) for the relief of Herman Wulff; and

A bill (S. 1105) for the relief of Presly Holliday, quartermaster sergeant, Quartermaster Corps, on the retired list, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1106) granting a pension to Elmer K. Corbett;

A bill (S. 1107) for the relief of Sarah E. Thompson;

A bill (S. 1108) granting a pension to Jacob R. Stiltner; and

A bill (S. 1109) granting a pension to John W. Ferwerda; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Townsend:

A bill (S. 1110) for the relief of A. Randolph Holladay; and

A bill (S. 1111) for the relief of Alfred L. Hudson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1112) authorizing the appropriation of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to refund payments made to the collector of taxes of the District of Columbia for illegally assessed taxes for paving roadways or laying curbs or gutters in the District of Columbia, including penalties charged and paid, as may on the date of approval of this act be legally due Paving Tax Refund Corporation of the District of Columbia, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Arizona; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1113) for the relief of John A. Flagg; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 1114) extending the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1115) to amend section 5219 of the Revised Statutes, as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1116) authorizing the establishment of a filing and indexing service for useful Government publications; to the Committee on the Library.

A bill (S. 1117) authorizing the sale of Army rifles to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Duffy and Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 1118) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to refund to the Bankers Reserve Life Co., of Omaha, Nebr., and the Wisconsin National Life Insurance Co., of Oshkosh, Wis., income taxes illegally paid to the United States Treasury; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Black:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 34) authorizing the improvement of the Lee Highway between Muscle Shoals and Norris Dam; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

COMMITTEE ON WORLD WAR VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 55), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate be, and the same hereby is, amended by adding after the paragraph reading as follows: "Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to consist of 17 Senators", a new paragraph reading as follows: "Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, to consist of 17 Senators."

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Mediterranean fruit fly; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Adelphia Bank & Trust Co.; Atlantic Works; L. E. Baumgarten; Milton L. Baxter; Central Dredging Co.; William J. Cocke; Cohen, Goldman & Co.; J. R. Collie and Eleanor Y. Collie; Concrete Engineering Co.; John J. Corcoran; A. Cyril Crilley; William W. Danenhower; J. M. Dooley; Robert J. Enochs; First National Bank, Billings, Mont.; Mrs. George F. Freeman; French Spoliation; Elda Geer; Albert Gonzales; Charles L. Graves; Halvor H. Groven; Dr. R. N. Harwood; William Hensley; Rene Hooge; International Manufacturers Sales Co.; E. Jeanmonod; Edwin C. Jenney (two); Charles L. Kee; Drew N. Keever; First Lt. Francis H. Kuhn; George Lawley & Sons Corporation; Edith N. Lindquist; C. J. Mast; Martin Luther Mauney; Sanford McAlister and Eliza McAlister; Mrs. Guy A. McConoha; James Francis McDonald and Sarah Elizabeth McDonald; George W. Miller; Moffat Coal Co.; M. Grace Murphy; Mutual Savings & Loan Association; Portland Iron Works; Public Service Coordinated Transport; R. R. Purcell; Bertram Rich; Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.; Dr. George W. Ritchey; Tom Small; William R. Smith; Southern Products Co.; Frank Spector; John Stewart; Ed Symes; John J. Tatum; Union Iron Works; Washington Post Co.; Western Union Telegraph Co.; West India Oil Co.; White Bros. & Co.; and James R. Young; to the Committee on Claims.

American ships and ports; to the Committee on Commerce.

Emma Susan McMurdo; to the Committee on Finance.

Relief of Indians occupying railroad lands; and Southern Ute and Ute Mountain; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Marino Ambrogi, George W. Baker, Ruth J. Barnes, Grady D. Coleman, Edward T. Costello, Joseph Gorman, Benjamin F. Hazlett, Judson B. Isbester, Jordan Narrows Military Reservation, Albert A. Marquardt, Anton C. Miller, Michael J. Moran, Charles Murphy, Fred Edward Nordstrom, Hector H. Perry, Frederick H. Pollman, Patrick J. Sullivan, Robert H. Wilder, and Alvin C. York; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Leo James McCoy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

James A. Boone, Martha E. Burrell, Ella W. Cleveland, Golda Stump Darr, Frank T. Douglas, Carl A. Grant, Harmon C. Harris, Caroline Henkel, Emma H. Hughes, Jerry M. Humphrey, Jens A. Jepsen, Dorothy G. Johnson, Bessie Kirkman, Mary Lange, Emma L. Long, Josephine Morton, James C. Neff, William H. Owen, Mary Lee Pryor, John Ransom, Benjamin C. Reeve, Ann E. Richards, Catherine A. Riley, Lottie Rumrill, Louis E. Supernant, Marie Taylor, Duba Waumdi, Dora White, Joseph E. Williams, and Elizabeth Jane Catron Mills Young; to the Committee on Pensions.

Custer Battlefield; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

ELIZABETH PURTILL O'BRIEN

On motion by Mr. Couzens, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the bill (S. 3308, 73d Cong.) for the relief of the estate of Elizabeth Purtill O'Brien be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse report having been made thereon.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 39) authorizing the appointment of additional assistant clerks to certain Senators, and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That each Senator may appoint one assistant clerk to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at $1,500 per annum until the end of the present session of Congress.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

SENATOR FROM NEW MEXICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from J. W. Gum, of Washington, D. C., submitting a notice served by Dennis Chavez upon Hon. Bronson M. Cutting of his intention to contest the right of the latter to a seat in the Senate for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

INDUSTRIAL PRICES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 17, agreed to January 7, 1935, a report prepared by Gardiner C. Means, economic adviser on finance, touching the subject of industrial prices and their relative inflexibility; which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to lie on the table and be printed, with illustrations.

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the activities and expenditures of the Administration for the month of September 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to lie on the table.

COST-ASCERTAINMENT REPORT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Postmaster General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the cost of carrying and handling the several classes of mail matter and of performing the special services for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following memorials:

A resolution adopted at Miami, Fla., by the Military Order of the World War remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols or the entrance of the United States into the League of Nations; and

A resolution adopted by Wayne County Post, No. 3200, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Jesup, Ga., condemning the action of certain persons in that State who are purported to have left for Washington, D. C., to excite sympathy in favor of the payment of adjusted-service certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma presented resolutions adopted at a national monetary conference held in Washington, D. C., demanding that the 12 Federal Reserve banks be converted into a new central bank, Government owned and Government operated, with the merger of all present functions, powers, and services, for the Federal issue and control of all credit and currency, including demand bank deposits, together with certain other monetary legislation and the payment in full of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

Concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York, as follows:

A concurrent resolution favoring the Federal regulation of milk produced in other States and marketed within the State of New York under similar regulations applied by the State to milk produced within its borders; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to consider legislation looking to either taking all profits out of war or putting the business of manufacturing munitions of war solely in the hands of the Government; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York, memorializing Congress to take appropriate action designating Floyd Bennett Field Airport in Brooklyn, N. Y., as an Air Mail Service station for New York City and environs; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Resolutions adopted by Warren G. Harding Council No. 118, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Mineola, and the North Side Council of United Unemployed of Nassau County, of Williston Park, Long Island, in the State of New York favoring the registration of aliens and their deportation if failing to become citizens, and for a tax of 30 percent on money sent out of this country by aliens to any foreign country; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Orange, N. J., urging the appropriation of sufficient funds to provide for loans by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation on certain properties heretofore advertised for sale in that city for tax arrears; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Schall presented a communication, with an accompanying newspaper clipping, from Archie Johnson, of Mound, Minn., relative to the payment of World War adjusted-service certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A statement of recommendations for legislation by Congress adopted at Hartford, Conn., at the annual session of the National Grange, relating to agricultural relief and other measures; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the Ladies Society of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen's Lodge No. 428, of Emporia, Kans., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 859) to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 13) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 8) authorizing an additional expenditure in the investigation of the munitions industry, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the special committee appointed by the Vice President, under authority of Senate Resolution 206, agreed to on April 12, 1934, to investigate the munitions industry, hereby is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate $50,000 in addition to the amount here-

tofore authorized to be expended for the purposes set forth in said resolution: *Provided*, That the committee is requested to report to the Senate, on or before April 1, recommendations for legislation at this session of Congress based upon the inquiry to the date of such report.

Mr. Bachman, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 45. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 47. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 48. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Immigration to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 51. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 52. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Military Affairs to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

S. Res. 53. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Claims to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1119) for the relief of George W. Stout;

A bill (S. 1120) for the relief of J. P. Nawrath & Co., Inc.;

A bill (S. 1121) for the relief of Isidor Greenspan;

A bill (S. 1122) for the relief of the Delaware Bay Shipbuilding Co.; and

A bill (S. 1123) for the relief of William Sulem; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1124) for the relief of Anna Carroll Taussig; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1125) to correct the naval record of John Charles Rosepiler; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1126) for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1127) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay subcontractors for material and labor furnished in the construction of Government buildings at Fort Myer, Va.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 1128) to add certain lands to the Humboldt National Forest; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 1129) to provide for the extension and completion of the United States Capitol; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 1131) relating to bad debts of national banking associations; and

A bill (S. 1132) relating to the insurance of loans for the payment of medical and dental services; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1133) relating to the eligibility of certain persons for admission to the civil service; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1134) to amend the naturalization laws with respect to records of registry and residence abroad; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 1135) for the relief of Alice F. Martin, widow, and two minor children; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1136) to carry into effect the finding of the Court of Claims in the claim of Elizabeth B. Eddy;

A bill (S. 1137) for the relief of the Security Trust Co. of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.;

A bill (S. 1138) for the relief of Art Metal Construction Co. with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income or profits taxes paid to the United States for the calendar year 1918 in excess of the amount of taxes lawfully due for such period; and

A bill (S. 1139) for the relief of Henry C. Zeller and Edward G. Zeller with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income tax paid to the United States for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1916, and ending September 30, 1917, in excess of the amount of tax lawfully due for such period; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1140) for the relief of Anthony J. De Amara; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1141) granting a pension to Elizabeth H. Camp; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 1142) to reserve certain public domain lands in Nevada and Oregon as a grazing reserve for Indians of Fort McDermitt, Nev.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1143) to restore, as of January 1, 1935, Government salaries and other benefits reduced by the economy acts; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 1144) to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1145) for the relief of Minnie D. Hines; and

A bill (S. 1146) for the relief of Michael Dalton; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 1147) for the relief of Frank L. Weed; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1148) to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park; and

A bill (S. 1149) to provide for the creation of the St. Croix Island National Monument located near the mouth of the St. Croix River, in the State of Maine, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1150) for the relief of persons engaged in the fishing industry;

A bill (S. 1151) to prevent discriminations against American ships and ports, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1152) relating to the carriage of goods by sea;

A bill (S. 1153) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of Eastport Harbor, Maine; and

A bill (S. 1154) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of the St. Croix River at and near Calais, Maine; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1155) for the relief of Joseph J. Fortin; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1156) granting a pension to George N. Butler;

A bill (S. 1157) granting a pension to Emily A. Bailey;

A bill (S. 1158) granting a pension to Isidore H. Smith;

A bill (S. 1159) granting an increase of pension to Achsah E. Purinton;

A bill (S. 1160) granting a pension to Benjamin F. Howatt; and

A bill (S. 1161) granting an increase of pension to Edward L. Hayes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1162) to regulate the business of making small loans in the District of Columbia, and to amend an act to regulate the business of loaning money, etc., approved February 4, 1913; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1163) to amend section 5138 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, with respect to the required capital of national banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1164) to repeal section 603 of the Revenue Act of 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

UNIFORM SCALE OF TRANSPORTATION RATES

Mr. Russell submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 6), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Whereas it is the policy of the Congress to encourage and promote the equal development of every section of the United States; and

Whereas the existing rates of transportation in force with respect to carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, have a tendency to deter such development in certain sections of the country: Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That it is the sense of the Congress that in the administration of such act it would be to the best interests of the people of the United States to have a uniform scale of transportation rates on a mileage basis which would apply equally in all sections of the United States.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 56), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Indian Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per 100 words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

ECONOMIC SECURITY

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Smith in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Finance and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

In addressing you on June 8, 1934, I summarized the main objectives of our American program. Among these was, and is, the security of the men, women, and children of the Nation against certain hazards and vicissitudes of life. This purpose is an essential part of our task. In my annual message to you I promised to submit a definite program of action. This I do in the form of a report to me by a Committee on Economic Security, appointed by me for the purpose of surveying the field and of recommending the basis of legislation.

I am gratified with the work of this committee and of those who have helped it: The Technical Board of Economic Security, drawn from various departments of the Government; the Advisory Council on Economic Security, consisting of informed and public-spirited private citizens, and a number of other advisory groups, including a Committee on Actuarial Consultants, a Medical Advisory Board, a Dental Advisory Committee, a Hospital Advisory Committee, a Public Health Advisory Committee, a Child Welfare Committee, and an Advisory Committee on Employment Relief. All of those who participated in this notable task of planning this major legislative proposal are ready and willing at any time to consult with and assist in any way the appropriate congressional committees and Members with respect to detailed aspects.

It is my best judgment that this legislation should be brought forward with a minimum of delay. Federal action is necessary to and conditioned upon the actions of States. Forty-four legislatures are meeting or will meet soon. In order that the necessary State action may be taken promptly, it is important that the Federal Government proceed speedily.

The detailed report of the committee sets forth a series of proposals that will appeal to the sound sense of the American people. It has not attempted the impossible nor has it failed to exercise sound caution and consideration of all of the factors concerned; the national credit, the rights and responsibilities of States, the capacity of industry to assume financial responsibilities and the fundamental necessity of proceeding in a manner that will merit the enthusiastic support of citizens of all sorts.

It is overwhelmingly important to avoid any danger of permanently discrediting the sound and necessary policy of Federal legislation for economic security by attempting to apply it on too ambitious a scale before actual experience has provided guidance for the permanently safe direction of such efforts. The place of such a fundamental in our future civilization is too precious to be jeopardized now by extravagant action. It is a sound idea—a sound ideal. Most of the other advanced countries of the world have already adopted it, and their experience affords the knowledge that social insurance can be made a sound and workable project.

Three principles should be observed in legislation on this subject. In the first place, the system adopted, except for the money necessary to initiate it, should be self-sustaining in the sense that funds for the payment of insurance benefits should not come from the proceeds of general taxation. Second, excepting in old-age insurance, actual management should be left to the States, subject to standards established by the Federal Government. Third, sound financial management of the funds and the reserves and protection of the credit structure of the Nation should be assured by retaining Federal control over all funds through trustees in the Treasury of the United States.

At this time, I recommend the following types of legislation looking to economic security.

First. Unemployment compensation.

Second. Old-age benefits, including compulsory and voluntary annuities.

Third. Federal aid to dependent children through grants to States for the support of existing mother's pension systems and for services for the protection and care of homeless, neglected, dependent, and crippled children.

Fourth. Additional Federal aid to State and local public health agencies and the strengthening of the Federal Public Health Service. I am not at this time recommending the adoption of so-called "health insurance", although groups representing the medical profession are cooperating with the Federal Government in the further study of the subject, and definite progress is being made.

With respect to unemployment compensation, I have concluded that the most practical proposal is the levy of a uniform Federal pay-roll tax, 90 percent of which should be allowed as an offset to employers contributing under a compulsory State unemployment compensation act. The purpose of this is to afford a requirement of a reasonably uniform character for all States cooperating with the Federal Government and to promote and encourage the passage of unemployment compensation laws in the States. The 10 percent not thus offset should be used to cover the costs of Federal and State administration of this broad system. Thus, States will largely administer unemployment compensation, assisted and guided by the Federal Government. An unemployment compensation system should be constructed in such a way as to afford every practicable aid and incentive toward the larger purpose of employment stabilization. This can be helped by the intelligent planning of both public and private employment. It also can be helped by correlating the system with public employment so that a person who has exhausted his benefits may be eligible for some form of public work as is recommended in this report. Moreover, in order to encourage the stabilization of private employment Federal legislation should not foreclose the States from establishing means for inducing industries to afford an even greater stabilization of employment.

In the important field of security for our old people it seems necessary to adopt three principles—first, noncontributory old-age pensions for those who are now too old to build up their own insurance; it is, of course, clear that for perhaps 30 years to come funds will have to be provided by the States and the Federal Government to meet these pensions. Second, compulsory contributory annuities, which in time will establish a self-supporting system for those now

young and for future generations. Third, voluntary contributory annuities by which individual initiative can increase the annual amounts received in old age. It is proposed that the Federal Government assume one-half of the cost of the old-age pension plan, which ought ultimately to be supplanted by self-supporting annuity plans.

The amount necessary at this time for the initiation of unemployment compensation, old-age security, children's aid, and the promotion of public health, as outlined in the report of the Committee on Economic Security, is approximately $100,000,000.

The establishment of sound means toward a greater future economic security of the American people is dictated by a prudent consideration of the hazards involved in our national life. No one can guarantee this country against the dangers of future depressions, but we can reduce these dangers. We can eliminate many of the factors that cause economic depressions and we can provide the means of mitigating their results. This plan for economic security is at once a measure of prevention and a method of alleviation.

We pay now for the dreadful consequence of economic insecurity—and dearly. This plan presents a more equitable and infinitely less expensive means of meeting these costs. We cannot afford to neglect the plain duty before us. I strongly recommend action to attain the objectives sought in this report.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 17, 1935.*

Mr. Wagner introduced a bill (S. 1130) to alleviate the hazards of old age, unemployment, illness, and dependency, to establish a Social Insurance Board in the Department of Labor, to raise revenue, and for other purposes; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR INDEPENDENT OFFICES

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and after debate, the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

"ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES IN GOVERNMENT"

Mr. Fletcher presented an article entitled "Administrative Agencies in Government", by Nathan Boone Williams, of Washington, D. C., which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and pending the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 4) accepting the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware and placed in Statuary Hall.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, January 17, 1935, was approved.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court, transmitted to the Senate by the President on December 10, 1930.

Pending the consideration of the said protocols the following proceedings were had, as in legislative session, by unanimous consent:

USELESS PAPERS IN THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Postmaster General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a schedule of papers and documents in the files of the Department which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Department and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Trammell and Mr. Schall as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Chicago, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation and such appropriations as may be necessary to create a Federal agency to take over all assets and liabilities of closed banks in the United States and pay each depositor the full amount of his deposit; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Resolutions adopted by the Louisiana Bottlers Association, of Bogalusa, the Police Jury Association of Louisiana, of Monroe, and the Louisiana Motor Transportation Association, of New Orleans, all in the State of Louisiana, favoring the enactment of legislation to repeal the Federal tax of 1 cent per gallon on gasoline, and to leave to the States the exclusive right to tax gasoline in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hale presented numerous petitions of citizens of the State of Maine praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony taken by the Federal Communications Commission, Broadcast Division, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Robinson presented a communication from the Director of Highways, Arkansas State Highway Commission, of Little Rock, Ark., recommending that certain principles be incorporated in any legislation making funds available for railroad grade crossing work; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented telegrams from Townsend Clubs of Lexington, Woburn, and Reading, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend" old-age pension bill; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., urging the manufacture of munitions by the Government, the imposition of a 95-percent tax on all incomes in excess of $10,000 in time of war, prohibiting the use of the American flag on boats carrying munitions to foreign ports, and the limitation and reduction of armaments; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolutions adopted by Hornell Division, No. 83, and Port Jervis Division, No. 82, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Hornell, N. Y., and Matamoras, Pa., respectively, favoring the enactment of legislation modifying the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Middletown, and a petition of Local 574, Carpenters and Joiners of America; Local 207, Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators, and Paper Hangers; and Local 133, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, of Middletown, in the State of New York, praying that preference be given to employees and contractors of Orange County and Middletown, N. Y., upon construction and other work at the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y.; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Franklin Society, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation removing the exemption from taxation of the dividends paid on the shares of Federal savings and loan associations or granting a similar exemption to such associations operating under State charters; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of employees of the Rochester (N. Y.) office of the Reece Button Hole Machine Co. remonstrating against the enactment of the so-called "Black-Connery" 30-hour work week bill or any such measure designed to limit further by statute the working hours per week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented resolutions adopted by the League of Nations Association, Inc., of New York City, favoring the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. Bulkley, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 267) for the relief of certain officers and employees of the Foreign Service of the United States who, while in the course of their respective duties, suffered losses of personal property by reason of catastrophes of nature, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 15) thereon.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 269) granting an annuity to Samuel R. Stone and that it be referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 617) for the relief of Roy Alvey Jones and that it be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 1165) to prevent discrimination against certain distressed home owners on account of the different methods that have been employed in the various States for financing public improvements; to avoid penalizing worthy properties in special improvement districts; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1166) granting a pension to Mary E. Laycock; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1167) to amend the Emergency Relief and Construction Act of 1932; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1168) for the relief of Horace G. Wilson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1169) to deepen the irrigation channel between Clear Lake and Lost River, in the State of California, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 1170) for the relief of Mike L. Sweeney; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1171) granting a pension to Lucy Copeland; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1172) granting a pension to J. E. Barrows; and

A bill (S. 1173) granting a pension to Sarah E. Foster; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1174) for the relief of Sidney M. Blackburn; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years; to authorize loans, or renewals, or extensions to mature not later than January 31, 1945; to empower the Corporation to buy railroad obligations, with the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in aid of railroad reorganization, and in certain other circumstances; to empower the Corporation (a) to aid the mortgage situation generally by the purchase of nonassessable stock in mortgage loan companies and similar financial institutions, and to authorize the sale of stock, capital notes, or debentures purchased by the Corporation; and (b) to purchase any portion of the assets of closed banks under certain conditions; to increase the authorized investments in preferred stock and capital notes of insurance companies, or loans thereon, from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000; to continue the Commodity Credit Corporation, and the Export-Import Banks of Washington, D. C., as agencies of the United States; and for other purposes (with an accompany paper); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1176) for the relief of Thomas A. Coyne; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1177) to amend the act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in classified civil service, and for other purposes, approved May 22, 1920, and acts in amendment thereof", approved July 3, 1926, as amended; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 1178) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city of Providence, R. I.; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1179) for the relief of James H. Smith; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1180) to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1181) for the relief of First Lt. R. G. Cuno;

A bill (S. 1182) for the relief of William E. Smith; and

A bill (S. 1183) for the relief of Roland P. Winstead; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1184) for the relief of Harry J. Tucker; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 1185) for the relief of Charles Miller; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1186) for the relief of Frank P. Ross; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1187) granting a pension to Theresa Elizabeth Mapes;

A bill (S. 1188) granting a pension to J. C. Ruark; and

A bill (S. 1189) granting a pension to William J. Allen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1191) restoring the United States naval station at Key West, Fla., to an active status and authorizing an appropriation for its maintenance; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 1192) to authorize additional expenditures by the District of Columbia-Virginia Boundary Commission; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1193) to amend section 22 (g) of the Federal Reserve Act relating to loans to executive officers of member banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 35) for the relief of W. K. Richardson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 36) to authorize an investigation of the means of increasing capacity of the Panama Canal for future needs of interoceanic shipping, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Art Metal Construction Co.; Bankers Reserve Life Co.; Frank Boddeker; J. H. Bowling; Ragnor Dahl; Michael Dalton; Elizabeth B. Eddy; Isidor Greenspan; Minnie D. Hines; A. Randolph Holladay; Alfred L. Hudson; Arthur N. Knofft; W. F. Lueders; W. G. McGee; Amy McLaurin; Alta Melvin and Thomas Melvin; Mamie Randel; Security Trust Co.; George W. Stout; Anna Carroll Taussig; H. M. Thatcher; Anna Ventrone; Horace G. Wilson; and Henry Zeller and Edward G. Zeller; to the Committee on Claims.

Revised Statutes, section 4865; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Joseph J. Fortin; to the Committee on Finance.

Columbia River; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

William K. Beldin; Sidney M. Blackburn; Thomas A. Coyne; Presly Holliday; Roy M. Kisner; Claud C. Martin; W. K. Richardson; Russian Railway Service Corps; Mike L. Sweeney; Frank L. Weed; and Herman Wulff; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Kenneth A. Kellogg; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Emily A. Bailey; J. E. Barrows; George N. Butler; Lucy Copeland; Elmer K. Corbett; John W. Ferwerda; Edward L. Hayes; Benjamin F. Howatt; Theresa Elizabeth Mapes; Achsah E. Purinton; Mary L. Robinson; J. C. Ruark; Isidore H. Smith; and Jacob R. Stiltner; to the Committee on Pensions.

Frank P. Ross; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GOVERNOR OF THE PANAMA CANAL

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the annual report of the Governor of the Panama Canal for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 18, 1935.*

ANNUAL REPORT OF PANAMA RAILROAD CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the eighty-fifth annual report of the board of directors of the Panama Railroad Co. for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 18, 1935.*

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PERRY'S VICTORY MEMORIAL COMMISSION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on the Library:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the Fifteenth Annual Report of the Perry's Victory Memorial Commission for the year ended December 1, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 18, 1935.*

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ALASKA RAILROAD

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the Annual Report of the Alaska Railroad for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 18, 1935.*

(NOTE: Report accompanied a similar message to the House of Representatives.)

INTERSTATE SHIPMENT OF "HOT OIL"

Mr. Pope, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 14) thereon.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, JANUARY 21, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, January 18, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 3973, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the activities and expenditures of the Administration for the month of October 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to lie on the table.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, recommendations of three proposed amendments to the Communications Act of 1934, relating to consolidation of telegraph companies, issuance of franks, and exclusive contracts made by common carriers; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, urging the repeal of the Federal tax of 1 cent per gallon on gasoline and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; and

A petition of James E. Hughes, of Cambridge, Md., praying the passage of an old-age pension law; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska, memorializing Congress to enact legislation to control and eradicate field bindweed; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Cleveland, Ohio, favoring the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of New York, favoring appropriate action by the Government in condemning the action of officials of the Mexican Government against freedom of religion, the press, the right of assembly, and the freedom of education; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Farmers' and Hotel Keepers' Association, of Ellenville, N. Y., favoring legislation to reduce the legal rate of interest on loans and mortgages to 5 percent or less; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Costigan presented an article by Walter White relating to proposed legislation to discourage, prevent, and punish the crime of lynching; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the senate memorializing Congress to enact legislation to control and eradicate field bindweed; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the senate favoring immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates;

A resolution of the house of representatives urging the repeal of the Federal tax of 1 cent per gallon on gasoline and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; and

A resolution of the house of representatives urging the passage of legislation providing for Federal old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of New York favoring appropriate action by the Government in condemning the action of officials of the Mexican Government against freedom of religion, the press, the right of assembly, and the freedom of education; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted at San Francisco, Calif., by the American Federation of Labor, of Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent undesirable aliens entering this country in the disguise of seamen on vessels entering the United States; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Bone presented numerous petitions of citizens of the State of Washington praying the publication at Government expense of all testimony taken by the Federal Communications Commission, Broadcast Division, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of citizens of Peabody, Kans., and resolutions adopted by American Legion Post No. 57, of Beloit, Kans., and Henry F. Hall Post, No. 183, of Drexel, Mo., praying the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of Lafontaine, Kans., praying the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Bankhead presented an article entitled "The Bankhead Act and Democracy", by Clarence Poe, containing an illustration; which was referred to the Committee on Printing.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 575) to amend the Mining Act of May 10, 1872, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 16) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 411) to authorize an annual appropriation of $10,000 to pay the pro rata share of the United States of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History at Mexico City, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 17) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 753) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Wales Island Packing Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 18) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 736) for the relief of Louise Fox, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 19) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 42) authorizing the Committee on Commerce to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress, reported it without amendment.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 809) for the relief of Julius McKindry Henderson, and that it be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 1194) for the relief of the State of Maine (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1195) granting a pension to Angeline M. Rolfe (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Townsend:

A bill (S. 1196) granting a pension to Keturah Jane Pool Long; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1197) granting a pension to Ellen Knight;

A bill (S. 1198) granting a pension to Hiram Hilton;

A bill (S. 1199) granting an increase of pension to Virginia Dodd;

A bill (S. 1200) granting an increase of pension to Bart H. Hickman;

A bill (S. 1201) granting a pension to Harry F. McCray; and

A bill (S. 1202) granting an increase of pension to Mary J. Pennington; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1203) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to accept from the State of Utah title to a certain State-owned section of land and to patent other land to the State in lieu thereof, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1204) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to dispose of a Government-owned right-of-way and electric-power transmission line in Anne Arundel County, Md.;

A bill (S. 1205) to repeal section 16 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the distribution, promotion, retirement, and discharge of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps, and for other purposes", approved May 29, 1934;

A bill (S. 1206) authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

A bill (S. 1207) to authorize trial by court-martial of any person in the naval service charged with the crime of murder committed without the geographical limits of the States of the Union and the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 1208) authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award;

A bill (S. 1209) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii;

A bill (S. 1210) authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths;

A bill (S. 1211) authorizing the assignment of two officers on the active list of the United States Marine Corps not below the rank of colonel to duty as assistants to the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps; and

A bill (S. 1212) to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1213) granting a pension to Addie M. Mandeville (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1214) for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1215) for the relief of Theodore L. Beers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1216) granting a pension to Mary Perry; and

A bill (S. 1217) granting a pension to Edwin K. Williams; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1218) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the attorney general of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602), by adding a new section thereto, to be known and designated as "section 8"; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1219) granting an increase of pension to John E. Fitzgerald; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1220) to amend title I of an act, entitled "Agricultural Adjustment Act" (Public, No. 10, 73d Cong.), and to provide additional relief by securing to the farmers a minimum price for agricultural commodities of not less than the cost of production thereof, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1221) to provide a banking system for agriculture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 1222) to further extend the times for commencement and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1223) to regulate election expenditures; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1224) to allow credit to homestead settlers and entrymen for certain military service; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1225) for the relief of Harry H. A. Ludwig; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 1226) to prohibit the sending of unsolicited merchandise through the mails; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

(By request.) A bill (S. 1227) to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 1228) granting a pension to Gillis S. Mitchell;

A bill (S. 1229) granting a pension to Juriah Hyden;

A bill (S. 1230) granting a pension to Gertrude Briggs;

A bill (S. 1231) granting a pension to Maggie Ball;

A bill (S. 1232) granting a pension to Levi Sawyer;

A bill (S. 1233) granting a pension to Alexander Steele;

A bill (S. 1234) granting a pension to Mary Krebs;

A bill (S. 1235) granting a pension to Margaret Moore;

A bill (S. 1236) granting a pension to Lucinda Van Norsdel;

A bill (S. 1237) granting a pension to Wiley Roberts;

A bill (S. 1238) granting a pension to Mary Curry;

A bill (S. 1239) granting a pension to Dora Short;

A bill (S. 1240) granting a pension to Frank House;

A bill (S. 1241) granting a pension to John R. Sparks;

A bill (S. 1242) granting a pension to Viola Compton;

A bill (S. 1243) granting a pension to Mattie Sebastian;

A bill (S. 1244) granting a pension to Fieldon Adkins;

A bill (S. 1245) granting a pension to Dora McCallister;

A bill (S. 1246) granting a pension to Maggie Wilson;

A bill (S. 1247) granting a pension to Ellanor Green;

A bill (S. 1248) granting a pension to Ella Noe;

A bill (S. 1249) granting a pension to Allen Nantz;

A bill (S. 1250) granting a pension to Lydia Ann Hollingsworth;

A bill (S. 1251) granting a pension to Mary Shelton;

A bill (S. 1252) granting a pension to Sam H. Hadley;

A bill (S. 1253) granting a pension to John C. Hounshell;

A bill (S. 1254) granting a pension to Gertrude Maurer;

A bill (S. 1255) granting a pension to Thomas E. Morrison;

A bill (S. 1256) granting a pension to Philip T. West;

A bill (S. 1257) granting a pension to Nancy V. Shipley;

A bill (S. 1258) granting a pension to Daniel Wilson;

A bill (S. 1259) granting a pension to Sarah Jane Lewis Langdon;

A bill (S. 1260) granting a pension to Delia England;

A bill (S. 1261) granting a pension to Minnie Harrison;

A bill (S. 1262) granting a pension to Aleck Camlin;

A bill (S. 1263) granting a pension to Nancy C. Buck;

A bill (S. 1264) granting a pension to John Winn; and

A bill (S. 1265) granting a pension to Elizabeth M. Runnels; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1266) for the relief of Robert E. Masters;

A bill (S. 1267) for the relief of Will Castleman;

A bill (S. 1268) for the relief of Will Brewer;

A bill (S. 1269) for the relief of William Wallingford;

A bill (S. 1270) for the relief of Charles A. Peters;

A bill (S. 1271) for the relief of Homer N. Horine;

A bill (S. 1272) for the relief of Matthew J. Isaac;

A bill (S. 1273) for the relief of Charles Wells;

A bill (S. 1274) for the relief of Horace C. Romans;

A bill (S. 1275) for the relief of Alton T. Fields; and

A bill (S. 1276) for the relief of Frank L. Ragsdale; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1277) authorizing persons, firms, corporations, associations, or societies to file bills of interpleader; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1278) for the relief of Daniel Coakley;

A bill (S. 1279) for the relief of Larkin B. Walker;

A bill (S. 1280) for the relief of James Clay Colson; and

A bill (S. 1281) for the relief of the estate of Martin Preston, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1282) for the relief of Virgil Joseph Haynes;

A bill (S. 1283) for the relief of Forest Mobley;

A bill (S. 1284) for the relief of Buster Jones; and

A bill (S. 1285) for the relief of Robert N. Wallace; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1286) reducing the rates of taxation on tobacco products; and

A bill (S. 1287) to confer additional jurisdiction on the United States Board of Tax Appeals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1288) to promote the safety of employees and travelers on railroads by requiring common carriers engaged in interstate commerce to install, inspect, test, repair, and maintain block signal systems, interlocking, highway grade-crossing protective devices, automatic train stop, train control, cab signal devices, and other appliances, methods, and systems intended to promote the safety of railroad operation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1289) for the relief of H. P. Converse & Co.; and

A bill (S. 1290) for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1291) authorizing the estate of John Gellatly, deceased, and/or Mrs. Charlyne Gellatly, individually, to enter suit in the United States District Court for the Southern District of the State of New York, for the return of an art collection and objects of art claimed to have been obtained by agents or representatives of the Smithsonian Institution and of the United States Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1292) for the relief of Zinsser & Co.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1293) for the relief of George A. Gerety; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1294) authorizing the appropriation of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to refund payments made to the collector of taxes of the District of Columbia for illegally assessed taxes for paving roadways or laying curbs or gutters in the District of Columbia, including penalties charged and paid, as may on the date of approval of this act be legally due Paving Tax Refund Corporation of the District of Columbia, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Arizona; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1295) to provide for the disposition of unclaimed deposits in national banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1296) for the relief of John P. Ryan; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1297) for the relief of C. N. Markle;

A bill (S. 1298) for the relief of John Z. Lowe; and

A bill (S. 1299) for the relief of the First State Bank & Trust Co., of Mission, Tex.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1300) to amend the War Department appropriation act relative to the operation of motor-propelled vehicles;

A bill (S. 1301) to provide further for the maintenance of United States Soldiers' Home;

A bill (S. 1302) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1303) for the relief of James M. Kendrick; and

A bill (S. 1304) to amend section 47c, National Defense Act, as amended, relating to military training required to entitle members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps to receive commutation of subsistence; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 1305) to further extend the operation of the act entitled "An act to further extend the operation of the act entitled 'An act for the temporary relief of water users on irrigation projects constructed and operated under the reclamation law', approved April 1, 1932", approved March 27, 1934; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 1306) granting to the State of South Dakota for institutional purposes the property known and designated as the "Canton Asylum", Canton, S. Dak.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 37) to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution requiring agricultural or other products to be shipped in vessels of the United States where the Reconstruction Finance Corporation or any other instrumentality of the Government finances the exporting of such products", approved March 26, 1934; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Frazier:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 38) for the adjustment and settlement of losses sustained by the cooperative marketing associations; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Barkley:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 39) authorizing the Joint Committee on the Library to procure oil portraits of former President Herbert Hoover and of President Franklin D. Roosevelt; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 40) proposing to amend the Constitution of the United States to exclude aliens in counting the whole number of persons in each State for apportionment of Representatives among the several States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MARY A. CHAPLINE

Mr. Barkley submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 57), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1935, to Mary A. Chapline, widow of Charles B. Chapline, late an employee of the Senate folding room under

the supervision of the Sergeant at Arms, the sum of $250, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

SURVEY OF LAND AND WATER POLICIES AND PROJECTS

Mr. O'Mahoney submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 58), which was referred to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation:

Resolved, That a special committee of seven Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, three of whom shall be members of the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys and three of whom shall be members of the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, is authorized and directed to make a survey and study of all land and water policies and projects of the several executive agencies and establishments of the Government and to report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its survey, together with its recommendation for necessary legislation in connection therewith.

The committee or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof is authorized to attend the National Grazing Conference to be held under the auspices of the Department of the Interior at Denver, Colo., February 11, 1935.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, including expenditures for travel, as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 859) to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 267) for the relief of certain officers and employees of the Foreign Service of the United States who, while in the course of their respective duties, suffered losses of personal property by reason of catastrophes of nature; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called:

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bill and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3247. An act to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 112. Joint resolution to clarify the definition of disagreement in section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended; and

H. J. Res. 118. Joint resolution to prohibit expenditure of any moneys for housing, feeding, or transporting conventions or meetings.

WITHDRAWALS AND RESTORATIONS OF PUBLIC LANDS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the withdrawals and restorations of public lands in certain cases; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California, memorializing Congress to enact old-age pension legislation;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, favoring the speedy passage of legislation providing for Federal old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Portland, Oreg., favoring the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, favoring the building of free interstate bridges across the Missouri River as Public Works Administration projects; to the Committee on Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California, memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide for a working week of not more than 5 days of 6 hours each, without any corresponding reduction in the present compensation or salary; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of the Women's Council, Church of the Brethren, of McPherson, and a resolution adopted by the student bodies of Kansas Wesleyan University, of Salina, McPherson College, of McPherson, and Washburn College, of Topeka, all in the State of Kansas, favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution memorializing Congress to make proper appropriations for the care of needy people in the State of Nebraska until such time as the State may be able to assume the burden; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution favoring the building of free interstate bridges across the Missouri River as Public Works Administration projects; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony taken by the Federal Communications Commission, Broadcast Division, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience and necessity, together with the report of the Commission, were presented as follows:

By Mr. Hale: Petitions of citizens of the State of Maine.

By Mr. Copeland: Petitions of citizens of the State of New York.

By Mr. Fletcher: Petitions of citizens of the State of Florida.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings): Petitions of citizens of Alaska, the Territory of Hawaii, the Canal Zone, and the State of Maryland.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Ashurst presented a petition of E. C. Whitesitt and S. E. Kent, of Prescott, Ariz., praying the passage of legislation providing old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schall presented an article from The Independent Press, Madison, Minn., January 18, 1935, relating to the feed-distribution plan in that State, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Robinson presented a resolution adopted by the delegates to the Tenth Conference on the Cause and Cure of War, favoring the adherence by the United States to the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NAVAL AFFAIRS

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 92) to prohibit the making of photographs, sketches, or maps of vital military and naval defensive installations and equipment, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 20) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 1307) to establish a national park on the Daniel Freeman Homestead, in Gage County, Nebr.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Dieterich:

A bill (S. 1308) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 1309) to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1310) to amend the Emergency Relief and Construction Act of 1932; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1311) granting a pension to Jennie Alexander (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 1312) granting an increase of pension to Francis H. Kearney (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 1313) providing for waiver of prosecution by indictment in certain criminal proceedings;

A bill (S. 1314) to make the husband or wife of accused a competent witness in all criminal prosecutions; and

A bill (S. 1315) relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 1316) to amend section 724 of the Revised Statutes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1317) authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to controlling of floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 1318) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to adjust irrigation charges on projects on Indian reservations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1319) to provide for the storage for diversion of the waters of the North Platte River and construction of the Saratoga reclamation project; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A bill (S. 1320) granting an honorable discharge to Edward Barrett; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1321) authorizing the conveyance of the old post-office building in Casper, Wyo., to the county commissioners of Natrona County, Wyo.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 1322) granting an honorable discharge to Willard Heath Mitchell; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1323) to authorize the appointment of First Sgt. Lyle E. White as a warrant officer, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1324) granting a pension to Roy Wilcox; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1325) for the relief of Dino Carbonell;

A bill (S. 1326) for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

A bill (S. 1327) for the relief of William Ropes; and

A bill (S. 1328) for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co., now Frederick Snare Corporation; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1329) to provide for the addition or additions of certain lands to the Colonial National Monument in the State of Virginia; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 1330) to further amend the act approved July 1, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States" (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 1331) for the relief of Burt E. Stewart; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 1332) to provide for the promotion, regulation, and control by a Federal commission of all phases of civil aeronautics, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

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By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1333) permitting the deduction for income tax purposes of certain deposits in closed banks on December 31, 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1334) to amend the Grain Futures Act to prevent and remove obstructions and burdens upon interstate commerce in grains and other commodities by regulating transactions thereon on commodity futures exchanges, by providing means for limiting short selling and speculation in such commodities on such exchanges, by licensing commission merchants dealing in such commodities for future delivery on such exchanges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1335) to amend section 202 of the Communications Act of 1934; and

A bill (S. 1336) to amend paragraph (f) of section 4 of the Communications Act of 1934; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1337) granting a pension to Mary R. Gardner; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1338) extending the obligation of bonds of contractors for public buildings to include premiums for insurance; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 1339) to establish the Pipestone Indian Shrine in the State of Minnesota; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1340) to regulate barbers in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 1341) to authorize the transfer of certain real estate by the Secretary of the Treasury to C. F. Colvin in settlement of the Northfield (Minn.) post-office site litigation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 1342) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1343) providing for payment of $50 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of Minnesota from the funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1344) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to farm prices; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1345) for the relief of Lawrence P. Morris;

A bill (S. 1346) for the relief of Arthur P. Foster;

A bill (S. 1347) for the relief of Robert J. Smith; and

A bill (S. 1348) for the relief of James Darcy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1349) granting a pension to Matilda Davison;

A bill (S. 1350) granting a pension to Iva B. Erickson;

A bill (S. 1351) granting a pension to Mabel Kenney; and

A bill (S. 1352) granting an increase of pension to Adaline A. Allen; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1353) for the relief of Oscar W. Behrens;

A bill (S. 1354) to correct the naval record of Keith Eugene Robbins; and

A bill (S. 1355) granting an increase in retired pay to George Occhionero, first lieutenant, United States Marine Corps, retired; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1356) for the relief of Earl W. Thomas;

A bill (S. 1357) for the relief of John W. Sweger;

A bill (S. 1358) for the relief of Irene Magnuson and Oscar L. Magnuson, her husband;

A bill (S. 1359) for the relief of A. N. Ross;

A bill (S. 1360) for the relief of Teresa de Prevost;

A bill (S. 1361) for the relief of the Dalton Grain & Lumber Co.;

A bill (S. 1362) for the relief of the Hancock-Nelson Mercantile Co.;

A bill (S. 1363) for the relief of John A. Jumer;

A bill (S. 1364) for the relief of Howland & Waltz Co., Ltd.;

A bill (S. 1365) for the relief of Robert W. Krieger;

A bill (S. 1366) for the relief of Arthur K. Marvin;

A bill (S. 1367) for the relief of Kildall Fish Co.;

A bill (S. 1368) for the relief of L. Elbert Van Buren;

A bill (S. 1369) for the relief of Joseph Watkins;

A bill (S. 1370) for the relief of George O. Wills;

A bill (S. 1371) for the relief of the Waterous Co.;

A bill (S. 1372) for the relief of Gustave C. Wetterlind; and

A bill (S. 1373) for the relief of the heirs of John Booren, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF RULE XI

Mr. Schall, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 59), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That rule XI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, relating to reading of papers, is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof a colon and the following: *Provided, That when a Senator is physically unable to read his own speech, the clerk shall, upon the request of such Senator, read such speech and it shall be printed in the Record as if it had been spoken by such Senator.*

INTERSTATE SHIPMENT OF "HOT OIL"

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

After debate,

The bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Connally (for Mr. Robinson).

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

HOUSE BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bill and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second time by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 3247 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; that House Joint Resolution 112 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and that House Joint Resolution 118 be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Woodrum, Mr. Boylan, and Mr. Wigglesworth managers at the same on its part.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, recommendations of five proposed amendments to the Communications Act of 1934, relating to distribution of radio broadcasting licenses, preliminary hearings, suspension of radio broadcasting licenses, appeals from orders suspending radio station licenses, and employment of chief accountant and three assistants; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Communications

Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report containing its recommendations concerning the proposal that Congress, by statute, allocate fixed percentages of radio broadcasting facilities to particular types or kinds of nonprofit radio programs or to persons identified with particular types or kinds of nonprofit activities; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR INDEPENDENT OFFICES

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Glass, Mr. Byrnes, and Mr. Hale.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and pending the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 33 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, in executive session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Tuesday, January 22, 1935, was approved.

BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

The Vice President, in accordance with the provisions of title 20, chapter 3, section 43, United States Code, appointed Mr. McNary a Regent of the Smithsonian Institution to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of service of Hon. David A. Reed.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court, transmitted to the Senate by the President on December 10, 1930.

Pending the consideration of the said protocols the following proceedings were had, as in legislative session, by unanimous consent:

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the payment at face value of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Davison, Mich., by a money institute held under the auspices of the American Science Foundation, favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the issuance of money exclusively by the Government, governmental operation of the Federal Reserve banks, and the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a memorial of citizens of Edgerton, Ohio, and a resolution adopted by the United Irish Societies, of Brooklyn and Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Twentieth Kansas Infantry Association, of Topeka, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the deportation of aliens as a means of alleviating unemployment; which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Caledoni-Memford Lions Club, of Caledonia, N. Y., favoring action by the Government to prevent the spread of Dutch elm disease; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the National Institute of Arts and Letters, of New York City, urging the ratification of the International Copyright Convention signed at Rome on June 2, 1928; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by A. A. Haines Council No. 66, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Amagansett, N. Y., favoring the registration of aliens and their deportation if failing to become citizens, and a tax of 30 percent on money sent out of this country by aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by Division No. 149, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to modify the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Manufacturers Association of Syracuse, N. Y., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 87, providing a 30-hour-work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and editorial:

A petition of Frank Cooper, of Albany, N. Y., favoring the prompt ratification of the World Court protocols; and

An editorial in the Block newspapers of January 21, 1935, opposing such ratification.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years; to authorize loans or renewals or extensions to mature not later than January 31, 1945; to empower the Corporation to buy railroad obligations, with the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in aid of railroad reorganization and in certain other circumstances; to empower the Corporation (a) to aid the mortgage situation generally by the purchase of nonassessable stock in mortgage loan companies and similar financial institutions, and to authorize the sale of stock, capital notes, or debentures purchased by the Corporation; and (b) to purchase any portion of the assets of closed banks under certain conditions; to increase the authorized investments in preferred stock and capital notes of insurance companies, or loans thereon, from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000; to continue the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Export-Import Banks of Washington, D. C., as agencies of the United States; and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 21) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 112) to clarify the definition of disagreement in section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 22) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 58) authorizing a survey of all land and water policies and projects of the various executive agencies and establishments

of the Government, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 23) thereon.

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1374) authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1375) to amend the penal laws of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1376) authorizing the Secretary of War to convey Miller Field, Staten Island, N. Y., to the city of New York; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1377) granting a pension to Maud King Priest; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 1378) authorizing the construction of a dam on the San Pedro River, Ariz.; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

(By request.) A bill (S. 1379) to amend section 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the Canal Zone and section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure for the Canal Zone;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1380) to regulate the defense of alibi in criminal cases;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1381) to amend the act approved February 13, 1925, entitled "An act to amend the Judicial Code and to further define the jurisdiction of the circuit courts of appeals and of the Supreme Court, and for other purposes";

(By request.) A bill (S. 1382) to provide for the taking of depositions in criminal proceedings, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 1383) to amend an act entitled "An act to make persons charged with crimes and offenses competent witnesses in United States and Territorial courts", approved March 16, 1878; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 1385) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Lindian J. Swaim; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 1386) for the relief of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, husband and wife, both of McKinley Park, Alaska; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1387) granting compensation to Philip R. Roby; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1388) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase the building in Boston, Mass., under lease for garage purposes to the Post Office Department; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 1389) to amend section 7, title 1, of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, Public, No. 10, Seventy-third Congress, Forty-eighth Statutes, page 31 (1933), Seventh United States Code, article 601 et seq., as amended by section 221 of the National Industrial Recovery Act, Public, No. 67, Seventy-third Congress, Forty-eighth Statutes, page 210, Fifteenth United States Code, article 607, so as to eliminate from said section as amended the limitation of time allowed to the Secretary of Agriculture for disposing of all cotton held by him, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1390) for the relief of Harry L. Reaves; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Cooperative Marketing Association; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Reconstruction Finance Corporation; to the Committee on Finance.

John Booren, Dino Carbonell, Daniel Coakley, Dalton Grain & Lumber Co., First State Bank & Trust Co., Mission, Tex., Howland & Waltz Co., John A. Jumer, Kildall Fish Co., Robert W. Krieger, John Z. Lowe, C. N. Markle, A. N. Ross, John W. Sweger, Earl W. Thomas, L. Elbert Van Buren, Larkin B. Walker, Waterous Co., Joseph Watkins, Gustave C. Wetterlind, and George O. Wills; to the Committee on Claims.

Tobacco tax-rate reduction, and United States Board of Tax Appeals; to the Committee on Finance.

Indians of California; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bankruptcy act of July 1, 1898, to amend; and Maine, State of; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Edward Barrett, Will Brewer, Will Castleman, Alton T. Fields, Homer N .Horine, Matthew J. Isaac, Robert E. Masters, Charles A. Peters, Horace C. Romans, Robert J. Smith, William Wallingford, and Charles Wells; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Oscar W. Behrens and Anthony Peter DeYoung; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Jennie Alexander, Adaline A. Allen, Maggie Ball, Gertrude Briggs, Nancy C. Buck, Aleck Camlin, Viola Compton, Mary Curry, Virginia Dodd, Delia England, Iva B. Erickson, John E. Fitzgerald, Mary R. Gardner, Sam H. Hadley, Minnie Harrison, Bart H. Hickman, Lydia Ann Hollingsworth, Frank House, Francis H. Kearney, Mable Kenney, Ellen Knight, Sarah Jane Lewis Langdon, Addie M. Mandeville, Thomas E. Morrison, Allen Nantz, Ella Noe, Lucinda Van Norsdel, Mary J. Pennington, Mary Perry, Angeline M. Rolfe, Elizabeth M. Runnels, Levi Sawyer, Mary Shelton, Nancy V. Shipley, Dora Short, John R. Sparks, Alexander Steele, Phillip T. West, Roy Wilcox, Edwin K. Williams, John Winn, Daniel Wilson, and Maggie Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

Homestead settlers and entrymen; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

RECOGNITION OF SOVIET RUSSIA

Mr. Barbour submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 7), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That it is the sense of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States that the diplomatic recognition by the Government of the United States of America of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics should be withdrawn.

THE WORLD COURT

Pending further consideration of the World Court protocols,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a further recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

ATTENDANCE OF SENATOR FROM SOUTH DAKOTA

Mr. Peter Norbeck, from the State of South Dakota, attended.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court, transmitted to the Senate by the President on December 10, 1930.

Pending the further consideration of the said protocols,

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

SURVEY OF NATIONAL RESOURCES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Congress of the United States:

During the three or four centuries of white men on the American Continent we find a continuous striving of civilization against Nature. It is only in recent years that we have learned how greatly by these processes we have harmed Nature, and Nature in turn has harmed us.

We should not too largely blame our ancestors, for they found such teeming riches in woods and soil and water—such abundance above the earth and beneath it—such freedom in the taking that they gave small heed to the results that would follow the filling of their own immediate needs. Most of them, it is true, had come from many-peopled lands where necessity had invoked the preserving of the bounties of Nature. But they had come here for the obtaining of a greater freedom, and it was natural that freedom of conscience and freedom of government should extend itself in their minds to the unrestricted enjoyment of the free use of land and water.

Furthermore, it is only within our own generation that the development of science, leaping forward, has taught us where and how we violated Nature's immutable laws and where and how we can commence to repair such havoc as man has wrought.

In recent years little groups of earnest men and women have told us of this havoc, of the cutting of our last stands of virgin timber, of the increasing floods, of the washing away of millions of acres of our topsoils, of the lowering of our water tables, of the dangers of one-crop farming, of the depletion of our minerals—in short, the evils that we have brought upon ourselves today, and the even greater evils that will attend our children unless we act.

Such is the condition that attends the exploitation of our natural resources if we continue our planless course.

But another element enters in. Men and Nature must work hand in hand. The throwing out of balance of the resources of Nature throws out of balance also the lives of men. We find millions of our citizens stranded in village and on farm—stranded there because Nature cannot support them in the livelihood they had sought to gain through her. We find other millions gravitated to centers of population so vast that the laws of natural economics have broken down.

If the misuse of natural resources alone were concerned, we should consider our problem only in terms of land and water. It is because misuse extends to what men and women are doing with their occupations and to their many mistakes in herding themselves together that I have chosen, in addressing the Congress, to use the broader term "national resources."

For the first time in our national history we have made an inventory of our national assets and the problems relating to them. For the first time we have drawn together the foresight of the various planning agencies of the Federal Government and suggested a method and a policy for the future.

I am sending you herewith the report of the National Resources Board, appointed by me on June 30, 1934, to prepare the comprehensive survey which so many of us have sought so long. I transmit also the report made by the Mississippi Valley Committee of the Public Works Administration, which committee has also acted as the water-planning committee in the larger report.

These documents constitute a remarkable foundation for what we hope will be a permanent policy of orderly development in every part of the United States. It is a large subject, but it is a great and inspiring subject. May I commend to each and every one of you who constitute the Congress of the United States a careful reading of these reports.

In this inventory of our national wealth we follow the custom of prudent people toward their own private property. We as a nation take stock of what we as a nation own. We consider the uses to which it can be put. We plan these uses in the light of what we want to be, of what we want to accomplish as a people. We think of our land and water and human resources not as static and sterile possession but as life-giving assets to be directed by wise provision for future days. We seek to use our natural resources not as a thing apart but as something that is interwoven with industry, labor, finance, taxation, agriculture, homes, recreation, good citizenship. The results of this interweaving will have a greater influence on the future American standard of living than all the rest of our economics put together.

For the coming 18 months I have asked the Congress for $4,000,000,000 for public projects. A substantial portion of this sum will be used for objectives suggested in this report. As years pass the Government should plan to spend each year a reasonable and continuing sum in the development of this program. It is my hope, for example, that after the immediate crisis of unemployment begins to mend we can afford to appropriate approximately $500,000,000 each year for this purpose. Eventually this appropriation should replace all such appropriations given in the past without planning.

A permanent National Resources Board, toward the establishment of which we should be looking forward, would recommend yearly to the President and the Congress priority of projects in the national plan. This will give to the Congress, as is entirely proper, the final determination in relation to the projects and the appropriations involved.

As I have already stated, it is only because of the current emergency of unemployment and because of the physical impossibility of surveying, weighing, and testing each and every project that a segregation of items is clearly impossible at the moment.

For the same reason the constituting of fixed and permanent administrative machinery would retard the immediate employment objective.

Our goal must be a national one. Achievements in the arts of communication, of transportation, of mechanized production, of agriculture, of mining, and of power, do not minimize the rights of State governments, but they go far beyond the economics of State boundaries.

Only through the growth of thought and action in terms of national economics can we best serve individual lives in individual localities.

It is, as these reports point out, an error to say that we have "conquered nature." We must rather start to shape our lives in more harmonious relationship with nature. This is a milestone in our progress toward that end. The future of every American family everywhere will be affected by the action we take.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 24, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message be printed and, with the accompanying documents, lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, favoring the enactment of legislation to abolish the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States the power exclusively to tax such sales in the future; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a telegram from the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, stating that the legislature of that State had voted against entry of the United States into the World Court.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) presented a resolution adopted by My Maryland Lodge, No. 186, International Association of Machinists, of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the entrance of the United States into the League of Nations or the World Court.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Erie County, N. Y., favoring the passage of a bill authorizing an appropriation of $4,000,000,000 for public works and improvements, with a provision allotting to the railroads a suitable appropriation for grade-crossing improvements; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by Miami Post, No. 156, American Legion, the American Legion, of Paola, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates, the payment of benefits to widows and dependent children of World War veterans, conscription of capital, industry, and manpower in time of war, and a strong national defense; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Russell presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, remonstrating against the entry of the United States into the World Court.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Allied Building Trades Council, of Springfield, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; and

Memorials of employees of several manufacturing concerns in the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the passage of such legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony taken by the Federal Communications Commission, Broadcast Division, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 619) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 24) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 56) authorizing the Committee on Indian Affairs to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1391) for the relief of William Lyons; and

A bill (S. 1392) conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, southern division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1393) for the relief of Florence Sullivan; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1394) granting a pension to Lottie A. Torrance; and

A bill (S. 1395) granting a pension to John N. Aull; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1396) granting a pension to Clara V. Crossland; and

A bill (S. 1397) granting a pension to John T. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

(By request.) A bill (S. 1398) to reserve certain lands on the public domain in California and Nevada for the use and benefit of Indians of the Fort Mohave Reservation; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1399) for the relief of Fanny M. Crosby; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1400) to extend the provisions of the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 to the Tombigbee River and Bear Creek Basins; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1401) to provide for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1402) providing payment to employees, Bureau of Reclamation, for mileage traveled in privately owned automobiles; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A bill (S. 1403) granting a pension to Joseph F. Haynes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1405) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of a national employment system and for cooperation with the States in the promotion of such system, and for other purposes", approved June 6, 1933; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 1406) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Grand Traverse Bay, Mich.; and

A bill (S. 1407) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Bete Grise Bay, Mich.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1408) for the relief of Ludwig Baer; and

A bill (S. 1409) for the relief of the General Banking Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1410) for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin; and

A bill (S. 1411) for the relief of Harry Stanbrough Monell, formerly chairman War Department Claims Board Transportation Service; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1412) granting a pension to Katherine J. Daly; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 1413) for the relief of Ross L. Steward; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1414) for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1415) granting a pension to Anna McNamara; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1416) authorizing conveyance to the city of Binghamton, N. Y., of title to site and building of the present Federal building in that city, located on Wall Street; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 1417) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1418) to amend sections 210 and 602 (b) of the Communications Act of 1934; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 1419) for the relief of George S. Greer; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1420) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1421) to amend subsection (a) of section 313 of the Tariff Act of 1930; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings):

A bill (S. 1422) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of William E. B. Grant; and

A bill (S. 1423) for the relief of Elizabeth Duke; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1424) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 1425) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States, approved July 1, 1898; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1426) providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 41) authorizing the issuance of a special postage stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Byrd:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 42) to cede to the Commonwealth of Virginia jurisdiction over that portion of the Fort Monroe Military Reservation leased to the Old Point Comfort Hotel Corporation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 43) for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 44) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 45) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 46) authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding company structure or otherwise; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

INSURANCE CLAIMS OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 112) to clarify the definition of disagreement in section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 42) authorizing the Committee on Commerce to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes,

The resolution as amended was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers; to administer oaths and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

NOTICE OF MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE XVI

Mr. McCarran submitted the following notice:

Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI, for the purpose of proposing to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, the following amendment, viz, on page 3, after line 21, insert the following:

Compensation of Government offices and employees

Sec. 2. (a) Section 3 (b) of title II of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended, is amended by striking out "shall not exceed five per centum during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935", and inserting in lieu thereof "shall not, during the portion of the fiscal year 1935 prior to January 1, 1935, exceed five per centum, and after December 31, 1934, there shall be no such reduction."

(b) Subsections (b) and (c) of section 21 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1935, are amended by striking out "the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935," wherever such phrase appears, and inserting in lieu thereof "that portion of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, prior to January 1, 1935."

(c) Nothing in this resolution shall be construed as permitting any reduction in rates of compensation in effect at the time of the passage of this resolution.

REPORT OF AMERICAN INSTRUCTORS OF THE DEAF

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the report of the proceedings of the twenty-eighth meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, held at West Trenton, N. J., June 18 to 23, 1933, reported it with the recommendation that it be printed with illustrations.

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

Ordered, That the recommendation be agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and pending the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 47 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations

for relief purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House, having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 112, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court.

Pending the consideration of the said protocols,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Wednesday, January 23, and Thursday, January 24, 1935, was approved.

REPORT OF SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION ON STOCK EXCHANGE GOVERNMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the Commission's investigation of stock exchange government, together with its recommendations; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

HOLDING AND OPERATING COMPANIES OF ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 83 (70th Cong., 1st sess.), chapters XII and XIII of the summary report of the Commission on the economic, financial, and corporate phases of holding and operating companies of the electric and gas utilities dealing with State control and Federal regulation, respectively; which, with the accompanying papers, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Stove Mounters' International Union, Local No. 79, of Battle Creek, Mich., praying the enactment of legislation to reduce the tax on cigarettes; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norbeck presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota, urging the enactment of legislation to carry into effect the President's plan to establish a forest shelter belt in the Great Plains area of several western States; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Shipstead presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, urging that no provisions be included in the proposed reciprocal treaty with Sweden that will lower the tariff or increase the quota of matches which Sweden may ship into the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (no. 25) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1068) to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (no. 26) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 403) to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections numbered 5 and 6, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 27) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 1427) for the relief of Lyman I. Collins; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1428) granting a pension to Homer Lenhart; and

A bill (S. 1429) granting a pension to Samuel Johnson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. George):

A bill (S. 1430) for the relief of Harry T. Livaudais; and

A bill (S. 1431) for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1432) to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally known as the "War Mineral Relief Statutes"; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1433) to authorize the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to aid in the operation and maintenance of institutions for religious instruction and worship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1434) to amend the act of March 4, 1933, relating to the regulation of banking in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 1435) for the relief of Elizabeth Kurau; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1436) for the relief of Charles E. Pease, Jr.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1437) granting a pension to Mary P. Champion; and

A bill (S. 1438) granting a pension to Alton Lathrop; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1439) amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1440) to enroll on the citizenship rolls certain persons of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations or Tribes; and

A bill (S. 1441) for the settlement by the Secretary of the Interior of certain claims for services rendered to the Mississippi Choctaw Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1442) to create an executive department of the Government to be known as the "Department of Peace"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1443) granting the Distinguished Service Cross, also the Oak Leaf Cluster, to Acors Rathbun Thompson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 1444) amending section 5D of the Reconstruction Finance Act, as amended, relating to advances to industrial and commercial business; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 1445) to terminate the special excise tax imposed by section 701 of the Revenue Act of 1926; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1446) for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;

A bill (S. 1447) for the relief of Mrs. Mary C. Moran; and

A bill (S. 1448) for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1449) for the relief of Frank G. Babcock; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1450) to authorize the sale and conveyance by the Department of the Interior to C. M. Hanson, of Bricelyn, Minn., or his heirs, successors, or assigns, of approximately 1¾ acres of lot 2, section 33, township 43 north, range 27 west, in the county of Mille Lacs, Minn.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 1451) to provide for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating between points in the United States in interstate commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 1452) providing for the employment of skilled shorthand reporters in the executive branch of the Government; and

A bill (S. 1453) to create a board of shorthand reporting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

COURT MARTIAL OF CAPT. OBERLIN M. CARTER

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 60), which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

Resolved, That the Committee on Military Affairs is authorized and directed to investigate the facts leading to the court martial, as well as the court-martial proceedings and all the findings, in the case of former Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, United States Engineer Corps, and report to the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117), this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ENROLLED HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 112) to clarify the definition of disagreement in section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXTENSION OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years; to authorize loans or renewals or extensions to mature not later than January 31, 1945; to empower the Corporation to buy railroad obligations, with the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in aid of railroad reorganization and in certain other circumstances; to empower the Corporation (a) to aid the mortgage situation generally by the purchase of nonassessable stock in mortgage loan companies and similar financial institutions, and to authorize the sale of stock, capital notes, or debentures purchased by the Corporation; and (b) to purchase any portion of the assets of closed banks under certain conditions; to increase the authorized investments in preferred stock and capital notes of insurance companies, or loans thereon, from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000; to continue the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Export-Import Banks of Washington, D. C., as agencies of the United States; and for other purposes.

The reported amendments having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Fletcher, the motion of Mr. Schwellenbach, the motion of Mr. Lonergan, the motion of Mr. Couzens, and the motion of Mr. Pittman,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher,

The title was amended so as to read: "A bill to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the said bill.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Mr. Glass submitted the following report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, and agree to the same.

CARTER GLASS,
JAMES F. BYRNES,
FREDERICK HALE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
C. A. WOODRUM,
JOHN J. BOYLAN,
RICHARD B. WIGGLESWORTH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SURVEY OF LAND AND WATER POLICIES AND PROJECTS

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 58) authorizing a survey of all land and water policies and projects of the various executive agencies and establishments of the Government, reported it without additional amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the amendments heretofore reported from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That a special committee of 7 Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, 2 of whom shall be members of the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 2 of whom shall be members of the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, and 2 of whom shall be members of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, is authorized and directed to make a survey and study of all land and water policies and projects of the several executive agencies and establishments of the Government and to report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its survey, together with its recommendation for necessary legislation in connection therewith.

The committee or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof is authorized to attend the National Grazing Conference to be held under the auspices of the Department of the Interior at Denver, Colo., February 11, 1935.

For the purpose of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, including expenditures for travel, as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 4304) to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, pursuant to its order, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court, transmitted to the Senate by the President on December 10, 1930.

Pending which,

The following proceedings were had, as in legislative session, by unanimous consent:

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 4304, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, January 25, 1935, was approved.

ANNUAL REPORT OF WAR FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the War Finance Corporation (in liquidation) for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

CLAIM OF WARD J. LAWTON

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation for the relief of Ward J. Lawton, special disbursing agent, Lighthouse Service, Department of Commerce; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska, favoring the building of free interstate bridges across the Missouri River as Public Works Administration projects; to the Committee on Commerce.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma, memorializing Congress to establish a national memorial park on the site of the Battle of the Washita, near Cheyenne, in Roger Mills County, Okla.; to the Committee on the Library.

A telegram from the secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, embodying a memorial of the State legislature favoring the construction of the Grand Coulee Dam over the Columbia River to the ultimate height contemplated by the Army engineers and the building of dams for reservoir and laterals for irrigation; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Pennsylvania, praying the enactment of legislation to strengthen Federal laws pertaining to activities of individuals or organizations seeking to overthrow the Government by force or violence or other unlawful means, and to provide for the deportation of aliens advocating or encouraging such activities; to the Committee on Immigration.

A memorial of Fanny Pickrell, of San Mateo, Calif., remonstrating against the passage of legislation to carry out the so-called "Townsend plan" of payment of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of citizens of Roberts, Wis., praying the continuance of the investigation of munitions makers; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

The Vice President laid before the Senate memorials of citizens of the United States, remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols or entrance of the United States into the League of Nations.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of the Kansas State Protective League of Women, of Topeka, Kans., praying the passage of antilynching legislation, which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the council of the town of Harrison, N. J., urging an additional appropriation for the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, which was referred to the Commitee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Ashurst presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona favoring an investigation of the provisions of the so-called "Townsend" old-age pension plan, and if claims made for it are found to be justified, that it be enacted into law; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the Senate of the State of Nebraska; which were referred as indicated:

A resolution requesting the establishment of a national arboretum at Nebraska City, Nebr.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution favoring the building of free interstate bridges across the Missouri River as Public Works Administration projects; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. White presented a resolution adopted by the faculty of Colby College, in the State of Maine, favoring the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. Austin, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 406) to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes", reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 28) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 1454) to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish bronze markers for certain graves; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 1455) granting a pension to Hannah Collins; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1456) to compensate the heirs of James Taylor, a deceased Cherokee Indian, for all their title, interest, or claim to certain lands in the State of North Carolina now held by the United States as a part of the forest reserve, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1457) granting a pension to Jack E. Teele (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1458) to empower the Government to write into the specifications and contracts the compensation to be paid to laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public works of the United States and of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Coolidge:

A bill (S. 1459) for the relief of Ralph Adams Cram, Lydia B. Kimball, executrix under the last will and testament of Bertram G. Goodhue, deceased, and Donald G. Ferguson, administrator of the estate of Frank W. Ferguson, deceased (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1460) to fix standards for till baskets, Climax baskets, round stave baskets, market baskets, drums, hampers, cartons, crates, boxes, barrels, and other containers for fruits or vegetables, to consolidate existing laws on this subject, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1461) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay subcontractors for material and labor furnished in the construction of Government buildings at Fort Myer, Va.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A bill (S. 1462) for the relief of the Butler Lumber Co., Inc., Richmond, Va.; and

A bill (S. 1463) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on certain claims of Norfolk Southern Railroad Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1464) for the relief of Frank P. Hoyt; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 1465) to create an Indian Claims Court for the immediate settlement of Indian tribal and band claims, defining the powers and functions thereof, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 1466) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 1467) granting a pension to Berger H. Shorey; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 1468) for the relief of Charles Augustus Lathrop; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1469) to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 47) authorizing the President to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to James A. Austin; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

INVESTIGATION OF WICHITA (KANS.) FEDERAL LAND BANK

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 61), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Resolved, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry of the United States Senate be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate the Wichita (Kans.) Federal Land Bank and allied institutions and departments located at such bank, and more particularly as follows:

(a) The extent and nature of the supervision exercised over said Wichita (Kans.) Land Bank and allied institutions by the Farm Credit Administration located at Washington.

(b) The alleged illegal and detrimental influence used by the said Farm Credit Administration over the members of the board of directors of said Wichita Land Bank in the selection and election of a president of the said land bank.

(c) The charge that alleged influence of an improper kind is being used, knowingly or unknowingly, by the Farm Credit Administration located at Washington in an attempted coercion of the members of the board of directors of the said Wichita (Kans.) Land Bank to force such members to vote for a president selected by such Farm Credit Administration in advance and contrary to the wishes of the members of said board of directors, and the charge that the said person suggested for election is being promoted by banking and commercial influences.

(d) The extent, if any, of the alleged coercion of officials of said Wichita (Kans.) Land Bank in relation to matters of the selection and the discharge of employees.

(e) The alleged existence of a ring within the said Wichita, Kans., institution which is alleged to be in full control of the said institution and that said institution is being managed and manipulated from partisan political considerations.

(f) The alleged detrimental influence upon such institution exerted by the Farm Credit Administration located at Washington in keeping on the board of directors of the said Wichita Land Bank a member who is alleged to be disqualified to hold such position under the law, rules, and regulations governing said institution.

(g) The alleged interference of the Farm Credit Administration located at Washington with the board of directors and other administrative officials of said institution in the proper discharge of their duties under the law, rules, and regulations governing said institution.

(h) The cause of the alleged failure of said Wichita Land Bank in giving attention to and taking care of the applications for loans arising from the territory embraced within such Federal land-bank district.

(i) The extent, if any, to which detrimental partisan politics has influenced the policies and activities of said Wichita institution.

(j) The extent, if any, of the alleged charge that partisan politics has dictated and controlled the selection and employment of attorneys to represent the said Wichita Land Bank and allied institutions in the conduct of its business.

(k) The committee is authorized and directed to investigate all matters connected with the said Wichita (Kans.) Federal Land Bank and allied institutions with a view to the formulation and submission of legislation for the consideration of the Congress.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee or any subcommittee thereof is authorized to hold hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Congress until the final report is submitted, to require by subpena, or otherwise, the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Ludwig Baer; Minnie C. De Back; Knud O. Flakne; and William E. B. Grant; to the Committee on Claims.

Philip R. Roby; to the Committe on Finance.

Highway to connect Northwest United States with British Columbia; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Thomas G. Carlin; Lyman I. Collins; Harry T. Herring; Harry Stanbrough Monell; Harry L. Reaves; Florence Sullivan; Acors Rathbun Thompson; *Tuscania*; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

John N. Aull; Clara V. Crossland; Joseph F. Haynes; Samuel Johnson; Anna McNamara; Lottie A. Torrance; and John T. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE

Mr. Bulow submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 62), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Civil Service, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to

report such hearings as may be held in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

"MORRO CASTLE" AND "MOHAWK" STEAMSHIP DISASTERS

Mr. Wagner submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 63), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

Whereas on September 8, 1934, the steamship *Morro Castle*, within 6 hours of its schedule arrival in the port of New York, was swept by fire at sea with the loss of many lives; and

Whereas on January 24, 1935, the steamship *Mohawk* went down at sea with the loss of many additional lives; and

Whereas various investigations already held and now being held in connection with the *Morro Castle* disaster and the loss of the *Mohawk*, when combined with the records of other maritime tragedies in recent years, create a prima facie case that remediable conditions exist which do not tend to produce the utmost practicable degree of safety from the perils encountered upon the sea; and

Whereas it is imperative that life and property be accorded the utmost attainable degree of safety from such perils: Therefore be it

Resolved, That a special select committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed (1) to collect, collate, coordinate, and make available to the Senate the results of (a) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* distaster conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Steamboat Inspection Service of the Department of Commerce; (b) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* disaster, and the actions taken in connection with or subsequent to such inquiry, by the United States attorney for the southern district of New York; (c) such inquiries into the *Mohawk* disaster as have been or may be conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Steamboat Inspection Service of the Department of Commerce and by the United States attorney for the southern district of New York, and the actions taken in connection with or subsequent to such inquiry; and (d) such other inquiries into the *Morro Castle* disaster, the *Mohawk* disaster, and other maritime tragedies as would, in the discretion of the committee, be helpful for the purposes of this resolution; (2) to make such further investigations of the *Morro Castle* and the *Mohawk* disasters, including the rescue operations carried on in connection therewith, as the committee shall deem advisable and necessary for the purposes of this resolution; (3) to investigate the adequacy and enforcement of the present legal standards of safety of ship construction and operation; (4) to investigate the prevalent methods and practices in the complementing of seagoing vessels, including all conditions of employment; (5) to investigate the adequacy and efficiency of the Steamboat Inspection Service; (6) to investigate whether the laws governing liability for loss of life and property at sea, the laws and usage of salvage, and the laws, usages, and practices of the business of marine insurance tend to encourage the installation and utilization of such devices and the promotion of such practices as are conducive to safety and to a paramount concern at all times for the preservation of life; and (7) to make a preliminary report of the results of its investigations as soon as practicable, to make further reports from time to time, but at least once during each regular session of the Senate until it has completed its investigations, and to submit a final report to the Senate, together with its recommendations for necessary legislation. The President of the Senate shall appoint members to fill any vacancies that may occur in the committee.

For the purposes of this resolution such committee or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses until the final report is submitted, to employ such counsel, experts, and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony and make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic service to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of such committee, which shall not exceed $50,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

JUDICIAL DISTRICTS IN MICHIGAN

Mr. Vandenberg submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 64), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Whereas there is great congestion in the district courts of the United States for the eastern district of Michigan; and

Whereas there is an apparent need for a fourth district judge in said eastern district of Michigan; and

Whereas the eastern and western districts of Michigan cover vast geographical areas; and

Whereas great inconvenience in conducting the business of the district courts of said districts results from the traveling made necessary by the vastness of such areas; and

Whereas it may be advisable to redistrict the State of Michigan, creating three judicial districts therein, instead of providing for a fourth judge in the eastern district of said State: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Department of Justice is requested to investigate the advisability of such redistricting and to report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation.

THE WORLD COURT

Pending the further consideration of the three protocols concerning the adherence of the United States to the World Court,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR CERTAIN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

On motion by Mr. Adams,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935; and the reported amendments having been agreed to, and the joint resolution further amended on the motion of Mr. Adams, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, the motion of Mr. McCarran, and the motion of Mr. Byrnes,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "Joint resolution making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 27 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in executive session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE WORLD COURT

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court.

Pending which,

The following proceedings were had, as in legislative session, by unanimous consent:

HOLDING AND OPERATING COMPANIES OF ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 83 (70th Cong., 1st sess.), chapter XIV of the summary report of the Commission on the economic, financial, and corporate phases of holding and operating companies of the electric and gas utilities, containing the conclusions and recommendations of the Commission; which, with the accompanying report, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

CLAIM OF A. CYRIL CRILLEY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley, assistant trade commissioner, and special disbursing officer of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, urging the enactment of legislation to limit and restrict the importation of foreign newsprint pulp and pulpwood;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring the payment in cash of adjusted-service certificates; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of an old-age pension law, with adequate provision to alleviate the present burden of the care of the aged on the States and local communities; to the Committee on Finance.

A telegram from Earl W. Loudon, of Springfield, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of the joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Vice President laid before the Senate petitions of various citizens and organizations in the United States praying the ratification of the World Court protocols; and

Memorials of citizens and organizations in the United States remonstrating against such ratification.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Maloney presented a resolution adopted by St. Anthony of Padua Church, of Bridgeport, Conn., remonstrating against the antireligious activities of Mexico and favoring appropriate action by the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by the Common Council of Buffalo, N. Y., favoring the retention at that place of the district office of the Coast Guard; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, favoring a survey of the status of alfalfa weevil in Idaho; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Murray presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring the immediate payment in cash of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bailey presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates at face value, with cancelation of interest accrued and refund of interest paid; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 118) to prohibit expenditures of any moneys for housing, feeding, or transporting conventions or meetings, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble thereto be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. McNary, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 462. A bill to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon (Rept. No. 30); and

S. 464. A bill to add certain lands to the Malheur National Forest in the State of Oregon (Rept. No. 29).

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 31) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4304) to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 32) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 1470) to provide a preliminary examination and survey of Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Bilbo:

A bill (S. 1471) to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1472) for the relief of the First Camden National Bank & Trust Co., of Camden, N. J.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1473) directing the Secretary of State not to enter into any reciprocal trade agreements or understandings with any nation engaging in religious or racial persecution; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1474) for the relief of Paul H. Creswell; and

A bill (S. 1475) for the relief of H. A. Taylor; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 1476) to provide for unemployment relief through development of mineral resources, to assist the development of privately owned mineral claims, to provide for the development of emergency and deficiency minerals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1477) to authorize the use of public lands for camp sites, refining works, and other purposes in connection with mineral permits and leases;

A bill (S. 1478) validating certain applications for and entries of public lands, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 1479) to amend an act of Congress approved June 13, 1933 (48 Stat. 139), entitled "An act to extend the mining laws of the United States to the Death Valley Monument in California"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1480) to authorize the addition of certain lands to the Wenatchee National Forest; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1481) granting an annuity to John O. Jones; and

A bill (S. 1482) extending the provisions of an act entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes', approved May 22, 1920, and acts in amendment thereof", to John E. Gilmore; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 1483) for the relief of William E. Williams;

A bill (S. 1484) for the relief of Leo Yates;

A bill (S. 1485) for the relief of C. H. Reynolds, assignee of the Bitu-Mass Paving Co., of Spokane, Wash.;

A bill (S. 1486) for the relief of William Smith; and

A bill (S. 1487) for the relief of Mick C. Cooper; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1488) granting a pension to Rose Bingman; and

A bill (S. 1489) granting a pension to Florance A. Gilbert; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1490) for the relief of Earl A. Ross; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 1491) to direct the distribution of the interest and principal of the permanent fund of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota in accordance with the true purpose and intent of the agreement made pursuant to the act of January 14, 1889;

A bill (S. 1492) to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act;

A bill (S. 1493) providing for payment of $50 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of Minnesota from the funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States; and

A bill (S. 1494) to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota to submit claims to the Court of Claims", approved May 14, 1926 (44 Stat. L. 555); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1495) authorizing the President to order Donald O. Miller before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his separation;

A bill (S. 1496) authorizing transportation allowances for families of enlisted men below grade 3 who have been ordered to foreign service; and

A bill (S. 1497) to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1498) for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;

A bill (S. 1499) for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;

A bill (S. 1500) for the relief of L. E. Baumgarten;

A bill (S. 1501) for the relief of C. B. Dickinson; and

A bill (S. 1502) for the relief of Charles L. Graves; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings):

A bill (S. 1503) for the relief of Chester Johnson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1504) authorizing the Arapahoe and Cheyenne Indians to submit claims to the Court of Claims, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1505) for the relief of William Edward Tidwell; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 1506) to change the name of the Pickwick Landing Dam to Quin Dam; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1507) granting a pension to Ida Lott;

A bill (S. 1508) granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Lake;

A bill (S. 1509) granting a pension to Annie Hankal;

A bill (S. 1510) granting a pension to Charles H. Culbert; and

A bill (S. 1511) granting a pension to William Lowrance; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 1512) for the relief of Celeste C. Anderson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 48) to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed one additional year and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

INDIAN AFFAIRS ITEMS IN INTERIOR DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION BILLS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 65), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That clause 6 of rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate is amended by inserting immediately before the period at the end thereof a semicolon and the following: *and that three members of the Committee on Indian Affairs, to be selected by said committee, shall be ex officio members of the Committee on Appropriations, to serve on said committee when the items pertaining to Indian affairs are being considered by the Committee on Appropriations in the bill making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and at least one member of the Committee on Indian Affairs shall be a member of any conference committee appointed to confer with the House upon items pertaining to Indian affairs contained in the bill making appropriations for the Department of the Interior.*

MARIAN RYAN

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Tydings) submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 66), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Marian Ryan, guardian for Elizabeth Straining, sole heir and dependent of Kathryn Straining, deceased, late employee in the office of Senator Tydings, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate she was receiving by law at the time of her death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

THE WORLD COURT

The consideration of the three protocols concerning adherence of the United States to the World Court having been concluded,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

SURVEY OF LAND AND WATER POLICIES AND PROJECTS

The Vice President, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Resolution 58, authorizing a survey of land and water policies and projects of the executive agencies of the Government, appointed Mr. O'Mahoney, Mr. Pittman, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Adams, Mr. Norris, Mr. McNary, and Mr. Norbeck as the members of the special committee created therein.

ADDITIONAL CLERK TO COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 50) authorizing the Committee on Foreign Relations to employ an additional clerk, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

STREAM POLLUTION AND PURIFICATION

Mr. Lonergan presented a manuscript covering a conference on a proposal to create a Federal authority over stream pollution and stream purification, together with a report by himself covering activities subsequent to the conference; which was referred to the Committee on Printing, with a view to being printed as a Senate document.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 6 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar days of Monday, January 28, and Tuesday, January 29, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

EXTENSION OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Glass, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REPORT OF FEDERAL COORDINATOR OF TRANSPORTATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendations from the Federal Coordinator of Transportation for further legislation to improve transportation conditions throughout the country, with the comment of the Commission upon his recommendations; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORT ON CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY FUND

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the Civil Service Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the fourteenth annual report of the board of actuaries of the civil service retirement and disability fund for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

BALANCE SHEET OF WASHINGTON RAPID TRANSIT CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the balance sheet of the Washington Rapid Transit Co., transmitted, pursuant to law, as of December 31, 1934; which was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates at face value, with cancelation of interest accrued and refund of interest paid, by the issuance of new currency; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma favoring the construction of a dam between the towns of Pensacola and Ketchum, in northeastern Oklahoma; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Council of Toledo, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the submission of a constitutional amendment exempting from taxation and from sale on account of nonpayment of taxes every homestead to the extent of the first $3,000 of valuation thereof, and the enactment of legislation to increase inheritance, income, and public utilities taxes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President laid before the Senate memorials of citizens of the United States remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the passage of a plain, workable old-age pension law, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Pawnee County Farm Bureau, of Larned, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for commodity storage on farms and remonstrating against a general sales tax, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON POST OFFICES AND POST ROADS

Mr. O'Mahoney, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 33) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1226) to prohibit the sending of unsolicited merchandise through the mails, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 34) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Metcalf, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 312) for the relief of Lillian G. Frost, and that it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1513) to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1514) for the relief of the Columbia Boat & Barge System, Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1515) for the relief of George Rodiek; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1516) granting a pension to Martha C. Smith (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 1517) for the improvement and protection of the beaches along the shores of the United States; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 1518) to establish a 6-hour day for employees of carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1519) permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1520) for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1521) to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District, No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 1522) to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

A bill (S. 1523) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

A bill (S. 1524) to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

A bill (S. 1525) to provide funds for cooperation with joint school district no. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

A bill (S. 1526) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

A bill (S. 1527) to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children;

A bill (S. 1528) for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

A bill (S. 1529) to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children;

A bill (S. 1530) to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont.;

A bill (S. 1531) to credit the Fort Belknap Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Fort Belknap Reservation, Mont.; and

A bill (S. 1532) to credit the Crow Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Crow Reservation, Mont.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1533) to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District, No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 1534) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.; and

A bill (S. 1535) to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District, No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1536) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 1537) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 1538) for the relief of Jordan B. Gross; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1539) relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

A bill (S. 1540) to punish assaults upon or robbery of persons lawfully in charge of money or other property of the United States;

A bill (S. 1541) to punish persons knowingly causing the delivery by mail of certain nonmailable matter;

A bill (S. 1542) limiting the collection of demurrage charges on collect-on-delivery parcels;

A bill (S. 1543) to punish fraudulent attempts to obtain mail matter from authorized depositories;

A bill (S. 1544) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska; and

A bill (S. 1545) to punish forgery or counterfeiting of postmarking stamps, or their possession, use, or sale; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1546) granting a pension to Rue S. Jackson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1547) for the relief of Arthur Richter; and

A bill (S. 1548) for the relief of Douglas B. Espy; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1549) for the relief of Samuel Kaufman;

A bill (S. 1550) for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin;

A bill (S. 1551) to correct the military record of John S. Cannell, deceased; and

A bill (S. 1552) for the relief of Hugh Callahan; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

EMPLOYMENT FOR GRADUATES OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 67):

Whereas one of the most tragic results of the depression is the effect it has had upon the lives of young men and women emerging from our educational institutions; and

Whereas there are several million young people between the ages of 18 and 30 who have graduated from grammar schools, high schools, preparatory schools, trade and normal schools, domestic-science schools, art schools, music conservatories, colleges, universities, and professional schools who have in large numbers entered into a work world where no opportunities have been open to them to obtain a start in business or to commence the practice of their professions; and

Whereas this large group may become demoralized and disheartened, and thus constitute a dangerous addition to the discontented and radical-minded elements, and also offer a challenge to the system which permits the minds and ingenuities of its youth to be wasted; and

Whereas it is the duty of the Federal Government to use every possible means of opening up opportunities in private industry and in the Government service for these young people so that they may be rehabilitated and restored to a decent standard of living and insured proper development for their talents: Be it therefore

Resolved, That the Secretary of Labor is hereby directed to—

1. Furnish the Senate at earliest convenience with an estimated statement of the number of young men and women between the ages of 18 and 30 who have emerged from educational institutions and who are at present without permanent employment and what, if any, study has been made of this problem by any department of the Government.

2. Inform the Senate whether or not, in the opinion of said Secretary, it would be feasible to create a special division of the Department of Labor, or a special bureau in the Public Works Administration, the duties of which would be to maintain contact with other governmental departments and agencies, the labor departments of the several States and private employers, for the purpose of ascertaining administrative and professional employment that would be available to young men and women coming out of our educational institutions, to which each department and agency of the Government would be required to submit a list of positions deemed suitable for young men and women of this class.

3. Advise the Senate as to the feasibility of the Secretary of Labor, through this division or bureau, receiving applications from such unemployed young men and women as are now desirous of obtaining employment and assigning them to such positions as may be available, according to their character, qualifications, and fitness.

4. Report any appropriate suggestions or recommendations for proper legislation relating to the classifying of this group and allocating to its qualified members available positions in the Government service likely to arise as a result of relief legislation now pending before the Congress.

5. That the Civil Service Commission is hereby directed to submit to the Senate information concerning what steps, if any, said Commission has taken to encourage men and women of this group to classify in the civil service by taking examinations therefor, and advise the Senate in the event that nothing has been done upon the feasibility of encouraging young men and women to enter the civil service; also as to what means, in the opinion of said Commission, would be best adapted by legislation or otherwise to promote the classification of members of this group in the civil service.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

JENNIE JONES

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 68), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Jennie Jones, widow of George R. Jones, late an employee in the Senate Office Building, under direction of the custodian of said building, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

WORKING CONDITIONS IN AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY

Mr. Schwellenbach submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 69), which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor:

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Resolved, That owing to the dissatisfaction of the workers in the automobile manufacturing industry with the labor policies of that industry, and to the apparent inability and unwillingness of the industry to stabilize employment and to pay a yearly wage upon which workers in the industry can live without dependence upon public and private charity, the Committee on Education and Labor, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, be hereby authorized and directed to investigate immediately the working conditions of employees in the automobile body manufacturing, parts manufacturing, tool and die making, or any other manufacturing for the automotive industry in the United States, in order to determine (1) whether the charges made by the workers in the automotive industry of the United States that the industry has consistently refused to abide by the provisions of section 7 (a) of the National Industrial Recovery Act are true; (2) whether the charges that the automobile manufacturers have initiated and supported company unions in violation of the provisions of section 7 (a) of the National Industrial Recovery Act and have forced employees to accept those company unions under penalty of discharge or other discrimination are true; to ascertain and determine the amounts of money diverted from the earnings of employees and dissipated by the employer in the development and maintenance of company unions, works councils, espionage systems, detective agencies, etc.; (3) whether the employers of the automotive industry, with the purpose of counteracting any effects which the code of fair competition for that industry might have on employment, have speeded up production to a point beyond the endurance of the workers; (4) whether the employers of the automotive industry have adopted a policy toward their employees of refusal to hire older men whose energies have, in a few years, been exhausted by the speed at which they must work in this industry; (5) whether employees of the automotive industry are prevented by discrimination, intimidation, and coercion from joining a bona fide trade union; (6) whether the employees of the automotive industry are refused free choice of the organization by which they wish to be represented for collective bargaining; (7) whether all efforts of the employees in the automotive industry to bargain collectively with the employers through their freely chosen representatives have been frustrated by the employers in violation of section 7 (a) of the National Industrial Recovery Act. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation. For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate until the final report is submitted, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony, and make such expenditures as it deems advisable. Every person who, having been summoned as a witness by authority of said committee or any subcommittee thereof, willfully makes default or who, having appeared, refuses to answer any question pertinent to the investigation herein authorized, shall be liable to the penalties provided by section 102 of the Revised Statutes of the United States. The expenses of the committee or subcommittee, which shall not exceed $, shall be paid from the fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

AMENDMENT OF SECOND LIBERTY BOND ACT

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4304) to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Vandenberg raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Dieterich in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Steagall, Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Hollister, and Mr. Wolcott managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Arnold, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Taber, and Mr. Bacon managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3410) making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR CERTAIN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Adams, Mr. Glass, and Mr. Hale.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of bills on the calendar under rule VIII.

The following bills were thereupon considered; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 575. A bill to amend the Mining Act of May 10, 1872, as amended;

S. 753. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Wales Island Packing Co.;

S. 619. A bill to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920; and

S. 406. A bill to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 411. A bill to authorize an annual appropriation of $10,000 to pay the pro rata share of the United States of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History at Mexico City;

S. 736. A bill for the relief of Louise Fox;

S. 403. A bill to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections numbered 5 and 6;

S. 92. A bill to prohibit the making of photographs, sketches, or maps of vital military and naval defensive installations and equipment, and for other purposes;

S. 464. A bill to add certain lands to the Malheur National Forest in the State of Oregon; and

S. 462. A bill to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been amended on the motion of Mr. La Follette, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JAN. 31), 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 3410, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 118, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

H. R. 3410. An act making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 118. Joint resolution to prohibit expenditure of any moneys for housing, feeding, or transporting conventions or meetings.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THOMAS JEFFERSON MEMORIAL COMMISSION

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. Thomas of Utah, and Mr. McNary as the members of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Commission created by public resolution approved June 26, 1934.

Mr. Harrison, upon his own request, was subsequently excused from service as a member of the said Commission.

The Vice President thereupon appointed Mr. Lonergan to fill the vacancy.

ANNUAL REPORT OF FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Administrator of the Federal Housing Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the operations of the Administration for the period commencing with the approval of the Federal Housing Act June 27, 1934, to December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

ANNUAL REPORT OF GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 12 of the act of Congress of March 2, 1917, entitled "An act to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico, and for other purposes", I transmit herewith for the information of the Congress the Thirty-fourth Annual Report of the Governor of Puerto Rico for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 31, 1935.*

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York memorializing Congress to enact an antilynching law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York memorializing Congress to enact legislation to abolish the Federal sales tax on gasoline and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of a plain, workable old-age pension law; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen, of Chelsea, Mass., and memorials of citizens and organizations in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the persecution of religion in Mexico, which were referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Frazier presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

A resolution adopted by the Women's Nonpartisan Club, of Hazelton, N. Dak., favoring the enactment of legislation providing farm relief, old-age pensions, and a national moratorium, and favoring world peace: and

A petition of McLeod (N. Dak.) Local, No. 1118, Farmers Union Junior, praying farm relief, the establishment of a bank of the United States, the remonetization of silver, immediate payment of the soldiers' bonus, and a graduated income tax, and remonstrating against a sales tax in any form.

STREAM POLLUTION AND PURIFICATION

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the manuscript of a conference with reference to a proposal to create a Federal authority over stream pollution and purification, with the accompanying report of Senator Lonergan covering activities subsequent to the conference, reported it with the recommendation that it be printed.

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

Ordered, That the recommendation be agreed to.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys:

S. 714. A bill providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.; and

S. 867. A bill providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 1553) granting a pension to Sadie L. Doran; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 1554) extending the classified civil service to include special-delivery messengers; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1555) providing for examination and survey with a view to building a canal across Cape May County, N. J., connecting the State Inland Waterway with Delaware Bay; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 1556) to authorize production credit associations to make loans to commercial fishermen; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1557) to authorize annual surveys in connection with the control and eradication of grasshoppers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1558) for the relief of Robert W. Krieger; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1559) granting a pension to Della M. C. Rudolph; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 1560) to authorize the payment of annuities withheld from employees retired from active service during

the month of July 1932 under the provisions of the economy law; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1561) to provide relief for disbursing officers of the Army in certain cases; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 1562) to amend section 62, chapter 3, title 45, of the Code of Laws of the United States of America; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1563) for the relief of George L. Stone; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1564) granting a pension to Stanley N. Rice; and

A bill (S. 1565) granting a pension to Cassie Randolph; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 1566) for the relief of Carl C. Christensen; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1567) for the relief of certain claimants in cases of contracts connected with prosecution of the World War; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A bill (S. 1568) granting an increase of pension to Burel E. Pollard; to the Committee on Pensions.

RELIGIOUS PERSECUTIONS IN MEXICO

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 70), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas serious antireligious outbreaks have occurred in Mexico under the regime of the National Revolutionary Party now in control of the Government of Mexico; and

Whereas the persecutions of Christians of all faiths now being practiced in Mexico have aroused indignation and protest throughout the civilized world; and

Whereas American citizens of the Christian faiths have been outraged and reviled, their homes invaded, their civil rights abridged, and their lives placed in jeopardy; and

Whereas the vindictive antireligious policy of the present Mexican Government has arbitrarily and unwarrantably restricted the number of ministers, priests, and rabbis permitted to officiate in some States within the boundaries of Mexico and has in other States entirely forbidden and prohibited the ordinary spiritual ministrations of clergymen of all creeds, thus resulting in the complete denial of the right of the people to practice the religion of their own choosing; and

Whereas it has been the national policy of the Government and the dominant Revolutionary Party of Mexico to discourage religious profession and obliterate religious worship; and

Whereas the present Mexican Government prohibits the time-honored practice of private religious instruction and education of children and compels parents as an only alternative to ignorance to educate their children in schools teaching hostility to orthodox religion; and

Whereas such antireligious activity in Mexico is contrary to the traditions of freedom of conscience and liberty of religious worship, which are the cherished attributes of all civilized governments; and

Whereas many distinguished leaders of the Protestant, Jewish, and Catholic faiths, as well as outstanding religious and interdenominational organizations and societies, have emphatically denounced and registered protest against such policies of the present Government and Mexico; and

Whereas the Government of Mexico has even encouraged an economic boycott against those sincerely professing and practicing the Christian religion; and

Whereas Christian residents of Mexico who complain of such intolerance are flagrantly mistreated and abused: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States deems it fitting and proper to protest the antireligious campaign and practices of the present rulers of Mexico; and that it views with the gravest concern such ruthless persecution of helpless men and women who have become the innocent victims of antireligious persecution; be it further

Resolved, That it strongly condemns the cruelties and brutalities that have accompanied the campaign of the present Mexican Government against the profession and practice of religious beliefs by our nationals of all religious faiths now domiciled in Mexico; be it further

Resolved, That it calls upon the Government of Mexico in the name of humanity to cease denying fundamental and inalienable rights to those of our nationals who may be resident in Mexico regardless of religious convictions; and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations of the United States Senate, or a subcommittee thereof, be authorized to conduct hearings and receive such evidence as may be presented relating to religious persecution and antireligious compulsion and agitation in Mexico for the purpose of determining the policy of the United States in reference to this vital problem and in what way we may best serve the cause of tolerance and religious freedom.

For the purpose of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

FARM CREDIT ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendments in part were agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 2, beginning in line 20, was amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, and the motion of Mr. Frazier.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unaninmous consent,

Ordered, That the said bill be recommitted to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

SPECIAL MEXICAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1068) to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934.

The reported amendments having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. King,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

AVIATION CONDITIONS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

I am submitting herewith the report of the Federal Aviation Commission appointed by me last summer by direction of the Seventy-third Congress. The Commission has made a diligent study of the broad subject of aviation conditions here and elsewhere, and emphasizes the excellent American progress in this new form of transportation. The Commission has also studied problems of national defense, of procurement policies, and of the extension of air-transport services. I invite your attention to these comprehensive surveys.

As I have suggested on many occasions, it becomes more and more apparent that the Government of the United States should bring about a consolidation of its methods of supervision over all forms of transportation. When the Interstate Commerce Commission was created in 1887 the railroad was practically the principal method of rapid interstate transportation. Since that time this monopoly of transportation enjoyed by the railroad, to a very important degree, has been limited by the development of the automobile and good interstate roads. Recently water transportation by lake, by river, by canal, and by oceans has, largely through the construction of the Panama Canal and our inland waterways, definitely brought ships and shipping into the general interstate field. More recently still air transportation has become an element. All of these developments have changed the general problem of transportation and the concern of the Government with them. A number of valuable reports have been prepared on these related questions. The report of the Federal Coordinator of Transportation has already been submitted to the Congress by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The report deals with the many problems relating to busses, trucks, water carriers, and railroads. Other reports of departmental committees on ocean-mail subsidies have been completed. This present report on aviation is a similar source of information and advice concerning transportation by air. I earnestly suggest that the Congress consider these various reports, together in the light of the necessity for the development of interrelated planning of our national transportation. At a later date I shall ask the Congress for general legislation centralizing the supervision of air and water and highway transportation with adjustments of our present methods of organization in order to meet new and additional responsibilities.

There are detailed questions, however, that require early action. Our extended mail contracts with air lines expire on or about March 1, and existing legislation dealing with primary and secondary routes should be revised before that time. The Commission suggests that the Interstate Commerce Commission be given temporarily the power to lower or increase air-mail rates as warranted in their judgment after full investigation. The purpose of this is to prevent the destruction of any efficiently operated part of the present system pending suitable consideration by the Congress of what permanent measures should be taken and what amendment, if any, the present general transportation policy of the Government should undergo. I concur in this recommendation of the Federal Aviation Commission, provided always that the grant of this duty to the Interstate Commerce Commission be subject to provisions against unreasonable profits by any private carrier. On account of the fact that an essential objective during this temporary period is to provide for the continuation of efficiently operated companies and to guard against their destruction, it is only fair to suggest that during this period any profits at all by such companies should be a secondary consideration. Government aid in this case is legitimate in order to save companies from disastrous loss but not in order to provide profits.

The Commission further recommends the creation of a temporary Air Commerce Commission. In this recommendation I am unable to concur. I believe that we should avoid the multiplication of separate regulatory agencies in the field of transportation. Therefore, in the interim before a permanent consolidated agency is created or designated over transportation as a whole, a division of the Interstate Commerce Commission can well serve the needs of air transportation. In the granting of powers and duties by the Congress orderly government calls for the administration of executive functions by those administrative departments or agencies which have functioned satisfactorily in the past and, on the other hand, calls for the vesting of judicial functions in agencies already accustomed to such powers. It is this principle that should be followed in all of the various aspects of transportation legislation.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 31, 1935.*

EXTENSION OF AIR-MAIL CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MAILING OF UNSOLICITED MERCHANDISE

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1226) to prohibit the sending of unsolicited merchandise through the mails; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Jones, Mr. Fulmer, Mr. Doxey, Mr. Hope, and Mr. Kinzer managers at the same on its part.

The President of the United States has informed the House that on January 28, 1935, he approved and signed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 112) to clarify the definition of disagreement in section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

EXTENSION OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

Mr. Fletcher submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment insert the following: *That until February 1, 1937, or such earlier date as the President may fix by proclamation, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby authorized to continue to perform all functions which it is authorized to perform under law, and the liquidation and winding up of its affairs as provided for by section 13 of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended, are hereby postponed during the period that the functions of the Corporation are continued pursuant to this act: Provided, That no officer or employee of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall receive salary at a rate in excess of $10,000 per annum, except that in the case of any position the salary of which at the date of the enactment of this act is at the rate of $12,500 per annum such salary may continue at such rate.*

Sec. 2. (a) Except as provided in section 5d of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended by section 10 hereof, and in section 9 of an act entitled "An act relating to direct loans for industrial purposes by Federal Reserve banks, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1934, no funds shall be disbursed on any commitment or agreement hereafter made by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make a loan or advance, subscribe for stock, or purchase capital notes or debentures, after the expiration of one year from the date of such commitment or agreement; but within the period of such one-year limitation no provision of law terminating any of the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall be construed to prohibit disbursement of funds on commitments or agreements to make loans or advances, subscribe for preferred stock, or purchase capital notes or debentures.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, disbursement may be made at any time prior to January 31, 1936, on any commitment or agreement heretofore made by the Corporation to make a loan or advance, subscribe for preferred stock, or purchase capital notes or debentures.

Sec. 3. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law limiting the maturity of obligations taken by it to shorter periods, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation may make loans or advances or renewals or extensions thereof to authorized borrowers or by other suitable agreement permit them to run so as to mature at such time or times as the Corporation may determine, not later than January 31, 1945: Provided, That in respect of loans or renewals or extensions of loans or purchases of obligations under section 5 of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as heretofore and herein amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14), to or of railroads, the Corporation may require as a condition of making any such loan or renewal or extension for a period longer than five years, or purchasing any such obligation maturing later than five years from the date of purchase by the Corporation, that such arrangements be made for the reduction or amortization of the indebtedness of the railroad, either in whole or in part, as may be approved by the Corporation after the prior approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Sec. 4. (a) Section 5 of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14), is further amended by striking out all of the third sentence of the third paragraph thereof through the first colon and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Within the foregoing limitations of this section, the Corporation, notwithstanding any limitation of law as to maturity, with the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, including approval of the price to be paid, may, to aid in the financing, reorganization, consolidation, maintenance, or construction thereof, purchase for itself, or for account of a railroad obligated thereon, the obligations of railroads engaged in interstate commerce, including equipment trust certificates, or guarantee the payment of the principal of, and/or interest on, such obligations, including equipment trust certificates, or, when, in the opinion of the Corporation, funds are not available on reasonable terms through private channnels, make loans, upon full and adequate security, to such railroads or to receivers or trustees thereof for the purposes aforesaid: Provided, That in the case of loans to or the purchase or guarantee of obligations, including equipment trust certificates, of railroads not in receivership or trusteeship, the Interstate Commerce Commission shall, in connection with its approval thereof, also certify that such railroad, on the basis of present and prospective earnings, may reasonably be expected to meet its fixed charges, without a reduction thereof through judicial reorganization, except that such certificate shall not be required in case of such loans made for the maintenance of, or purchase of equipment for, such railroads: And provided further, That for the purpose of determining the general funds of the Corporation available for further loans or commitments, such guaranties shall, to the extent of the principal amount of the obligations guaranteed, be interpreted as loans or commitments for loans: Provided further, That the total amount of loans and commitments to railroads, receivers, and trustees, and purchases and guaranties of obligations of railroads, under this paragraph, as amended, shall not exceed at any one time $350,000,000, in addition to loans and commitments made prior to the date of enactment of this act and renewals of loans and commitments so made."

(b) Section 5 of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14), is further amended by striking out at the end of the third paragraph thereof the colon and the following: "Provided further, That the Corporation may make said loans to trustees of railroads which proceed to reorganize under section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act of March 3, 1933", and inserting in lieu thereof a period.

Sec. 5. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14), is further amended by inserting after section 5b thereof the following new section:

"Sec. 5c. To assist in the reestablishment of a normal mortgage market, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation may, with the approval of the President, subscribe for or make loans upon the nonassessable stock of any class of any national mortgage association organized under title III of the National Housing Act and of any mortgage loan company, trust company, savings and loan association, or other similar financial institution, now or hereafter incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of any State, or of the District of Columbia, the principal business of which institution is that of making loans upon mortgages, deeds of trust, or other instruments conveying, or constituting a lien upon, real estate or any interest therein. In any case in which, under the laws of its incorporation, such financial institution is not permitted to issue nonassessable stock, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized, for the purposes of this section, to purchase the legally issued capital notes or debentures of such financial institutions. The total face amount of loans outstanding, nonassessable stock subscribed for, and capital notes and debentures purchased and held by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, under this section, shall not exceed at any one time $100,000,000. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation may, under such rules and regulations as it may prescribe (which regulations shall include at least sixty days' notice of any proposed sale to the issuer or maker), sell, at public or private sale, the whole or any part of the stock, capital notes, or debentures acquired by the Corporation pursuant to this section, and the preferred stock, capital notes, or debentures acquired pursuant to any other provision of law. The amount of notes, bonds, debentures, and other such obligations which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and empowered to issue and to have outstanding at any one time under existing law is hereby increased by an amount sufficient to carry out the provisions of this section."

Sec. 6. Section 5e (a) of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended, is amended (1) by inserting in the first sentence thereof after the words "the assets" and before the words "of any bank", the following: ", or any portion thereof,"; and (2) by inserting in the second sentence thereof after the words "such assets" and before the words "held for the benefit" the following: ", or any portion thereof,".

Sec. 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, Commodity Credit Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware as an agency of the United States pursuant to the Executive order of the President of October 16, 1933, shall continue, until April 1, 1937, or such earlier date as may be fixed by the President by Executive order, to be an agency of the United States. During the continuance of such agency, the Secretary of Agriculture and the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration are authorized and directed to continue, for the use and benefit of the United States, the present investment in the capital stock of Commodity Credit Corporation, and the corporation is hereby authorized to use all its assets, including capital and net earnings therefrom, and all moneys which have been or may hereafter be allocated to or borrowed by it, in the exercise of its functions as such agency, including the making of loans on agricultural commodities.

Sec. 8. Section 1 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to subscribe for preferred stock and purchase the capital notes of insurance companies, and for other purposes", approved June 10, 1933, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14, sec. 605e), is amended by striking from the last sentence thereof "$50,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$75,000,000."

Sec. 9. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Export-Import Bank of Washington, and the Second Export-Import Bank of Washington, District of Columbia, banking corporations organized under the laws of the District of Columbia as agencies of the United States, pursuant to Executive orders of the President, shall continue, until June 16, 1937, or such earlier date as may be fixed by the President by Executive order, to be agencies of the United States, and in addition to existing charter powers, and without limitation as to the total amount of obligations thereto of any borrower, endorser, acceptor, obligor, or guarantor at any time outstanding, said banking corporations are hereby authorized and empowered to discount notes, drafts, bills of exchange, and other evidences of debt for the purpose of aiding in the financing and facilitating exports and imports and the exchange of commodities between the United States and any of its territories and insular possessions and any foreign country or the agencies or nationals thereof, and, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, to borrow money and rediscount notes, drafts, bills of exchange, and other evidences of debt for the purposes aforesaid. During the continuance of such agencies, the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Commerce are authorized and directed to continue, for the use and benefit of the United States, the present investment in the capital stock of said banking corporations, and they are hereby authorized to use all of their assets, including capital and net earnings therefrom, except such earnings as may be required from time to time to pay dividends upon their preferred capital stock, and to use all moneys which have been or may hereafter be allocated to or borrowed by them, in the exercise of their functions as such agencies.

Sec. 10. Section 5d of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 15, ch. 14), is amended (1) by striking out all of the first sentence thereof after the word "industry" and the remainder of the first paragraph and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

", and to any institution, now or hereafter established, financing principally the sale of electrical, plumbing or air conditioning appliances or equipment or other household appliances, both urban and rural. Such loans shall, in the opinion of the board of directors of the Corporation, be so secured as reasonably to assure repayment of the loans, may be made directly, or in cooperation with banks or other lending institutions, or by the purchase of participations, shall mature not later than January 31, 1945, shall be made only when deemed to offer reasonable assurance of continued or increased employment of labor, shall be made only when, in the opinion of the board of directors of the Corporation, the borrower is solvent, shall not exceed $300,000,000 in aggregate amount at any one time outstanding, and shall be subject to such terms, conditions, and restrictions as the board of directors of the Corporation may determine.";

and (2) by striking out from the second paragraph thereof the figures "1935" wherever they appear herein and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1937."

Sec. 11. In all cases where the Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall hold any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of any borrower under section 201 (a) of the Emergency Relief and Construction Act of 1932, whether heretofore or hereafter acquired, and such borrower shall be able and willing to substitute or cause to be substituted therefor any other bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, whether of the same or longer maturities or otherwise differing, which, in the judgment of said Reconstruction Finance Corporation, are more desirable than those so held, the said Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized to accept such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, in exchange and substitution for such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness so held by it, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon with such borrower at the time of, or in contemplation of, such exchange and substitution.

Sec. 12. Section 14 of an act entitled "An act relating to direct loans for industrial purposes by Federal Reserve banks, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1934 (Public, Numbered 417, Seventy-third Congress), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 14. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and empowered to make loans upon sufficient security to recognized and established corporations, individuals, and partnerships engaged in the business of mining, milling, or smelting ores. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and empowered also to make loans to corporations, individuals, and partnerships engaged in the development of a quartz ledge, or vein, or other ore body, or placer deposit, containing gold, silver, or tin, or gold and silver, when, in the opinion of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, there is sufficient reason to believe that, through the use of such loan in the development of a lode, ledge, or vein, or mineral deposit, or placer gravel deposit, there will be developed a sufficient quantity of ore, or placer deposits of a sufficient value to pay a profit upon mining operations: Provided, That not to exceed $20,000 shall be loaned to any corporation, individual, or partnership for such development purposes: Provided further, That there shall not be allocated or made available for such development loans a sum in excess of $10,000,000."

Sec. 13. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and empowered to use as general funds all receipts arising from

the sale or retirement of any of the stock, notes, bonds, or other securities acquired by it pursuant to any provision of law.

And the House agree to the same.

DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
CARTER GLASS,
ROBERT F. WAGNER,
PETER NORBECK,
J. G. TOWNSEND, Jr.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

HENRY B. STEAGALL,
T. ALAN GOLDSBOROUGH,
M. K. REILLY,
JOHN B. HOLLISTER,
JESSE P. WOLCOTT,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL AFTER ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Presiding Officer be, and he is hereby, authorized to sign, after the adjournment of the Senate today, the enrolled bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes.

CROP-PRODUCTION LOANS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Bilbo in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Smith, Mr. Wheeler, and Mr. Norris.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 2 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

ATTENDANCE OF SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. William Gibbs McAdoo, from the State of California, attended.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Thursday, January 31, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4442. An act making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 4983. An act to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forrest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 4304, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 4304) to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL S. 1175

The Vice President announced that, under authority of the order of the Senate of Thursday last, he signed, after the adjournment of the Senate on that day, the enrolled bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes, said bill having previously been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on January 31, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1175) to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 4442 and H. R. 4983, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 4442 be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and that the bill H. R. 4983 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

ANNUAL REPORT OF UNITED STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the secretary of the United States Employees' Compensation Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

ANNUAL REPORT OF NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the president of the National Academy of Sciences, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the academy for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Library.

REPORTS OF PUBLIC-UTILITY COMPANIES OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following communications, which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia:

A communication from the president of the Capital Transit Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the operations of the company for the calendar year 1934, with balance sheet as of December 31, 1934;

A communication from the president of the Washington Interurban Railroad Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the operations of the company for the calendar year 1934;

A communication from the president of the Washington Railway & Electric Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the company for the year ended December 31, 1934;

A communication from the president of the Potomac Electric Power Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the company for the year ended December 31, 1934;

A communication from the president of the Washington Gas Light Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a detailed statement of the business of the company, together with a list of its stockholders, for the year ended December 31, 1934;

A communication from the president of the Georgetown Gaslight Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, a detailed statement of the business of the company, together with a list of its stockholders, for the year ended December 31, 1934;

Two communications from the president of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., transmitting, pursuant to law, the following reports:

A report of the company for the year ended December 31, 1934, containing the actual figures, to be substituted for the report heretofore submitted; and

A report showing the comparative general balance sheet of the company for the year ended December 31, 1934.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana favoring additional appropriations for the continuance of the Federal Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring an appropriation of $1,000,000,000 for the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to extend the benefits provided in the act creating said Corporation; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation to make Irish potatoes a basic agricultural commodity under the Agricultural Adjustment Act; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Missouri favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the immediate payment of the balance due on adjusted-compensation certificates, with remission of interest and other charges against the principal sum of such certificates;

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado memorializing Congress to give consideration to the so-called "Townsend old-age revolving pension plan" or some other suitable plan;

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of an adequate old-age pension law;

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington favoring the immediate passage of legislation to pay in full the face value of adjusted-service certificates;

A petition of Lauritz Jacobsen, of Oakland, Calif., praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" for the payment of old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the Czechoslovak Workers Organizations of Detroit, Mich., favoring the enactment of legislation to provide unemployment, old-age, and social insurance; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana favoring the passage of antilynching legislation; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to compel manufacturers of firearms to mark them serially and to provide for the registration of such serial numbers with the Department of Justice; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of legislation to draft all resources of the Nation in the event of war and adequate control and regulation for the manufacture of all war materials; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A telegram from John B. Trevor, president American Coalition, of Washington, D. C., urging the severance of diplomatic relations with the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A petition by Roy Greene, of Pittsburgh, Pa., praying universal electrification of the railroads; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington favoring the appropriation of ample funds to fully investigate the manufacture of munitions;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin remonstrating against the United States joining the World Court;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to continue the traditional policy of this Nation and stay out of foreign entanglements and remonstrating against our becoming a member of the League of Nations or the World Court;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina urging the passage of pending legislation providing for seed loans; and

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska opposing participation of the United States in the World Court.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Townsend presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Delaware remonstrating against any proposal or participation by the United States in the World Court.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of legislation to draft all resources of the Nation in the event of war and adequate control and regulation for the manufacture of all war materials; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Keyes presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the nontaxation of income in excess of operating expenses derived by the establishment of a State liquor monopoly and a system of State-operated retail liquor stores; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska urging the establishment of a national arboretum at Nebraska City, Nebr.; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska remonstrating against the United States participating in the World Court.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to compel manufacturers of firearms to mark them serially and to provide for the registration of such serial numbers with the Department of Justice; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted at New York City by the supreme board of directors of the Knights of Columbus remonstrating against alleged religious intolerance in the Republic of Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mrs. Caraway presented petitions of citizens of the State of Arkansas praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of citizens and war veterans' organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

Memorials of the New Bedford and Brockton (Mass.) Chambers of Commerce remonstrating against the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

Petitions of citizens and organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation to provide old-age pensions; and

Petitions of citizens and war veterans' organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment into legislation of the four-point program of the American Legion and the seven-point program of the Veterans of Foreign Wars relative to benefits to war veterans and their dependents and national defense; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of citizens and organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying an additional appropriation for the continuance of the investigation of munitions manufacturers.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. King presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Chamber of Commerce of Provo, Utah, praying a continuation of a tariff on copper; and

A resolution adopted at Salt Lake City by the Utah State Federation of Labor favoring a reduction in the Federal excise tax on beer containing not in excess of 3.2 percent of alcohol by weight; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted at Salt Lake City, Utah, by the Association of Western State Engineers favoring a continuation of cooperation between the States and the Geological Survey, snow-survey investigations in the watersheds of the western streams, more extensive recording and analysis of precipitation data, and a speeding up of Federal loans to irrigation, drainage, and levee districts; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A resolution adopted at Salt Lake City, Utah, by the Utah State Federation of Labor favoring the enactment of legislation providing annuities to widows of post-office clerks; to the Committee on Civil Service.

Petitions of citizens and organizations of the State of Utah and a resolution adopted at Denver, Colo., by the Colorado Construction League, praying that relief appropriations made for public-works construction be based on the contract system rather than by day labor; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted at Salt Lake City, Utah, by the Utah State Federation of Labor favoring a graduated hourly wage for substitute postal employees; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the American Federation of Labor, Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the entrance of undesirable aliens entering the United States in the disguise of seamen; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted at Salt Lake City, Utah, by the State Federation of Labor favoring the establishment of a free employment system by the Government; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Fletcher presented petitions of citizens of the United States praying the immediate payment at full face value of adjusted-service certificates, with remission of all interest charges on loans against the certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 24) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 35) thereon.

Mr. Duffey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 547) for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 36) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 823. A bill for the relief of Benjamin H. Southern (Rept. No. 37); and

S. 1095. A bill for the relief of the officers of the Russian Railway Service Corps organized by the War Department under authority of the President of the United States for service during the War with Germany (Rept. No. 38).

Mr. Carey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 56) for the relief of Patrick J. Mulcahey, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 39) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 255) for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 40) thereon.

Mr. Cutting, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 16) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 41) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 1569) to amend the act of June 18, 1934, with respect to loans by production credit associations to oyster planters; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 1570) granting to certain enlisted men of the Army, honorably discharged for disability, the pay of retired warrant officers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 1571) granting the consent of Congress to the States of Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming to negotiate and enter into a compact or agreement for division of the waters of the Little Missouri River; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 1572) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 1573) placing the Post Office Department upon a basis of efficiency and economy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1574) for the relief of Gustav A. Ringelman; and

A bill (S. 1575) to correct the naval record of John Vigeland; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1576) making it a crime to represent one's self to be an Indian, and providing punishment therefor; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1577) for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1578) for the relief of Beryl M. McHam; and

A bill (S. 1579) correcting the military record of Eugene Nash (together with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1580) granting a pension to Mrs. Jessie May Hopkins (together with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1581) for the relief of Samuel C. Sparks; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1582) for the relief of Frederick E. Dixon; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 1583) making an appropriation for the reopening, operation, and maintenance of the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill.; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill (S. 1584) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of T. D. Randall & Co., of Chicago, Ill.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 1585) for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1586) for the relief of E. Elmer Mynatt; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1587) granting a pension to Thomas A. Yadon; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1588) for the relief of Stewart H. Butten (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 1589) authorizing the purchase of United States Supreme Court Decisions and Digest; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1590) to provide for the issuance of route certificates to carriers on star routes, fixing the compensation of such carriers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1591) to amend section 702 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928, relating to the requisitioning of ships in time of national emergency; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1592) for the relief of Edward M. Canady; to the Commitee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1593) for the relief of Lyman D. Drake, Jr.;

A bill (S. 1594) for the relief of the American Trust Co., of Jacksonville, Fla.;

A bill (S. 1595) for the relief of the Citizens Bank & Trust Co., of Tampa, Fla.; and

A bill (S. 1596) for the relief of the Llewellyn Machinery Corporation; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1597) granting a pension to Mary E. Vail;

A bill (S. 1598) granting a pension to Annie W. Austin;

A bill (S. 1599) granting a pension to Frank T. Douglas;

A bill (S. 1600) granting a pension to May Barnes;

A bill (S. 1601) granting a pension to Elise M. Lum; and

A bill (S. 1602) granting a pension to Lillian G. Avery; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1603) for the relief of Adam Paul Small;

A bill (S. 1604) to provide for the better administration of justice in the Navy;

A bill (S. 1605) authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force;

A bill (S. 1606) to prohibit the unauthorized wearing, manufacture, or sale of medals and badges issued by the Navy Department;

A bill (S. 1607) to amend section 109 of the Criminal Code so as to except officers of the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve not on active duty from certain of its provisions;

A bill (S. 1608) to correct the naval record of Edward Houstoun;

A bill (S. 1609) for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps;

A bill (S. 1610) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina; and

A bill (S. 1611) to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States, at Quantico, Va.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 1612) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to sell and convey Indian land, Umatilla Reservation, Oreg.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1613) for the relief of Andrew J. McCallen; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1614) granting a pension to Viva W. Emerson (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1615) to prohibit the shipment and transportation in interstate or foreign commerce of cannabis and its derivatives and compounds; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 1616) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Cutting and Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1617) to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Austin (for Mr. Gibson):

A bill (S. 1618) for the relief of Frank C. Allen; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1619) for the relief of Earl E. Robinson; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1620) for the relief of Clay W. Leps; and

A bill (S. 1621) for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1622) granting compensation to Ella R. Trussell; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1623) for the relief of Herbert E. Guthrie; and

A bill (S. 1624) for the relief of Albert Kimble; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1625) granting a pension to Hosea F. Dearth; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 1626) for the refunding of certain countervailing customs duties collected upon logs imported from British Columbia; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1627) for the relief of Eugene J. Pettus; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1628) authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Wheeler:

(By request.) A bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill S. 1630) to provide dismissal compensation for railroad employees displaced from service, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1631) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1633) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1634) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1635) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 1636) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 1637) to extend further the operation of an act of Congress approved January 26, 1933 (47 Stat. 776), entitled "An act relating to the deferment and adjustment of construction charges for the years 1931 and 1932 on Indian irrigation projects; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1638) granting a pension to Edmund W. King; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1639) for the relief of Maj. Wilbur Rogers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1640) for the relief of Dan Meehan; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 1641) to exempt a limited quantity of cotton produced by small producers from the cotton-ginning tax under the Cotton Act of 1934, to authorize transfers or assignments of exemption certificates under such act outside the county, to provide for the payment of compensation to operators of cotton gins who incur additional expenses by reason of the operation of such act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1642) for the relief of Sophie Caffrey; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1643) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of income-tax returns; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1644) to correct the naturalization record of Gennaro Brancaccio; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 1645) to provide for the creation of a commission to examine into and report the clear height above the water of the bridge authorized to be constructed over the Hudson River from Fifty-seventh Street, New York, to New Jersey; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1646) for the relief of Harry Siegel; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1647) for the relief of Raymond Grove; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1648) granting a pension to Louise Stockwell; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 49) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia, and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, 1935, Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

INVESTIGATION OF RAILROADS

Mr. Wheeler submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 71), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Whereas the investing public and the Government itself have already invested billions of dollars in the railroads and railways and their affiliated and subsidiary companies and services and may be solicited to make large additional similar investments in the near future; and

Whereas recent and pending legislation has made and purposes to make huge amounts of Government funds specifically available to aid in the construction, equipment, maintenance, financing, refinancing, reorganization, and rehabilitation of railroads and railways and their affiliated and subsidiary companies and services; and

Whereas the safety of all private, institutional, and Government investments and loans, past and future, above referred to, as well as the availability on fair and equitable terms of sufficient credit to enable the railroads and railways and such affiliates and subsidiaries adequately to serve the public, requires both (a) thorough knowledge by the public of methods and practices employed in connection with railroads and railways and such subsidiaries, and in connection with their construction, equipment, maintenance, management, control, organization, creation, acquisition, consolidation, merger, credit, financing, distributions to securities holders, refinancing, readjustments, reorganizations, receivership, bankruptcy, liquidation, rehabilitation, and matters related thereto, and (b) adequate legal protection by congressional legislation or otherwise based upon such knowledge: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to make, and to report to the Senate the results of a thorough and complete investigation of the financing, refinancing, reorganizations and readjustments, consolidations, mergers, acquisitions and dispositions, receiverships and bankruptcies, credit arrangements and activities, securities operations and activities, dividend or other financial policies, corporate management and control, voting trusts, trusts under indentures and similar instruments and other agency and depositary arrangements, management, service, equipment and supply contracts and arrangements, intercorporate relationships and transactions, and matters and practices related to any of the foregoing or related to the protection of Government funds, investors or railroad credit, in respect of interstate railroads, railroad holding companies, railroad affiliates, and railroad subsidiaries, any corporation or person which is or has been affiliated with any of the foregoing, banking, legal, engineering, accounting, and other professional corporations, persons or groups occupying a fiduciary or contractual position or relation with any of the foregoing, and any member of the family of any such person, and any officer, agent, or director of any such corporation or group.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places, either in the District of Columbia or elsewhere, during the sessions, recesses, and adjourned periods of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such experts and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production and impounding of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

WITHDRAWAL OF PAPERS

On motion by Mr. Hale, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the following bills be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse reports having been made thereon:

S. 584. A bill granting an increase of pension to Margaret Thompson; and

S. 588. A bill granting an increase of pension to Joanna A. Small.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Baskets, to fix standards; grasshopper infestation; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Butler Lumber Co.; Mick C. Cooper; Ralph Adams Cram, Lyda B. Kimball executrix of Bertram G. Goodhue, and Donald G. Ferguson administrator of the estate of Frank W. Ferguson; First Camden National Bank & Trust Co.; Norfolk Southern Railway; C. H. Reynolds; William Smith; and George L. Stone; to the Committee on Claims.

Robert D. Baldwin; Chippewa Indians of Minnesota; Frazer, Mont.; Poplar, Mont.; and Wolf Point, Mont., to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin; promotion of certain officers and enlisted men, Army; class B officers, Army; James Darcy; enlisted men, Army, transportation allowances for families of; Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation; Frank P. Hoyt; Samuel Kaufman; Alice F. Martin; Donald O. Miller; Claude W. Shelton; and William Edward Tidwell; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Rose Bingman; Hannah Collins; Florence A. Gilbert; Burel E. Pollard; Cassie Randolph; Stanley N. Rice; Della M. C. Rudolph; Martha C. Smith; and Jack E. Teele; to the Committee on Pensions.

Death Valley National Monument; and Earl A. Ross; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

EMPLOYMENT FOR GRADUATES OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 67) relative to aiding graduates of educational institutions in the matter of securing employment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and having been modified by Mr. Walsh by striking out paragraph numbered 4 of section 1, on page 3, lines 9 to 13, both inclusive,

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR CERTAIN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Mr. Adams submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7; and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 6: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 6, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$900,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

That the House agree to the amendment of the Senate amending the title of the joint resolution.

J. P. BUCHANAN,
EDWARD T. TAYLOR,
W. B. OLIVER,
ROBERT L. BACON,
Managers on the part of the House.

ALVA B. ALAMS,
CARTER GLASS,
FREDERICK HALE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 33 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday next.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Monday, February 4, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenburg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

READING OF WASHINGTON'S FAREWELL ADDRESS

The Vice President, pursuant to the order of the Senate of January 24, 1901, designated Mr. Austin, a Senator from the State of Vermont, to read Washington's Farewell Address on February 22 next.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of Commerce, transmitting drafts of bills recommended for passage, as follows:

1. A bill to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

2. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.; and

3. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

FOREIGN COMMUNICATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, transmitting a recommendation of a proposed new section to be added to the Communications Act of 1934 with reference to foreign communications; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of its activities and expenditures for the month of December 1934,

together with a statement of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

DOMESTIC AND RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC RATES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a preliminary report covering charges for electricity to domestic and residential consumers in States having a population of 50,000 or more; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 67. An act to repeal certain laws providing that certain aliens who have filed declarations of intention to become citizens of the United States shall be considered citizens for the purposes of service and protection on American vessels;

H. R. 2030. An act authorizing the States of Washington and Idaho to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho;

H. R. 2874. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State highway commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Eleven Points River in section 17, township 23 north, range 2 west, approximately 12 miles east of Alton, on route no. 42, Oregon County, Mo.;

H. R. 3018. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Alexandria Bay, N. Y.;

H. R. 3057. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw, in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties, at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota, in the State of Oklahoma;

H. R. 3891. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Waccamaw River at Conway, S. C.;

H. R. 3983. An act to legalize a bridge (known as "Union Street Bridge") across the Dan River at Danville, Va.;

H. R. 4005. An act to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the time of making the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

H. R. 4018. An act to provide for the investigation, control, and eradication of marine organisms injurious to shellfish in the Atlantic and Gulf States.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, House Joint Resolution 88, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its president.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On February 2, 1935:

H. J. Res. 118. Joint resolution to prohibit expenditure of any moneys for housing, feeding, or transporting conventions or meetings; and

H. R. 3410. An act making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On February 4, 1935:

H. R. 4304. An act to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and for other purposes.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 88) making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed on January 31, 1935, the act (S. 1175) to exetnd the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF VETERANS' REGULATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying Executive order, referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 20, title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, I am transmitting herewith Executive Order No. 6963 (Veterans' Regulation No. 10 (d)), approved by me February 5, 1935.

Effective the date of its promulgation, Executive Order No. 6963 canceled paragraph XI of Executive Order No. 6098, dated March 31, 1933 (Veterans' Regulation No. 10), as amended by Executive Order No. 6234, dated July 28, 1933 (Veterans' Regulation No. 10 (b)).

This regulation was promulgated in accordance with the terms of title I, Public, No. 2, Seventy-third Congress, "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government."

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 6, 1935.*

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 67 be referred to the Committee on Immigration; that the bills H. R. 2030, H. R. 2874, H. R. 3018, H. R. 3057, H. R. 3891, H. R. 3983, and H. R. 4018 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; and that the bill H. R. 4005 be referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by money institutes held at Lansing and Olio, Mich., respectively, favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the issuance of money exclusively by the Government, governmental operation of the Federal Reserve banks, and the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A concurrent memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates and the cancelation of interest on loans on such certificates.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring an amendment to the War Risk Insurance Act to provide for disability payments for amputation or eye disability to veterans; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico favoring the enactment of legislation at this session of Congress providing for the payment at face value of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of B'er Chayim Temple Sisterhood, of Cumberland, Md., praying the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the council of Portland, Oreg., favoring the continuance by the United Air Lines of the transportation of air mail on the Seattle-San Diego route; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Resolutions adopted at St. Paul, Minn., by the Northwest Shippers Advisory Board favoring regulation of rates of common carriers by vessel in intercoastal traffic by way of the Panama Canal, the repeal of the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act, and the regulation of motor vehicles engaged in interstate commerce, and remonstrating against Government operation or ownership of, the 6-hour day, and the full crew and train limit on, railroads; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Summit Veterans Association, of Akron, Ohio, commending Senator Donahey for his action on the World Court protocols.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska memoralizing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed as General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Ashurst presented the following petition and communication, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the construction of a highway from Boulder Dam adjacent to the Colorado River on the Arizona side to a junction with the Republic of Mexico at San Luis and with the site of the proposed deep-sea channel to the Gulf of California; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A copy of a communication addressed to him by the Commissioner of Customs, Treasury Department, together with an accompanying table, showing imports of copper and copper manufactures dutiable under section 601, Revenue Act of 1932, from June 21, 1932, to December 31, 1934, inclusive; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Costigan presented a newspaper clipping from the Daily Tribune of Greeley, Colo., containing an address by J. D. Pancake, of the National Beet Growers' Association and the Mountain States Beet Growers' Marketing Association, on the benefits derived from making sugar beets and sugarcane basic agricultural commodities; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. McCarran presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada urging the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bone presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington urging an additional appropriation for the continuation of the investigation of the munitions industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey remonstrating against the removal from the Newark (N. J.) airport of the metropolitan airmail service; which was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of citizens of Peabody, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation to prohibit the sending of liquor advertisements by mail or radio into dry States; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Borah presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial urging the passage of a plain, workable old-age pension law; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial urging the enactment of legislation to provide for Federal control and regulation of the manufacture of all war materials; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Duffy presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin urging an appropriation of $1,000,000,000 for the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to extend the benefits provided in the act creating the Corporation; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by the West Warwick (R. I.) Chamber of Commerce favoring the enactment of legislation to terminate the processing tax of 4.2 cents per pound on raw cotton, and to modify the wages of operatives in the cotton-textile mills in the North and South on the basis of the actual difference in wages under the provisions of the cotton-textile code; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of the Haverhill (Mass.) Central Labor Union praying the enactment of legislation to change the tax on cigarettes;

A petition of C. M. Waite, of Marlboro, Mass., praying the repeal of the tax on furs and the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

Petitions of four war veterans' organizations in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

Petitions of citizens and organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

Petitions of citizens and organizations of the State of Massachusetts, praying the inclusion in proposed old-age pension legislation of a provision extending its benefits to those aliens who have lived in this country for many years and have established their homes here; and

A memorial of the New Bedford (Mass.) Cotton Manufacturers' Association, remonstrating against the publicity of income-tax returns; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Middlesex Rifle Club, Inc., of West Concord, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to deprive reputable citizens of the right to possess firearms; and

Memorials of employees of manufacturing organizations in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation establishing a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Everett, Mass., favoring a modification in the regulations for employment under the Emergency Relief Administration Act to include persons with one dependent and persons with one dependent owning their own home; and

A petition of the Automobile and Garage Workers of America, Inc., of Boston, Mass., praying representation of automobile workers not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor in conferences relative to the renewal of the automobile industry code; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of the Sailors' Haven Woman's Aid, of Charlestown, and citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying an investigation of marine disasters and safety of life at sea; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by William L. Harris Post, No. 96, American Legion, of Roxbury, Mass., favoring the promotion of veterans at the head of temporary civil-service list of postal employees to regular substitute positions; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A memorial of the Haverhill (Mass.) Labor Conference remonstrating against the offering of cash and other inducements to local factories to move to the State of Maine; to the Committee on Manufactures.

A memorial of the Nashua Manufacturing Co., of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against discrimination in freight rates on cotton textiles; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against religious persecution in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Schwellenbach, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 546) for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 42) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 488) for the relief of Michael Ilitz, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 43) thereon.

Mr. Minton, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 417) for the relief of Fred M. Munn, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 44) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 45) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills and joint resolutions, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 944. A bill to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act (Rept. No. 46);

S. 945. A bill to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act (Rept. No. 47);

S. 1336. A bill to amend paragraph (f) of section 4 of the Communications Act of 1934 (Rept. No. 48);

S. 943. A bill to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act (Rept. No. 55);

S. J. Res. 23. Joint resolution giving consent of the Congress of the United States to the States of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho, or any two of said States, to agree upon the jurisdiction to be exercised by said States over boundary waters between any two or more of said States (Rept. No. 56); and

S. J. Res. 46. Joint resolution authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise (Rept. No. 49).

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 243. A bill for the relief of Curtis Jett (Rept. No. 50);

S. 567. A bill for the relief of Sarah Lloyd (Rept. No. 51); and

S. 674. A bill authorizing the President to order Major E. O. Duval before a retiring board for a hearing of his case, and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his resignation (Rept. No. 52).

Mr. Coolidge, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 633) for the relief of Isaac Pierce, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 53) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 347) for the relief of James J. Jordan, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 54) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 733) for the relief of William Burke, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 57) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 634. A bill to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes (Rept. No. 58);

S. 651. A bill for the relief of Harry Flanery (Rept. No. 59); and

S. 653. A bill for the relief of James W. Carmichael, deceased (Rept. No. 60).

Mr. Cutting, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 746) for the relief of Joseph M. Thomas, alias Joseph Thomas, alias Thomas O'Donnell, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 61) thereon.

Mr. Bachman, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 244) for the relief of Thomas Salleng, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 62) thereon.

Mr. Bachman, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 274. A bill for the relief of Charles C. Floyd (Rept. No. 63); and

S. 871. A bill authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Alvin C. York as a major in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list (Rept. No. 64).

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Smith, and by unanimous consent, *Ordered*, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1024) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co., and that it be referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 1649) to provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Helena, in the State of Arkansas; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1650) continuing the commission to establish the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the Commonwealth of Virginia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 1651) to authorize the appointment of Sgt. George B. Telford as a warrant officer, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1652) for the relief of Merle (Mearl) Arthur Lewis; and

A bill (S. 1653) for the relief of Collin B. Myatt; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 1654) to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1655) to provide for the construction of the Natchez Trace Parkway; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 1656) for the relief of Ward J. Lawton, special disbursing agent, Lighthouse Service, Department of Commerce (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 1657) for the relief of J. A. Greenleaf & Sons Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1658) granting a pension to Essie M. Cotton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin (for Mr. Gibson):

A bill (S. 1659) granting an increase of pension to Mary Carrier; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 1660) to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the High School Cadets of Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1661) for the relief of Anna S. Carrigan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 1662) to provide for the selection of certain lands in the State of California for the use of the California State park system; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1663) authorizing the Secretary of War to set apart as a national cemetery certain lands of the United States military reservation of Fort Rosecrans, Calif.;

A bill (S. 1664) for the relief of Sylvester Johns;

A bill (S. 1665) for the relief of Arnold E. Carver; and

A bill (S. 1666) for the relief of Edward C. Joslyn; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1667) granting a pension to Mort Wallace Mays; and

A bill (S. 1668) granting a pension to Samuel M. Mahurin; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 1669) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at Grangeville, Idaho; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1670) for the relief of Samuel K. Yarnell; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1671) granting a pension to Allie Selick; and

A bill (S. 1672) granting a pension to Fred Starling; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1673) to increase the efficiency of the United States Navy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1674) for the relief of Jeremiah Aldersley; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1675) granting a pension to Arthur Boyce; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1676) to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix, in the State of New York; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 1677) to provide for a preliminary examination and survey of Carvers Bay, Mich.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1678) providing for a survey of the Skipanon Channel, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1679) to add certain lands to the Rogue River National Forest in the State of Oregon.

A bill (S. 1680) to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1681) granting a pension to Lina Buckley.

A bill (S. 1682) granting a pension to Jose G. Brown (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 1683) for the relief of Robert L. Monk; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1684) granting a pension to Blanche T. Harrison; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1685) to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize production credit associations to make loans to oyster planters", approved June 18, 1934; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1686) authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to owners of office buildings; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

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By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 1687) to incorporate The National Yeoman F.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 1688) to provide for the acquisition of Chappawamsic Island, Va., for use of the Navy Department; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1689) for the relief of Frank Fisher; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1690) for the relief of R. G. Andis;

A bill (S. 1691) for the relief of George C. Widlon;

A bill (S. 1692) for the relief of Fred N. Dunham;

A bill (S. 1693) for the relief of Hannah Nielson Larsen;

A bill (S. 1694) for the relief of C. B. Dickinson; and

A bill (S. 1695) for the relief of the Sioux Valley Hospital, Sioux Falls Clinic, and the McKenna Hospital, all of Sioux Falls, S. Dak.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1696) for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace; and

A bill (S. 1697) providing old-age pensions for Indian citizens of the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 1698) to amend section 61 (relating to deposits of bankrupt estates) of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898;

A bill (S. 1699) to amend section 28 of the act of May 25, 1918 (relating to deposits of tribal or individual Indian funds);

A bill (S. 1700) to amend section 5219 of the Revised Statutes, as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1701) granting an increase of pension to John A. Everett;

A bill (S. 1702) granting a pension to Daniel Webster;

A bill (S. 1703) granting a pension to Jennie Claymore;

A bill (S. 1704) granting a pension to Richard Payne;

A bill (S. 1705) granting a pension to James E. Rush;

A bill (S. 1706) granting a pension to Daniel R. McKay;

A bill (S. 1707) granting an increase of pension to Amos Red Owl;

A bill (S. 1708) granting a pension to Harriet V. Carson;

A bill (S. 1709) granting a pension to Margaret E. Lackey;

A bill (S. 1710) granting a pension to Henry Pratt; and

A bill (S. 1711) granting a pension to William Lyons; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1712) to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries; and

A bill (S. 1713) to further amend section 6, act of March 4, 1923, so as to make better provision for the recovery and disposition of bodies of members of the civilian components of the Army who die in line of duty, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 1714) to extend the classified civil service to postmasterships of the first, second, and third classes, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1715) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 1716) to provide further for the national security and defense, and for the purpose of assisting in the prosecution of war, to provide for the creation of a Capital Issues Committee, to define its powers and duties, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1717) to provide further for the national security and defense by making available to the President, during the present national emergency, material resources of the Nation, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1718) to authorize the acquisition by the United States of private property of any and all kinds, real, personal, and mixed, needed for the national security and defense, or the conduct of the Government, to provide a method of such acquisition, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1719) to authorize the establishment of a Bureau of Marine War Risk Insurance in the Treasury Department;

A bill (S. 1720) to provide further for the national defense by controlling exports from the United States, imports into the United States, and trading with the enemy;

A bill (S. 1721) to provide further for the national security and defense; and

A bill (S. 1722) to provide further for the national security and defense, and, for the purpose of assisting in the prosecution of war, to provide credits for industries and enterprises in the United States necessary or contributory to the prosecution of war, and for other purposes; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1723) to authorize payment to the Sac and Fox (of Missouri) Tribe of Indians of certain tribal funds to their credit in the United States Treasury, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 1724) to repeal section 2 of the act entitled "An act to create an additional judge in the district of South Dakota", approved February 26, 1929; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1725) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1726) to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal in the State of Texas; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1727) to amend the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 27, 1934; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1728) for the relief of George T. Easton; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1729) to legalize a bridge, known as "Union Street Bridge", across the Dan River at Danville, Va.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1730) for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1731) granting a pension to Cynthia Ann Fightmaster; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 50) authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Santa Monica Harbor, Calif.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Pope:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 51) proposing an amendment to article II of the Constitution of the United States, providing for the ratification of treaties by a majority vote of the United States Senate; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

DOMESTIC AND RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC RATES

Mr. Norris submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 8), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there be printed 10,000 additional copies of the preliminary report of the Federal Power Commission on domestic and residential electric rates submitted in response to Senate Joint Resolution 74, approved April 14, 1934, of which 3,000 copies shall be for the use of the Senate, and 7,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of Representatives.

CROP PRODUCTION LOANS

Mr. Smith submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert the following:

That the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, hereinafter in this act referred to as the "Governor", is hereby authorized to make loans to farmers in the United States (including Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico), during the year 1935, for fallowing, for the production of crops, for harvesting of crops, and for feed for livestock, or for any of such purposes. Such loans shall be made and collected through such agencies, upon such terms and conditions, and subject to such regulations, as the Governor shall prescribe.

Sec. 2 (a) There shall be required as security for any such loan a first lien, or an agreement to give a first lien, upon all crops of which the production or harvesting, or both, is to be financed, in whole or in part, with the proceeds of such loan; or, in case of any loan for the purchase or production of feed for livestock, a first lien upon the livestock to be fed. Fees for recording, filing, and registering shall not exceed 75 cents per loan and may be deducted from the proceeds of the loan. Each loan shall bear interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and collecting loans made under other acts of the same general character, including loans made by the Governor with funds appropriated by the Emergency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1935, the Governor may use the facilities and services of the Farm Credit Administration and any institution operating under its supervision, or of any officer or officers thereof, and may pay for such services and the use of such facilities from the funds made available for the payment of necessary administrative expenses; and such institutions are hereby expressly empowered to enter into agreements with the Governor for the accomplishment of such purposes.

(b) The amount which may be loaned to any borrower pursuant to this act shall not exceed $500: Provided, however, That in any area certified by the President of the United States to the Governor as a distressed emergency area, the Governor may make loans without regard to the foregoing limitations as to amount, under such regulations and with such maturities as he may prescribe therefor.

(c) No loan shall be made under this act to any applicant who shall not have first established to the satisfaction of the proper officer or employee of the Farm Credit Administration, under such regulations as the Governor may prescribe: (1) that such applicant is unable to procure from other sources a loan in an amount reasonably adequate to meet his needs for the purposes for which loans may be made under this act; and (2) that such applicant is cooperating directly in the crop production control program of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration or is not proposing to increase his 1935 production of basic agricultural commodities in a manner detrimental to the success of such program.

Sec. 3. (a) The moneys authorized to be loaned by the Governor under this act are declared to be impressed with a trust to accomplish the purposes provided for by this act (namely, for fallowing, production, harvesting, or feed), which trust shall continue until the moneys loaned pursuant to this act have been used by the borrower for such purposes.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to make any material false representation for the purpose of obtaining, or assisting another to obtain, a loan under the provisions of this act; or willfully to dispose of, or assist in disposing of, except for the account of the Governor, any crops or other property upon which there exists a lien securing a loan made under the provisions of this act.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to charge a fee for the purpose of preparing or assisting in the preparation of any papers of an applicant for a loan under the provisions of this act.

(d) Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or both.

Sec. 4. The Governor shall have power, without regard to the provisions of other laws applicable to the employment and compensation of officers and employees of the United States, to employ and fix the compensation and duties of such agents, officers, and employees as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; but the compensation of such officers and employees shall correspond, so far as the Governor deems practicable, to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.

Sec. 5. (a) There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of not to exceed $60,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this act. Any part of such sum may be made up as follows: All unobligated balances of appropriations and funds available thereunder to enable the Secretary of Agriculture or the Governor to make advances or loans under the following acts and resolutions, and all repayments of such advances and loans and interest: March 3, 1921 (41 Stat. 1347); March 20, 1922 (42 Stat. 467); April 26, 1924 (43 Stat. 110); February 28, 1927 (44 Stat. 1251); February 25, 1929 (45 Stat. 1306), as amended May 17, 1929 (46 Stat. 3); March 3, 1930 (46 Stat. 78, 79); December 20, 1930 (46 Stat. 1032), as amended February 14, 1931 (46 Stat. 1160); February 23, 1931 (46 Stat. 1276); March 3, 1932 (47 Stat. 60); February 4, 1933 (47 Stat. 795); February 23, 1934 (48 Stat. 354); and June 19, 1934 (48 Stat. 1021).

(b) The moneys made available under subsection (a), and all collections of both principal and interest on loans made under this act, may be used by the Governor for making loans under this act and for all necessary administrative expenses in making and collecting such loans.

(c) Expenditures for printing and binding necessary in carrying out the provisions of this act may be made without regard to the provisions of section 3709 of the Revised Statutes.

And the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the title of the bill; and agree to the same.

E. D. SMITH,
B. K. WHEELER,
G. W. NORRIS,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARVIN JONES,
H. P. FULMER,
WALL DOXEY,
CLIFFORD R. HOPE,
J. ROLAND KINZER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

S. 547. A bill for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth;

S. 1095. A bill for the relief of the officers of the Russian Railway Service Corps organized by the War Department under authority of the President of the United States for service during the war with Germany;

S. 823. A bill for the relief of Benjamin H. Southern;

S. 255. A bill for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton;

S. J. Res. 24. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital; and

S. J. Res. 16. Joint resolution for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico.

Ordered, That they be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 56) for the relief of Patrick J. Mulcahey; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 58) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

The foregoing joint resolution (H. J. Res. 58) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The vote on the passage of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 16) of an identical title was reconsidered by unanimous consent; and

Ordered, That the said joint resolution be postponed indefinitely.

On motion by Mr. Hatch, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 58) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American Section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, was reconsidered, together with the vote ordering its third reading.

The said joint resolution having then been amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the joint resolution read a third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Pittman,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Pittman, at 3 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

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The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF BELLEAU WOOD MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the honorary president of the Belleau Wood Memorial Association, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the association for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire, favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the nontaxation of income in excess of operating expenses derived by the establishment of a State liquor monopoly and a system of State-operated retail liquor stores;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, urging the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment at full face value of adjusted-service certificates; and

A petition of citizens of Berkeley, Calif., praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska, memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the council of the city of Cleveland, Ohio, remonstrating against a policy of segregation in the construction of a certain housing project in that city; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A communication from Philippine Resident Commissioner F. A. Delgado, transmitting a copy of a cablegram incorporating a resolution adopted by the national convention of Veterans Philippine Revolution, remonstrating against purported statements of Senator Tydings in Paris and Commissioner Guevara regarding Philippine independence; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, memorializing Congress to provide relief for farmers in drought-stricken agricultural areas in Wisconsin.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. La Follette presented an identical joint resolution; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide a highway safety program; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution urging an appropriation of $1,000,000,000 for the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Shipstead presented a resolution adopted by the United States Old Age Pension Association of Cottonwood County, Minn., favoring the passage of legislation providing an old-age pension of $200 per month to citizens who have passed their sixtieth year and the distribution of national wealth and production; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Borah presented petitions of citizens of the State of Idaho praying the enactment of legislation providing a pension of $200 monthly to persons who have attained the age of 60 years; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Cutting, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 890) for the relief of Michael J. Moran, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 65) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 891) for the relief of Hector H. Perry, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 66) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 888) for the relief of Joseph Gorman, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 67) thereon.

Mr. Carey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 889) for the relief of Albert A. Marquardt, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 68) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1309) to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Coolidge, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 887) for the relief of Edward T. Costello, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (no. 69) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 1732) for the relief of certain persons whose cotton was destroyed by fire at Kingsland, Ark.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1733) for the relief of O. C. Stewart; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 1734) for the relief of Troy E. Wyatt; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 1735) for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1736) to provide for the purchase and sale of farm products; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1737) to prohibit experiments upon living dogs in the District of Columbia and providing a penalty for violation thereof; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 1738) granting an increase of pension to Lovina Kenyon;

A bill (S. 1739) granting a pension to Charles H. Carpenter;

A bill (S. 1740) granting a pension to Charlie Kills-In-Sight or Kills in;

A bill (S. 1741) granting a pension to Augustine Whitebird;

A bill (S. 1742) granting a pension to Martin Suppan;

A bill (S. 1743) granting a pension to Running Grouse;

A bill (S. 1744) granting an increase of pension to Mary C. Booth;

A bill (S. 1745) granting a pension to Mattie Gilbertson;

A bill (S. 1746) granting a pension to Lightning;

A bill (S. 1747) granting a pension to Martin Erikson;

A bill (S. 1748) granting a pension to Anthony Penson;

A bill (S. 1749) granting a pension to Emily S. Marlett;

A bill (S. 1750) granting an increase of pension to Louisa J. Rubendall;

A bill (S. 1751) granting a pension to Harriett Warne;

A bill (S. 1752) granting a pension to Howard J. Sheehan;

A bill (S. 1753) granting an increase of pension to Anna Olson;

A bill (S. 1754) granting a pension to William H. Holt;

A bill (S. 1755) granting an increase of pension to Annie Remmert;

A bill (S. 1756) granting a pension to Mabel Parker;

A bill (S. 1757) granting a pension to Mrs. Daniel Ojinca, or Bobtail Bull;

A bill (S. 1758) granting a pension to C. F. Hall, or Holley;

A bill (S. 1759) granting an increase of pension to Hugh M. Jones;

A bill (S. 1760) granting a pension to Ben C. Ash; and

A bill (S. 1761) granting a pension to Mary J. Driscoll; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1762) for the relief of George B. Pfeiffer; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1763) to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930; to the Committee on Finance.

(By request.) A bill (S. 1764) to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

(By request.) A bill (S. 1765) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 1766) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1767) to amend section 751 of subchapter XII of the Code of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 1768) for the payment of the claims of citizens of the United States against the Republic of Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1769) for the relief of Percy C. Wright; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1770) for the relief of Thomas T. Gessler; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1771) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 1772) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 52) to authorize the erection on public grounds in the District of Columbia of a stone marker designating the zero milestone of the Jefferson Davis National Highway; to the Committee on the Library.

Mr. Shipstead introduced a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 53) directing the Secretary of the Treasury to request the delivery of marketable obligations under foreign-debt funding agreements, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and ordered to lie on the table.

REPORT ON DOMESTIC AND RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC RATES

On motion by Mr. Norris, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Printing be discharged from the further consideration of the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 8) to print additional copies of the preliminary report of the Federal Power Commission on domestic and residential electric rates; and

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the said concurrent resolution be postponed indefinitely.

REPORTS ON ELECTRIC RATES

Mr. Norris submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 9), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the reports submitted to the Congress, or which may hereafter be filed pursuant to Public Resolution No. 18, Seventy-third Congress, second session, relative to the investigation by the Federal Power Commission of rates charged for electrical energy, be printed with accompanying illustrations, as a document; and that there be printed ten thousand additional copies of the preliminary section of said report on domestic and residential electric rates, submitted under date of February 4, 1935, of which two thousand five hundred copies shall be for the use of the Senate, five thousand five hundred copies for the use of the House of Representatives, and two thousand copies for the use of the Federal Power Commission.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Deschutes National Forest, Oreg.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Oyster planters; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

R. G. Andis; Sophie Caffrey; Citizens Bank & Trust Co., Tampa, Fla.; C. B. Dickinson; Lyman D. Drake, Jr.; Fred N. Dunham; Hannah Nielson Larsen; Ward J. Lawton; Clay W. Leps; Llewellyn Machinery Corporation; Elmer E. Mynatt; T. D. Randall & Co.; Mrs. Charles L. Reed; Sioux Valley Hospital, Sioux Falls Clinic and McKenna Hospital; Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco; and George C. Widlon; to the Committee on Claims.

Military instructor for high-school cadets, Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on District of Columbia.

Domestic animals; and Ella R. Trussell; to the Committee on Finance.

Stewart H. Butten; Arnold E. Carver; enlisted men of Army; civilian components of the Army; Frank Fisher; Herbert E. Guthrie; Sylvester Johns; Edward G. Joslyn; Albert Kimble; Andrew J. McCallen; Beryl M. McHam; Eugene Nash; Eugene J. Pettus; Wilbur Rogers; San Antonio arsenal, right-of-way; Harry Siegel; and George B. Telford; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Samuel C. Sparks; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Jose G. Brown; Lina Buckley; Harriet V. Carson; Jennie Claymore; Matilda Davison; Hosea F. Dearth; Viva W. Emerson; John A. Everett; Blanch T. Harrison; Mrs. Jessie May Hopkins; Juriah Hyden; Edmund W. King; Margaret E. Lackey; William Lyons; Daniel R. McKay; Amos Red Owl; Richard Payne; Henry Pratt; James E. Rush; Allie Selick; Fred Starling; Daniel Webster; Annie S. Wynne; and Thomas A. Yadon; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3247) to meet the conditions created by the 1934 drought, and to provide for loans to farmers in drought- and storm-stricken areas, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 58) to provide for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico.

The House has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 140) to provide for the completion of the publication of the writings of George Washington, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 546) for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 488. A bill for the relief of Michael Ilitz; and

S. 417. A bill for the relief of Fred M. Munn.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to further consider the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Lonergan, the motion of Mr. Costigan, and the motion of Mr. Hatch.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Connally to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment inserting on page 2, line 25, after the word "farmer" and the semicolon, certain words,

Pending debate,

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) announced that the hour of 2 o'clock had arrived and that, under rule VIII, the consideration of the calendar was thereby terminated.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded with the further consideration of the said bill; and,

After debate,

Mr. Connally's motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the reported amendment,

Mr. Fletcher then demanded the yeas and nays on the question of agreeing to Mr. Connally's motion to reconsider the vote whereby the Senate agreed to the reported amendment beginning on page 2, line 25.

Mr. La Follette raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Fletcher's demand came too late, in view of the fact that the Presiding Officer had previously announced the result of the vote on the motion.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Byrd in the chair) sustained the question of order.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment,

Pending debate,

The said amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Mr. Bulkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called,

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Bulkley, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. O'Mahoney, inserting on page 3, line 1, after the word "corporation" (where it occurs the first time), the words *now in existence,* was reconsidered.

Mr. O'Mahoney thereupon withdrew the said amendment.

The question recurring on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Pending debate,

The said amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Long.

On motion by Mr. Long to further amend the said amendment by striking out on page 3, line 10, all after the word "engaged" down to and including the word "no" in line 13, and inserting in lieu thereof a period and the word *No,*

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Long was not agreed to.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Long to reconsider the vote whereby the amendment proposed by him on page 3, line 10, was disagreed to,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

BANKRUPTCY AND RECEIVERSHIP PROCEEDINGS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senator from Arizona [Mr. Ashurst] be excused from further service as the chairman of and as a member of the Special Committee to Investigate the Administration of Bankruptcy and Receivership Proceedings in United States Courts; that the Senator from California [Mr. McAdoo] be named chairman of the said special committee; and that the Senator from Nevada [Mr. McCarran] and the Senator from Maine [Mr. White] be appointed to membership thereon.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, FEB. 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

ATTENDANCE OF SENATORS

Mr. Ernest W. Gibson, from the State of Vermont, and Mr. Millard E. Tydings, from the State of Maryland, attended.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

SENATOR FROM TENNESSEE

Mr. Kenneth D. McKellar, from the State of Tennessee, whose credentials were heretofore presented, appeared, and the oath of office prescribed by law having been administered to him by the Vice President, he took his seat in the Senate.

CLAIMS OF FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I enclose herewith a report which the Secretary of State has addressed to me in regard to claims of certain officers and employees of the Foreign Service of the United States for reimbursement of losses sustained by them by reason of catastrophes, war, and other causes during or incident to their service in foreign countries.

I recommend that an appropriation in the amount suggested by the Secretary of State be authorized in order to relieve these officers and employees of the Government of the burden these losses have occasioned.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 8, 1935.*

(Enclosures: Report of the Secretary of State, with enclosures.)

USELESS PAPERS IN WAR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of War, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of documents and papers in the files of the War Department which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Department and have no permanent value or historical value; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Cutting as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and operations of the Administration for the month of November 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REVISED LAWS OF HAWAII, 1935

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting a copy of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, 1935, subject to the approval of the legislature thereof; which, with the accompanying document, was referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts urging the enactment of legislation providing that a valid mortgage on vessels of smaller tonnage than 200 tons shall have the same priority over subsequently accruing liens as on vessels of 200 tons or upwards; to the Committee on Commerce.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the construction as a public-works project of a vehicular tunnel from Hamilton Avenue, Brooklyn, to lower Manhattan, via Governors Island, in New York City; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment into legislation of the so-called "Townsend" plan of old-age pensions;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates, with cancelation of accrued interest and refund of interest paid;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation to take the profit out of war by additional income-tax laws; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the enactment of an adequate old-age pension act; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the use of granite and natural stone in the construction of public buildings to be erected under the public-works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, memorializing Congress to continue the investigation into activities of munitions manufacturers and to publish the findings and recommendations of the committee; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

A petition of Winter Capitol Lodge, No. 595, Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, of New Orleans, La., urging the passage of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Bailey presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to refinance agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to take the profit out of war by additional income-tax laws; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Metcalf presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Rhode Island, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation which will ameliorate suffering in the State of Rhode Island caused by textile conditions; to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to compel manufacturers of firearms to mark them serially and to provide for the registration of such serial numbers with the Department of Justice; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring an amendment to the War Risk Insurance Act to provide for disability payments for amputation or eye disability to veterans;

A resolution adopted by the Verhovay Aid Association of Pittsburgh, Pa., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for unemployment, old-age, and sick-benefit insurance, and the abolition of sweatshops and child labor; and

Resolutions adopted by the Albany County (N. Y.) Committee of the American Legion, of Albany, and the Alps Community Club of Flatbush, Inc., of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the construction as a Public Works project of a vehicular tunnel from Hamilton Avenue, Brooklyn, to lower Manhattan via Governors Island, in New York City;

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the American Water Works Association favoring the allocation of a substantial part of any appropriation for public works to waterworks and sewerage projects;

A resolution adopted by the Ninth Ward Taxpayers Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., favoring an appropriation of $4,000,000,000 for work relief, and favoring unemployment insurance, and a 30-hour work week;

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Erie County, N. Y., favoring an appropriation of $4,000,000,000 for work relief, with provision for grade-crossing improvements; and

A resolution adopted at Albany, N. Y., by the National Guard Association of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to repeal any provision of law which affects the Federal pay and allowances or recognition of any member of the National Guard of New York State; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by Buffalo Division, No. 84, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Buffalo, N. Y., favoring the modification of the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; and

A resolution adopted by the transportation committee of the Elmira (N. Y.) Association of Commerce favoring the amendment of section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to meet unregulated forms of transportation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Endwell Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Endwell, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to require aliens to declare their intention of becoming citizens, and to provide for their deportation if not naturalized at the end of 5 years and 6 months; and

A resolution adopted by Wallkill Council No. 92, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Middletown, N. Y., favoring the strengthening of immigration laws to restrict immigration; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Chenango County Farm and Home Bureau Association, of Norwich, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to raise the price of gold to the limit permitted by law; and

A resolution adopted by the Rehabilitation and Modernization Association, Inc., of New York City, favoring the amendment of the Federal Housing Act to provide for loans up to $50,000 for the rehabilitation of factory plants and all types of business structures, including the replacement of obsolete machinery and equipment; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Erie County, N. Y., favoring the construction of a sewage-disposal system for the Niagara frontier as a Federal project; and

A resolution adopted by the Committee on Public Health Relations of the New York Academy of Medicine, of New York City, favoring a mid-decennial population census; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Duffy presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates, with cancelation of accrued interest and refund of interest paid; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Duffy presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin requesting the Congress of the United States to advise it as to the effect upon Congress of resolutions adopted by it memorializing that body which are forwarded from the Legislature.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 886) for the relief of Marino Ambrogio, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 70) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4018) to provide for the investigation, control, and eradication of marine organisms injurious to shellfish in the Atlantic and Gulf States, reported it without amendment, and submitted a report (No. 71) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 7) relating to the investigations of the steamship *Morro Castle* disaster and the adequacy of methods and practices for the safety of life at sea, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 72) thereon; and

Ordered, That the said resolution be referred, under the rule, to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Bachman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 920) for the relief of Ruth J. Barnes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 73) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 246) for the relief of Elmer Blair, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 74) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 31) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 75) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 250. A bill authorizing the Brookewell Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Ohio River at or near Wellsburg, W. Va. (Rept. No. 76);

S. 737. A bill to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, as amended (Rept. No. 77);

S. 812. A bill authorizing the Arizona State Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a toll or free bridge across the Colorado River at or near Parker, Ariz., within the Colorado River Indian Reservation (Rept. No. 78);

S. 1076. A bill relating to the Oregon-Washington Bridge Board of Trustees (Rept. No. 79);

S. 1144. A bill to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo. (Rept. No. 80);

S. 1308. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill. (Rept. No. 81);

H. R. 2030. A bill authorizing the States of Washington and Idaho to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho (Rept. No. 82);

H. R. 2874. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the State highway commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Eleven Points River in section 17, township 23 north, range 2 west, approximately 12 miles east of Alton, on route no. 42, Oregon County, Mo. (Rept. No. 83);

H. R. 3018. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Alexandria Bay, N. Y. (Rept. No. 84);

H. R. 3057. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota in the State of Oklahoma (Rept. No. 85);

H. R. 3891. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Waccamaw River at Conway, S. C. (Rept. No. 86); and

H. R. 3983. A bill to legalize a bridge (known as "Union Street Bridge") across the Dan River at Danville, Va. (Rept. No. 87).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1222. A bill to further extend the times for commencement and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak. (Rept. No. 88); and

S. 1342. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn. (Rept. No. 89).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 409. A bill to amend certain sections of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution (Rept. No. 90); and

S. 1519. A bill permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 91).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bill and joint resolution, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1019. A bill to define, regulate, and license real-estate brokers and real-estate salesmen; to create a real estate commission in the District of Columbia; to protect the public against fraud in real-estate transactions, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 92); and

S. J. Res. 49. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes (Rept. No. 93).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 1773) for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Pope (by request):

A bill (S. 1774) to amend the act of March 1, 1879, chapter 125 (20 Stat. 351), as amended by the act of March 3, 1883, chapter 121, section 1 (22 Stat. 488), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 1775) for the relief of Ernest Donald Chapman; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 1776) granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 1777) to protect agriculture and agricultural products; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 1778) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of the bay at the mouth of the Tobacco River at Gay, Mich.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1779) to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1780) to provide for the inclusion of Warner Hall, Gloucester County, Va., in the Colonial National Monument, Va., and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 1781) for the relief of George Voeltz; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1782) granting a pension to Mable Forrer; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 1783) for the relief of John F. Patterson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 54) relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death of Senators, Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners; to the Committee on Appropriations.

APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVERS AND TRUSTEES IN BANKRUPTCY

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 72), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That Senate Resolution No. 78, agreed to June 13, 1933, authorizing a special committee to make an investigation of the administration of receivership and bankruptcy proceedings in the courts of the United States, in the more populous centers and elsewhere in the judgment of the committee, with particular reference to the appointment of receivers and trustees in bankruptcy in such proceedings, and the fees received in the course of such administration, and other matters concerning which information would be desirable in order to correct by legislation such abuses as may be found, be, and the same hereby is, continued in full force and effect during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

ROBERT Y. NEWELL, SR.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 73), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Robert Y. Newell, Sr., father of Bessie Newell, late an assistant clerk to the Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate she was receiving by law at the time of her death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Cheyenne Indians; George B. Pfeiffer; and George Voeltz; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Lighthouse reservations; to the Committee on Commerce.

Customs Service employees; to the Committee on Finance.

John F. Patterson and Percy C. Wright; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Thomas T. Gessler; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Benjamin C. Ash; Mary C. Booth; Charles H. Carpenter; Charley Kills-in-sight; Mary J. Driscoll; Martin Erikson; Mable Forrer; Mattie Gilbertson; C. F. Hall or Holley; William H. Holt; Hugh M. Jones; Lovina Kenyon; Lightning (Indian); Emily S. Marlett; Anna Olson; Mrs. Daniel Ojinca; Mabel Parker; Anthony Penson; Annie Remmert; Louisa J. Rubendall; Running Grouse; Howard J. Sheehan; Martin Suppan; Harriet Warne; Augustine Whitebird; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 3247, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 58, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

H. R. 3247. An act to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 58. Joint resolution to provide for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

FARM CREDIT ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Long to reconsider the vote disagreeing to the amendment proposed by him, on page 3, beginning in line 10 of the reported amendment, as amended,

After debate,

The motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The amendment proposed by Mr. Long was then agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Long to reconsider the vote whereby the foregoing amendment, as amended, was disagreed to,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Long's motion to reconsider was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Carey to further amend the bill by striking out subdivision (c) of section 2, as amended, beginning on page 2, line 17, as follows:

"(c) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the seventh sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: 'As used in this section, (1) the term "farmer" means any person who is at the time, or shortly to become, bona fide engaged in farming operations or livestock growing, either personally or through an agent or tenant, or the principal part of whose income is derived from farming operations, and includes a personal representative of a deceased farmer.'"

And inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(c) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the seventh sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "As used in this section, (1) the term 'farmer' means any person who is at the time, or shortly to become, bona fide engaged in farming operations, either personally or through an agent or tenant, or the principal part of whose income is derived from farming operations, or livestock growing, and includes a personal representative of a deceased farmer; (2) the term 'person' includes an individual or corporation engaged in the raising of livestock; and (3) the term 'corporation' includes any incorporated association, but no such loan shall be made to a corporation unless all the stock of the corporation is owned by individuals themselves personally actually engaged in the raising of livestock on the land to be mortgaged as security for the loan, except in a case where the Land Bank Commissioner permits the loan if at least 75 per centum in value and a number of shares of the stock of the corporation is owned by the individuals personally and actually so engaged. No loan shall be made to any corporation which is a subsidiary of, or affiliated (either directly or through substantial identity of stock ownership) with, a corporation ineligible to procure a loan in the amount applied for."

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Carey's amendment,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 45 / Nays---------- 33}

On motion by Mr. Connally,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Costigan, Cutting, Davis, Donahey, Fletcher, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Logan, Long, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Dieterich, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Lewis, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Nye, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Tydings, and Van Nuys.

So Mr. Carey's amendment was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Barkley.

On motion by Mr. Wheeler to further amend the bill by adding on page 18, after line 23, a new section, as follows:

(a) The first sentence of paragraph (twelfth) of section 12 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933 is amended:

(1) By striking out the words "within two years after such date"; and

(2) By striking out the figures "4½" and inserting in lieu thereof "3½"; and

(3) Striking out the words "occurring within a period of five years", and inserting "sixty days after the date this paragraph takes effect."

(b) The second sentence of paragraph (twelfth) of section 24 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933 is amended:

(1) By striking out the figure "5" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "4";

(2) Striking out the figures "4½" and inserting in lieu thereof "3½".

Pending debate,

Mr. Wheeler raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Wheeler,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 39 / Nays---------- 33}

On motion by Mr. Wheeler,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bilbo, Borah, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Costigan, Cutting, Davis, Donahey, Frazier, George, Hatch, Johnson, Logan, Long, McCarran, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, King, Lonergan, Maloney, McGill, McKellar, Metcalf, Moore, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Townsend, Vandenberg, Wagner, and White.

So Mr. Wheeler's amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Robinson to reconsider the vote whereby the Senate agreed to the foregoing amendment proposed by Mr. Wheeler,

On motion by Mr. Long to lay Mr. Robinson's motion on the table,

It was determined in the negative.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion to reconsider,

Pending debate,

Mr. Wheeler raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Robinson submitted a request for unanimous consent relative to recessing until Monday and prohibiting debate after 3 o'clock p. m. on said day; and having been modified by him, the request was agreed to, as follows:

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That when the Senate completes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock noon on Monday next, and that after the hour of 1 o'clock on said day debate be so limited that no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the bill or any amendment or motion that may be pending or that may be offered thereto.

BOUNDARY WATERS BETWEEN WASHINGTON, OREGON, AND IDAHO

On motion by Mr. Borah, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 23) giving consent of the Congress of the United States to the States of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho, or any two of said States, to agree upon the jurisdiction to be exercised by said States over boundary waters between any two or more of said States; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 24 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, pursuant to its order, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, February 8, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 5255, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

CLAIMS FROM EXPLOSIONS AT AMMUNITION DEPOT, LAKE DENMARK, N. J.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of a reinvestigation of a certain personal injury and property damage claim arising from the explosions at the naval ammunition depot, Lake Denmark, N. J., July 10, 1926, together with his recommendation thereon; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller of the Currency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the activities of the Bureau of the Comptroller of the Currency for the year ended October 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas favoring the enactment of legislation to create another farm lending agency which will loan up to 90 percent of the appraised value of farms;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation for the refinancing of farm mortgages;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas urging the enactment of legislation providing for refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of legislature creating price-fixing terminals in each State and imposing a processing or consumer's tax on commodities in commerce out of which freight charges shall be paid from the terminal to point of destination for the relief of the livestock and agricultural industries; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to create the petrified redwood forest in Sonoma County, Calif., as a national park and monument; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Illinois and a joint resolution of the State of California favoring the passage of antilynching legislation;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin and a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring the enactment of legislation to provide that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring the construction and operation of underground pneumatic tubes for mail transmission between the Brooklyn general post office and certain outlying postal stations; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the repeal of a provision in the act revising air-mail laws so as to permit the continuance of air-mail transportation by a certain carrier on the Pacific coast; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation inviting the people of the United States to attend an exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1938; to the Committee on Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for conscription in time of war of the entire resources of the Nation and to eliminate profit therefrom; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California urging the enactment of legislation to pay to political subdivisions of a State in which are lands withdrawn for national parks or forests a sum of 5 cents per acre per year as compensation in lieu of taxes on such lands belonging to the United States; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation providing for old-age pensions and benefits to needy and dependent mothers and children and for unemployment insurance;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois favoring the immediate payment in full of adjusted-service certificates; and

Joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, as follows:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to grant consent to taxation by the several States of certain sales of tangible personal property;

A joint resolution remonstrating against any reciprocal tariff agreement or a lowering of the duty on flax which will impair that industry of the Western States;

A joint resolution favoring uniformity in the methods of appraising and taxing petroleum producing property;

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to foster and protect the grape and wine industries; and

A joint resolution favoring the maintenance of existing tariff protection to the almond industry of California; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin requesting the Congress of the United States to advise the Legislature of Wisconsin as to the effect upon Congress of resolutions memorializing that body which are forwarded from the legislature.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Davis presented a resolution adopted by the Western Pennsylvania Restaurant Association, of Pittsburgh, Pa., urging the repeal of legislation prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor to any officer or member of the military forces while in uniform; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Wagner) presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution favoring an amendment to the War Risk Insurance Act to provide for disability payments for amputation or eye disability to veterans; and

A resolution of the assembly favoring the enactment of legislation providing for old-age pensions and benefits to needy and dependent mothers and children and for unemployment insurance; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the assembly favoring the construction and operation of underground pneumatic tubes for mail transmission between the Brooklyn general post office and certain outlying postal stations; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Bailey presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina urging the enactment of legislation for the protection of sweet and irish potato farmers; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Murray presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of legislation creating price-fixing terminals in each State and imposing a processing or consumer's tax on commodities in commerce out of which freight charges shall be paid from the terminal to point of destination for the relief of the livestock and agricultural industries; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1348) for the relief of James Darcy, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 94) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1176) for the relief of Thomas A. Coyne, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 95) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1009) for the relief of George W. Baker, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 96) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1266) for the relief of Robert E. Masters, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 97) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 266) to provide for the erection of a public historical museum on the Custer Battlefield National Cemetery, Mont., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 98) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1304) to amend section 47c, National Defense Act, as amended, relating to military training required to entitle members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps to receive commutation of subsistence, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 99) thereon.

Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Wagner), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 735) for the relief of Wiener Bank Verein, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 100) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1301) to provide further for the maintenance of United States Soldiers' Home, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 101) thereon.

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 893) for the relief of Patrick J. Sullivan, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 102) thereon.

Mr. Cutting, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1302) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 103) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports therein, as follows:

S. 732. A bill for the relief of Zinsser & Co. (Rept. No. 104);

S. 999. A bill for the relief of Judson B. Isbester (Rept. No. 105); and

S. 1300. A bill to amend the War Department appropriation act relative to the operation of motor-propelled vehicles (Rept. No. 106).

Mr. Reynolds, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, who were directed by Senate Resolution 231, agreed to June 13, 1934, to investigate the financing and proposed reorganization of the Mayflower Hotel Co. and to report to the Senate not later than September 30, 1934, submitted a report (No. 107) thereon.

Mr. King asked and obtained unanimous consent that the said report be received and filed.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys:

S. 632. A bill to provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Helena, in the State of Arkansas; and

S. 1649. A bill to provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Helena, in the State of Arkansas.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1784) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 1785) granting an increase of pension to Fannie E. Hall; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1786) referring the claims of the Turtle Mountain Band or Bands of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota to the Court of Claims for adjudication and settlement; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1787) to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 1788) authorizing the State of Michigan to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the St. Clair River at or near Port Huron, Mich., and to acquire other transportation facilities between said State and Canada; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1789) to retire Walter L. Rosasco with the rank of second lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1790) for the relief of Margaret Murphy; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1791) for the relief of Maurice J. O'Leary; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1792) granting a pension to Walter George Niskern; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 602); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 1794) to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925; and

A bill (S. 1795) to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 1796) authorizing negotiations and providing for the construction, maintenance, and operation of an interoceanic canal over Nicaraguan territory, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals.

A bill (S. 1797) to provide for the acquisition of the Andrew Johnson homestead, Greeneville, Tenn., as a national shrine; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1798) to extend the time in which suit may be brought on veterans' yearly renewable term insurance; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1799) granting an increase of pension to Anna M. Gentgen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 1800) to create the Farm Tenant Homes Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1801) to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1802) to correct the naval record of John Edward Anderson; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1803) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 1804) granting a pension to Howard Williams; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 1805) to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1806) to amend the act of March 3, 1927, amending section 1 of the act of May 26, 1926, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6, 8, and 18 of an act approved June 4, 1920, entitled 'An act to provide for the allotment of lands of the Crow Tribe, for the distribution of tribal funds, and for other purposes'"; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Johnson:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 55) providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition, to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936, authorizing an appropriation therefor, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Nye:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 56) authorizing the publication as a public document of America Secure: Analytical Register of Regular Army Officers and Security Statistics, with graphs, 1775–1935; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

INVESTIGATION OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT OF JAMES A. FARLEY

Mr. Long, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 74):

Whereas it has been reported that James A. Farley, acting as Postmaster General and in various other capacities for the United States Government, has conducted a private business for the selling of materials to persons engaged in doing public construction work for the United States Government, and that in some instances concerns buying materials from the said concern in which the said James A. Farley is interested have received contracts through as many as three low bidders being disqualified; and

Whereas it is further alleged that the said concerns favoring the firm of the said James A. Farley with business have been able to secure changes in specifications netting them large sums in profits after the award of contracts, and it being alleged that such changes are deliberately made for the purpose of allowing large profits and avoiding competition; and

Whereas it is further publicly known that the said James A. Farley has used the Printing Office and facilities of the United States Government for the purpose of gratifying personal whims and caprices of personal and political friends, even to the printing of stamps never to be used; and

Whereas it has been further charged that the said James A. Farley is implicated in a wire service leading into the gambling houses in the United States from the race tracks, and in using the functions which he supervises for the Government to pursue said businesses for profit to himself and to his friends; and

Whereas it is further alleged that without pay or compensation for the same, the said James A. Farley has commandeered for his personal use facilities of public service corporations borrowing money from the United States Government; and

Whereas it has been charged that the said James A. Farley, on the eve of a loan being granted to a railroad in West Virginia, telephoned the leading factor of that concern that it was to his interest to take a certain political position affecting the election of a United States Senator; and

Whereas there are general and specific charges of misconduct, irregularity, dishonesty, and other activity on the part of the said James A. Farley, it is due to the people of the United States, the Government of the United States, and the said James A. Farley that a reasonable and fair disclosure be made of said matters: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States does hereby order an investigation into the public and official conduct of the said James A. Farley and all matters conducted by him affecting the business of the United States and the expenditure of funds of the United States, and that the said committee be composed of three Members of the United States Senate, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party, to be selected by the Vice President of the United States and to be approved by the said Senate; and that said committee shall have all authority necessary and proper to procure evidence, summon witnesses, to hear testimony and compel the production of books, records, accounts, statistics, employ experts and do any and all such other things as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of said investigation; and be it further

Resolved, That any reports of investigations and data secured by the Department of the Interior, particularly through Louis Glavis and those associated with him, on the affairs in which said James A. Farley has participated for the Government of the United States, be forthwith furnished to the United States Senate to be, after proper perusal by Members of the said United States Senate, referred to the said committee to be provided for herein.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over one day under the rule.

FARM CREDIT ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Wheeler's amendment, inserting on page 18, after line 23, a provision reducing interest rates on farm mortgage loans,

After debate,

Mr. Robinson's motion was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Wheeler's amendment,

Pending debate,

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, modified the said amendment and subsequently further modified the same by unanimous consent.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified, proposed by Mr. Wheeler, viz, on page 18, after line 23, insert the following:

Sec. —. (a) The first sentence of paragraph "twelfth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the following: "Within two years after such date shall not exceed 4½ per centum" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Shall not exceed 3½ per centum."

(b) The second sentence of such paragraph "twelfth" is amended by striking out the following: "5 per centum in lieu of 4½ per centum" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "4 per centum in lieu of 3½ per centum."

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 43 / Nays 39 }

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bilbo, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Costigan, Cutting, Davis, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Johnson, Logan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Maloney, McKellar, Metcalf, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Tydings, Vandenberg, and Walsh.

So Mr. Wheeler's amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Long to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 18, after line 23, a provision relating to deficiency judgments,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long modified his amendment.

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Long's amendment, as modified, viz, on page 18, after line 23, insert the following:

No Federal land bank, land-bank commissioner, or Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation shall ever enforce any judgment against any debtor for any sum beyond that realized from the property mortgaged or hypothecated for said loan, and such Federal land banks, land-bank commissioners, or Federal Farm Mortgage Corporations shall never enforce deficiency judgments against debtors for any sum beyond the amount realized from the sale of the property mortgaged. This provision shall apply only to loans made after the passage of this Act.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 19 / Nays 51 }

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Black, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Cutting, Frazier, Johnson, Lonergan, Long, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

So Mr. Long's amendment, as modified, was not agreed to.

No further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

APPROPRIATIONS FOR TREASURY AND POST OFFICE DEPARTMENTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, recommending certain amendments to the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, pertaining to certain employees transferred by Executive order from the Department of Justice to the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Treasury Department; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

AMENDMENT OF VETERANS' REGULATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying Executive order, referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 20, title I, of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, I am transmitting herewith Executive Order No. 6967 (Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (f)), approved by me February 8, 1935.

This regulation amends Executive Order No. 6156, dated June 6, 1933 (Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (a)), by adding thereto a new part, V.

This regulation was promulgated in accordance with the terms of title I, Public, No. 2, Seventy-third Congress, "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government."

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 8, 1935.*

INTEREST PAYMENTS ON AMERICAN EMBASSY DRAFTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State, to the end that legislation may be enacted to authorize an appropriation of not exceeding $44,403.15 for the payment of interest on funds represented by drafts drawn on the Secretary of State by the American Embassies in Russia and Turkey and transfers which the latter undertook to make by cable communications to the Secretary of State during the period from 1915 to 1920, in connection with the representation by those embassies of the interests of certain foreign governments and their nationals.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 12, 1935.*

(Enclosure: Report.)

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota praying that farmers receiving feed or seed loans from the Government be permitted the privilege of returning bushel for bushel in full and fair payment for any and all such feed and seed obligations; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation for the protection of the sweet and Irish potato farmers; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota memorializing Congress to ratify the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado urging consideration of legislation establishing a 6-hour day and a 5-day week for labor in industry; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated as "General Pulaski's Memorial Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of the Philadelphia (Pa.) Chapter, Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians praying the passage of House bill 2827, providing for unemployment relief and old-age pensions and remonstrating against the passage of the so-called "Wagner-Lewis bill";

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the continuance of Federal grants to the State to meet relief needs; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress to pass legislation for the creation and establishment of a pension benefit to be paid to all persons over the age of 60 years; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sheppard presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas favoring the allocation of an increased ratio of Public Works funds to the construction of highway and railroad crossing grade separation projects and to the construction of highways and public roads in each of the States, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution requesting the Government to acquire, set aside, preserve, and maintain as a national park a tract of land in Knox County, Nebr., known as "Devil's Nest"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A resolution memorializing Congress to enact remedial legislation for the refinancing of farm mortgages; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Frazier presented numerously signed petitions of citizens of the State of North Dakota, praying an embargo on flax, wheat, hogs, cattle, sheep, pork, beef, and mutton products until the price of wheat and meat products shall cover the cost of production, and praying the repeal of the law permitting wheat to be milled in bond; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Topeka, Kans., favoring the principle of competitive bidding and awarding of contracts to lowest responsible bidders on all Public Works projects where 10 percent or more of skilled labor is employed; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates, with cancelation of accrued interest and refund of interest paid; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to continue the investigation into activities of munition manufacturers and to publish the findings and recommendations of the committee; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin requesting Congress to advise the Legislature of Wisconsin as to the effect upon Congress of resolutions memorializing that body which are forwarded from the legislature.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. King presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A telegram from Endicott Johnson Corporation, of Endicott, N. Y., urging that in the enactment of legislation providing social security from unemployment and for old-age pensions, provision be made permitting States to enact legislation allowing financially responsible employers to set up separate company reserves; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of A. G. Mackenzie, of the American Mining Congress, Salt Lake City, Utah, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 6-hour work day in underground mining operations; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Murray presented a telegram from the chief clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Montana incorporating a resolution of the house memorializing Congress to pass immediately the pending appropriation bill providing relief to the States; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 62. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Civil Service to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

S. Res. 66. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Marian Ryan, guardian.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 312) for the relief of Lillian G. Frost, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 108) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1808) granting an increase of pension to Mary C. Weasel (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 1809) for the relief of Germaine M. Finley; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1810) to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Robert Judson McGarry; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 1811) providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and resin; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1812) for the relief of the widow of Albert Dean; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Moore and Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1813) to amend section 3 of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1814) to authorize the creation of an Indian village within the Shoalwater Indian Reservation, Wash., and for other purposes (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland (by request):

A bill (S. 1815) to require certain documents of vessels not wholly owned by citizens of the United States and navigated in the territorial waters of the United States, its territories or its possessions, to regulate vessels engaged in the fisheries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1816) to amend an act entitled "Liquor Taxing Act of 1934", approved January 11, 1934, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1817) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1818) for the relief of Julia M. Holland; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1819) to aid in the perfection of the national defense; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 1820) to provide warrant officers of the Coast Guard parity of promotion with warrant officers of the Navy to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 57) to amend Public Resolution No. 40, Seventy-third Congress, approved June 18 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

LENA MEANEY

Mr. Copeland submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 75), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the contingent fund of the Senate to Lena Meaney, widow of John E. Meaney, late the manager of the Senate kitchens and restaurants, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate he was receiving at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ARMS AND AMMUNITION

Mr. Pittman submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 76), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Resolved, That the Senate respectfully requests the President of the United States, in accordance with the suggestion of the Secretary of State, to return to the Senate for further action the treaty, Executive H, Sixty-ninth Congress, first session, being a Convention for the Supervision of the International Trade in Arms and Ammunition and in Implements of War, signed at Geneva, Switzerland, on June 17, 1925.

RETURN OF TREATIES TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Pittman submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 77), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

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Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to transmit to the Secretary of State, to be deposited with the archives of the State Department, the following conventions and treaties, heretofore transmitted, to the Senate by the President of the United States and not definitely acted upon:

Date	Country	Subject or title	Submitted
Feb. 7, 1905	Dominican Republic.	Collection of revenues.	Feb. 15, 1905, ex. V, 58 (3).
Aug. 23, 1906	Multilateral	Patents	Mar. 1, 1907, ex. I, 59 (2).
Oct. 18, 1907	do	Enemy ships	Feb. 27, 1908, ex. K, 60 (1).
Do	do	Merchant ships	Feb. 27, 1908, ex. L, 60 (1).
Jan. 10, 1911	Honduras	Loan	Jan. 26, 1911, ex. C, 61 (3).
June 6, 1911	Nicaragua	do	June 8, 1911, ex. B, 62 (1).
Sept. 20, 1913	Panama	Advancement of peace.	July 24, 1914, ex. M, 63 (2).
Nov. 19, 1913	Multilateral	Protection of nature.	June 27, 1914, ex. I, 63 (2).
Feb 17, 1914	Dominican Republic.	Advancement of peace.	July 24, 1914, ex. V, 63 ( ).
June 28 1919	Multilateral	Protocol to Treaty of Versailles.	Aug. 1, 1919, ex. A, 65 (1).
Do	Great Britain and France.	Guarantee	July 29, 1919, ex. E, 66 (1).
Nov. 7, 1919	Paraguay	Gold clearance	Jan. 23, 1920, ex. L, 66 (2).
Dec. 4, 1919	Guatemala	do	Jan. 23, 1920, ex. M, 66 (2).
Jan. 10, 1920	Panama	do	Jan. 23, 1920, ex. N, 66 (2).
Jan. 14, 1920	Haiti	do	Jan. 23, 1920, ex. O, 66 (2).
May 25, 1920	Ecuador	do	June 2, 1920, ex. R, 66 (2).

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Emergency Farm Mortgage Act, 1933, section 32; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

John T. Brickwood; James E. Fitzgerald; General Baking Co.; Abraham Green; Hempstead, N. Y., post-office building; James R. Kelly; Mack Copper Co.; Lucille McClure; Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co.; Marcus P. Norton; Walter F. Northrop; Army officers, Fort Myer, Va.; Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc.; and Marion Von Bruning; to the Committee on Claims.

Lillian Morden; to the Committee on Finance.

Indians of California: Shoalwater Indian Reservation; Tlingit Indians; Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, North Dakota; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Analytical Register of Regular Army and Security Statistics; Joseph E. Myers; and Walter L. Rosasco; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Howard E. Tolson; to the Committee on Pensions.

INVESTIGATION OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT OF JAMES A. FARLEY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said resolution.

On motion by Mr. Robinson that it be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads,

Mr. Borah raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The motion of Mr. Robinson was agreed to; and

The resolution was thereupon referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills and joint resolution were thereupon considered, and no amendment was made:

S. 945. A bill to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act;

S. 1336. A bill to amend paragraph (f) of section 4 of the Communications Act of 1934;

S. 943. A bill to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act;

S. 567. A bill for the relief of Sarah Lloyd;

S. 733. A bill for the relief of William Burke;

S. 634. A bill to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark.; and for other purposes;

S. 651. A bill for the relief of Harry Flanery;

S. 653. A bill for the relief of James W. Carmichael;

S. 274. A bill for the relief of Charles C. Floyd;

S. 871. A bill authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Alvin C. York as a major in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list;

S. 746. A bill for the relief of Joseph M. Thomas, alias Joseph Thomas, alias Thomas O'Donnell;

S. 890. A bill for the relief of Michael J. Moran;

S. 891. A bill for the relief of Hector H. Perry;

S. 888. A bill for the relief of Joseph Gorman;

S. 889. A bill for the relief of Albert A. Marquardt;

S. 1309. A bill to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of district court for the western district of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes;

S. 887. A bill for the relief of Edward T. Costello;

S. 920. A bill for the relief of Ruth J. Barnes;

S. 31. A bill to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff;

S. 250. A bill authorizing the Brookewell Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge at or near Wellsburg, W. Va.;

S. 737. A bill to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, as amended;

S. 812. A bill authorizing the Arizona State Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a toll or free bridge across the Colorado River at or near Parker, Ariz., within the Colorado River Indian Reservation;

S. 1076. A bill relating to the Oregon-Washington Bridge Board of Trustees;

S. 1144. A bill to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.;

S. 1308. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.;

S. 1519. A bill permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NW., in the District of Columbia;

S. 1176. A bill for the relief of Thomas A. Coyne;

S. 1304. A bill to amend section 47c, National Defense Act, as amended, relating to military training required to entitle members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps to receive commutation of subsistence;

S. 735. A bill for the relief of Wiener Bank Verein;

S. 1301. A bill to provide further for the maintenance of United States Soldiers' Home;

S. 893. A bill for the relief of Patrick J. Sullivan;

S. 1302. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

S. 732. A bill for the relief of Zinsser & Co.;

S. 999. A bill for the relief of Judson B. Isbester;

S. 1300. A bill to amend the War Department Appropriation Act relative to the operation of motor-propelled vehicles; and

S. J. Res. 46. Joint resolution authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 4018. An act to provide for the investigation, control, and eradication of marine organisms injurious to shellfish in the Atlantic and Gulf States;

H. R. 2030. An act authorizing the States of Washington and Idaho to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho;

H. R. 2874. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State highway commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Eleven Points River in section 17, township 23 north, range 2 west, approximately 12 miles east of Alton, on route no. 42, Oregon County, Mo.;

H. R. 3018. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Alexandria Bay, N. Y.;

H. R. 3057. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota in the State of Oklahoma;

H. R. 3891. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Waccamaw River at Conway, S. C.; and

H. R. 3983. A bill to legalize a bridge (known as "Union Street Bridge") across the Dan River at Danville, Va.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 347. A bill for the relief of James J. Jordan;

S. 886. A bill for the relief of Marino Ambrogi;

S. 1019. A bill to define, regulate, and license real-estate brokers and real-estate salesmen; to create a Real Estate Commission in the District of Columbia; to protect the public against fraud in real-estate transactions, and for other purposes;

S. 1009. A bill for the relief of George W. Baker;

S. 266. A bill to provide for the erection of a public historical museum in the Custer Battlefield National Cemetery, Mont.; and

S. 633. A bill for the relief of Isaac Pierce.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 944) to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. Austin, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was reconsidered; and its further consideration was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1222) to further extend the times for commencement and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to further extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1342) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minnesota; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled 'An act granting the consent of Congress to board of county commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minnesota.'"

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 49) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to.

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, D. C., 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1348) for the relief of James Darcy; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of James Darcy, alias James Hurley."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Thursday next.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, February 12, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3465. An act permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia;

H. R. 4996. An act to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff; and

H. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (D. C.) 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to acquire the Daniel Freeman farm in Gage County, Nebr., for the purpose of establishing it as a national monument to mark the filing of homestead no. 1 of the United States, and to commemorate the development of the agricultural empire of the West; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota memorializing Congress to continue the Federal relief aid now being furnished to the distressed school districts of North Dakota; and

A memorial of the Senate of the State of Arizona favoring sufficient funds for the efficient operation of the Bureau of Mines, and particularly research, statistical, and safety work; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota requesting the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates, canceling accrued interest, and refunding all interest paid;

A resolution adopted by Ensign Eric Lingard Post 1624, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Gloucester, Mass., favoring a suitable tariff upon importations of foreign fish;

A resolution adopted by Federal Labor Union, No. 18282, of the United Rubber Workers, of Akron, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes without interference or undue restriction on the part of either employers or government; and

A telegram from Ladies Auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Fort Concho Post No. 1815, of San Angelo, Tex., urging immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring a continuance of the quarantine imposed by the Department of Agriculture on the imposition of narcissus bulbs and hot-water sterilization at ports of entry of imported stocks of narcissus; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Resolutions adopted at Ososso and Corunna, in the State of Michigan, by money institutes held under the auspices of the American Science Foundation, favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the issuance of money exclusively by the Government, governmental operation of the Federal Reserve banks, and the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The Vice President laid before the Senate certain correspondence from Louis A. Nucera, of Buffalo, N. Y., relative to the so-called "New Deal", which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following telegrams:

A telegram from the Committee on Legislature, Kit Carson County Bureau Federation, of Burlington, Colo., urging the enactment of legislation reducing farm-mortgage interest to 3½ percent; and

A telegram from Louis Weiss, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of the prevailing rate of wages on Federal emergency relief work.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by Division No. 22, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, of Camden, N. J., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Townsend presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Delaware favoring the immediate cash payment at face value of adjusted-service certificates, with cancelation of interest accrued and refund of interest paid; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Russell presented the following resolutions of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A resolution of the Senate favoring the immediate passage of the so-called "bonus bill" for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A resolution of the House of Representatives favoring the payment of adjusted-compensation certificates.

Mr. Ashurst presented a petition of citizens of Maricopa County, Ariz., praying the adoption of the so-called "Borah resolution", protesting against religious persecution in Mexico; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Shipstead presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Glass, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 109) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1425) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Dickinson, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1094. A bill for the relief of Claude C. Martin (Rept. No. 110); and

S. 1427. A bill for the relief of Lyman I. Collins (Rept. No. 111).

Mr. Dickinson, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1347) for the relief of Robert J. Smith, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 112) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1390) for the relief of Harry L. Reaves, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 113) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1821) for the relief of Frank White and others; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1822) authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 1823) to correct the naval record of Williard A. Freeman; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Keyes:

A bill (S. 1824) for the relief of Abraham Green (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1825) to amend the Revenue Act of 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 1826) for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service to include employees in the legislative branch; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 1827) for the relief of Lucille McClure;

A bill (S. 1828) for the relief of Mrs. Frank G. Sanford; and

A bill (S. 1829) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims arising from the use by the Postal Service of the United States of a combined postmarking and stamp-canceling device, generally known and referred to as the "Norton device or stamp", and more particularly described in United States letters patents issued to Marcus P. Norton, nos. 25036, 37175, and 38175; and to award compensation therefor; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 1830) for the relief of Naomi L. Thompson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hatch:

(By request.) A bill (S. 1831) transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex.; and

A bill (S. 1832) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 1833) for the relief of W. L. Horn; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1834) authorizing loans by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to publicly and privately controlled colleges, universities, and other institutions of higher learning, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1835) for the relief of the legal representatives of John T. Brickwood, deceased, Edward Gaynor, Theodore Gebler, Lee W. Mix, Arthur L. Peck, Thomas D. Casanega, Joseph de Lusignan, and Joseph H. Berger; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1836) for the relief of Emma S. Fletcher; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 1837) for the relief of W. W. Cook; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1838) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 1839) amending section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act of 1916, and section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

(By request.) A bill (S. 1840) authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 1841) to provide medical services after retirement on annuity to former employees of the United States disabled by injuries sustained in the performance of their duties; and

A bill (S. 1842) to amend section 863, title 48, of the Code of Laws of the United States of America relating to the District Court of the United States for Puerto Rico; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 1843) to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to George J. Frank; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1844) granting a pension to Howard E. Tolson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 1845) granting an increase of pension to George B. Sheldon; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 1846) for the relief of the estate of Anton W. Fischer; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 1847) to amend Public 169, Seventy-third Congress, commonly known as the "Bankhead Act", to permit farmers producing three bales of cotton or less to sell the same tax free, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 1848) for the relief of Joseph E. Myers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1849) to amend the act of June 27, 1934, known as the "National Housing Act"; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1850) to amend an act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, as amended, by including Roger P. Ames among those honored by said act; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1851) to amend an act entitled "The United States Grain Standards Act", approved August 11, 1916, and acts amendatory thereto; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1852) to provide for the carrying out of the award of the National War Labor Board of April 11, 1919, and the decision of the Secretary of War of November 30, 1920, in favor of certain employees of the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.; of the St. Paul Foundry Co., St. Paul, Minn.; of the American Hoist & Derrick Co., St. Paul, Minn.; and of the Twin City Forge & Foundry Co., Stillwater, Minn.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 1853) to amend the Revenue Act of 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Frazier:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 58) for the relief of Lillian Morden; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT REPORTS ON P. W. A. PROGRAM

Mr. Long submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 78):

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, requested to transmit to the United States Senate as soon as possible all reports, checks of reports, daily and temporary reports, work sheets, and any and all other material and data in the possession of the Department of the Interior which was assembled by or under the direction of or in association with Louis Glavis or any other person in the employ of said Department of the Interior in connection with any investigation, inspection, review into the Public Works building program, or the building program commonly known and referred to as the "P. W. A.";

Resolved further, That there particularly be transmitted to the United States Senate by the Secretary of the Interior any and all reports, data assembled, or work sheets (including daily, temporary, or final reports, work sheets, and material collected) affecting any building project investigated or inquired into which affects the contracts let to or done by the firm of James Stewart Co., and particularly as may have affected the supplies furnished thereon by the General Builders' Supply Corporation; and

Resolved further, That the Secretary of the Interior further transmit to the United States Senate any and all information, data, reports, investigations, or inspections that have been assembled or conducted by the said Louis Glavis, or those working under or in association with him, or by any other person or persons, which affect, mention, or report on James A. Farley, or any concern with which said Farley has been or is now identified.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

ADMINISTRATION OF N. R. A. CODES

Mr. Nye and Mr. McCarran submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 79):

Whereas the National Industrial Recovery Act, as a temporary measure, has been in operation for nearly 2 years and will expire by limitation of time on June 16, 1935; and

Whereas proposals will soon be pending before the Congress for an extension of the act or for the enactment of new legislation in lieu of it; and

Whereas the Congress should be guided in its deliberations by the practical experience of the last 2 years; and

Whereas numerous charges have been made of injustice, oppression, and favoritism in the administration of the codes of the several industries; and

Whereas the charges include, among others, the following:

1. That small enterprises are oppressed and their continued existence jeopardized;

2. That wage scales and the rights of the workers are being ignored or subordinated in the competitive battle of the strong to seize the markets of the weak;

3. That in some industries the code authorities are dominated by certain elements of the industry, and are using their powers for the oppression of other elements;

4. That they are energetically using their usurped powers to accomplish the centralization of industry and to prevent its decentralization;

5. That hordes of paid investigators and inquisitors travel over the country practicing unlawful searches and seizures;

6. That in certain cases the administrators themselves have not hesitated openly to suspend or revoke the law for the benefit of favored individuals;

7. That even among the nonfavored elements of industry there is discrimination in this respect; that the strong are able to resist aggression while the weak must submit;

8. That, possessing vast and extralegal powers, code authorities have made trivial demands which cannot be ignored, under pain of economic death and have compelled the accused to travel vast distances with their witnesses and records to remote places to vindicate themselves;

9. That under the pretense of enforcing wage provisions the code authorities and the administrators have declared and are putting into effect a policy of regulating production costs without reference to wage scales;

10. That by means of the usurped power of fixing production costs they are indirectly fixing prices to the consumer;

11. That code authorities have usurped the legislative function and have issued floods of new legislation under the guise of rules, regulations, and interpretations;

12. That such rules, regulations, and interpretations are deliberately designed to affect adversely the unfavored elements and to leave unaffected the favored elements of industry;

13. That the torrent of rules, regulations, and interpretations has been deliberately designed to be vague, indefinite, and uncertain in order that the codes may mean anything or nothing in the unlimited discretion and untrammeled will of the code authorities;

14. That many of these vague rules, regulations, and interpretations have been retroactive in character; that industry has been compelled to guess at its peril; and individuals have been charged with serious offenses for violation of supposed laws which were not and could not have been anticipated;

15. That a wealth of statistical information is obtained from members of industry for the use and guidance of code authorities; that this information is available to the dominant elements and is withheld from those who would resist their domination;

16. That protected by code provisions for the confidential nature of information thus obtained, the operations of the code authorities are shrouded in mystery which the unfavored elements are unable to penetrate;

17. That in certain instances important amendments to codes have been obtained and approved of which the industry at large was in total ignorance for many months;

18. That when just complaints have been made to the administration the administrators have investigated the conduct of themselves and of their collaborating code authorities; that such investigations have been secretly conducted, and the complaining elements never called upon to produce evidence or informed that the investigation was in progress;

19. That section 4 (b) of the National Industrial Recovery Act (now expired by limitation) provided the conditions under which the President may require that no person shall engage in any trade or industry without first obtaining a license; that in defiance of the clear intent of the act certain industrial codes provide that all commodities produced shall bear an N. R. A. label; that the privilege of using such label shall be granted upon application to the code authority; that the privilege of using such label may be withdrawn in respect of any manufacturer whose operations, after hearing by the code authority and review by the Administrator, shall be found to be in substantial violation of the code; that this in effect constitutes the code authority and the Administrator a licensing authority; that some retail codes contain an absolute prohibition of the sale by any merchant of any commodity the code of whose industry requires a label unless the label of such industry be thereto affixed; that this system of legalized boycott places the manufacturer at the absolute mercy of the code authority and the Administrator; that a standardized practice has evolved under which a person aggrieved by a ruling of the code authority may appeal to the Administrator for redress, but that as a condition of obtaining a hearing of his grievances he must agree in advance to be bound by the decision of the Administrator and waive his right to resort to the judicial process;

20. That, notwithstanding the provision of the Constitution of the United States that all bills for raising revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives, code authorities have assumed and are exercising the power to levy taxes on industries and are enforcing collection thereof by duress;

21. That code authority administration in many cases has lost all semblance of a rule of law and has become a rule of men, bent upon the oppression of their weaker competitors; and

Whereas if the conditions charged obtain to any considerable extent the Congress should have full knowledge of them to guide it in the formulation of new legislation; and

Whereas all friends of labor and all well-wishers for the success of the industrial-recovery program recognize that the correction of abuses is a necessary condition to the success of the program: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the subject matter of this resolution be referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce and that said committee be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate and report upon the subject matter of this resolution.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee or any subcommittee thereof is authorized to hold hearings; to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Congress until the final report is submitted; to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents; to administer such oaths; to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS AND CONFERENCE REPORTS

Mr. McCarran submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 80):

Resolved, That rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

"3. Every bill and joint resolution reported from a committee shall lie over 2 days for consideration, unless by unanimous consent the Senate shall otherwise direct."

Resolved further, That rule XXVII of the Standing Rules of the Senate is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

"3. It shall not be in order to consider the report of a committee of conference until such report shall have been printed in the Record, and such report shall lie over 2 days for consideration, except on either of the 6 days preceding the end of a session."

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

PIPE LINES ACROSS NEW YORK AVENUE NE., DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent, The bill (H. R. 3465) permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADDRESS ON SUSAN B. ANTHONY

Mr. Wagner asked and obtained unanimous consent that an address honoring the memory of Susan B. Anthony, intended to have been delivered today by his colleague [Mr. Copeland], who is absent because of illness in his family, be read by the clerk.

The address was thereupon read by the Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed seven enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 2030, H. R. 2874, H. R. 3018, H. R. 3057, H. R. 3891, H. R. 3893, and H. R. 4018, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 2030. An act authorizing the States of Washington and Idaho to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho;

H. R. 2874. An act granting the consent to the State Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Eleven Points River in section 17, township 23 north, range 2 west, approximately 12 miles east of Alton, on route no. 42, Oregon County, Mo.;

H. R. 3018. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Alexandria Bay, N. Y.;

H. R. 3057. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota in the State of Oklahoma;

H. R. 3891. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Waccamaw River at Conway, S. C.;

H. R. 3983. An act to legalize a bridge (known as "Union Street Bridge") across the Dan River at Danville, Va.; and

H. R. 4018. An act to provide for the investigation, control, and eradication of marine organisms injurious to shellfish in the Atlantic and Gulf States.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT REPORTS ON P. W. A. PROGRAM

On motion by Mr. Long that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the resolution (S. Res. 78) calling on the Secretary of the Interior for reports in connection with an investigation of the Public Works Administration program, submitted by him today,

Mr. Clark raised a question of order, viz, that, under the rule, a resolution must lie over 1 day if objection is made.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) sustained the question of order.

Mr. Long thereupon made a motion that the rules be suspended for the purpose of immediately proceeding to the consideration of the resolution.

The Presiding Officer held that, under rule XL, a motion to suspend the rules must lie over for 1 day and must be in writing.

USURY LAWS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. Long that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 396) to amend section 1180 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia, with respect to usury,

After debate,

Mr. Long withdrew his motion.

EXTENSION OF CERTAIN AIR-MAIL CONTRACTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 6 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; authorizing an appropriation therefor; and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 148. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formulation of the Constitution of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

USELESS PAPERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of documents and papers in the files of the Department which are not needed in the current business of the Department and have no permanent value or historical interest; which was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Copeland and Mr. McNary as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to allay the action of erosion at Niagara Falls, in the State of New York, to insure more permanent existence of the Falls in their present beauty by controlling and equalizing the flow of water; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Wagner presented an identical concurrent resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A petition of Reese M. Rhodes, of Martinsburg, Pa., praying the passage of House bill 100, providing relief to certain Spanish War veterans; and

A petition of Interbay Local, United Consumers League, of Seattle, Wash., and resolutions adopted by the Citizens' Educational League and the Public Workers and Unemployed League, of Los Angeles, Calif., praying the passage of House bill 2827, providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Missouri memorializing Congress to speedily enact legislation appropriating unemployment or relief funds for the purpose of establishing and constructing all weather post roads.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. McGill presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas memorializing Congress to pass House bill 2024, providing for the payment of travel pay to certain Spanish-American War veterans; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Van Nuys presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the withdrawal of certain orders of the Department of Agriculture affecting the control of fish and game within the boundaries of national forests in that State; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. King presented memorials of the Standard Coal Co., the Auerbach Co., and the manager of the American Smelting & Refining Co., all of Salt Lake City, Utah, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to establish a 30-hour-work week for labor in industry; and a

Telegram from the secretary-manager of the Utah Retail Grocers Association, of Salt Lake City, Utah, urging that the national retail counsel be given an opportunity to be heard on the foregoing legislation; which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. King presented petitions and telegrams from citizens and organizations in the States of Utah, Kentucky, Colorado, and New York praying that appropriations for relief purposes in the construction of public works be expended under a contract system rather than by day labor.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 76. Resolution requesting the President of the United States to return to the Senate for further action the Treaty, Executive H, Sixty-ninth Congress, first session, regarding supervision of international trade in arms; and

S. Res. 77. Resolution ordering the transmittal to the Secretary of State of certain treaties and conventions upon which no definite action has been taken by the Senate.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 72. Resolution continuing the Special Committee to Investigate Bankruptcy and Receivership Proceedings; and

S. Res. 73. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Robert Y. Newell, Sr.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1374) authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 114) thereon.

Mr. King, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 35) authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate certain phases of the National Industrial Recovery Act, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Pensions be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1792) granting a pension to Walter George Niskern and that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Mr. Pittman, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1809) for the relief of Germaine M. Finley and that it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

On motion by Mr. Shipstead, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Library be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1116) authorizing the establishment of a filing and indexing service for useful Government publications and that it be referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 1854) giving jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Cherokee Fuel Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1855) to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing H. C. Brenner Realty & Finance Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Cherokee and Osage Streets, St. Louis, Mo.", approved February 13, 1931; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 1856) for the relief of Arthur Smith; and

A bill (S. 1857) for the relief of Earl M. Wilson (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1858) granting a pension to Mariah A. House; and

A bill (S. 1859) granting a pension to Effie Howard; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1860) for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 1861) to incorporate the National Association of State Libraries; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1862) to prohibit the use of enlisted personnel to displace civilian employees on military reservations and in all governmental agencies; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 1863) for the relief of Trifune Korac; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 1864) for the relief of the State of Nebraska; and

A bill (S. 1865) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of W. S. O'Brien against the United States; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 1866) for the relief of Claudia F. Banks and Edna B. Towner; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1867) for the relief of Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 1868) for the relief of Hugh F. Elliott; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1869) establishing the Bank of the United States, owned, operated, and controlled by the Government of the United States; defining the scope and manner of its operation; defining the powers and duties of the persons charged with its management; creating a board of directors; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1870) authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to certain portions of the National Park Service Reservation of Fort Marion in the city of St. Augustine, Fla.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1871) granting certain public lands to the State of Montana for the use and benefit of the Northern Montana Agricultural and Manual Training School; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 1872) for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1873) for the relief of May C. Gustin; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1874) to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented to Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, Capt. John Bogan, Sr., and the members of the crew of the fishing boat *Paramount;* to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1875) granting a pension to Edwin C. Derrick; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1876) to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1877) granting a pension to Ida R. Haynes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1878) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1879) for the relief of Jacob Kaufman; and

A bill (S. 1880) granting the Distinguished Service Cross to Col. John A. Lockwood, United States Army, retired; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1881) granting a pension to Mrs. Hyndshaw;

A bill (S. 1882) granting an increase of pension to Marie Schneider; and

A bill (S. 1883) granting a pension to Clarence James Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1884) to authorize the General Accounting Office to allow credit in the accounts of J. R. Lusby, disbursing officer of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 1885) to authorize turning over to the Indian Service vehicles, vessels, and supplies seized and forfeited for violation of liquor laws; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1886) to amend section 118 of the Judicial Code to provide for the appointment of law clerks to United States district court judges; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 1887) to amend subsection (a), as amended and supplemented, of section 5, of an act entitled "An act to place the cotton industry on a sound commercial basis, to prevent unfair competition and practices in putting cotton into the channels of interstate and foreign commerce, to provide funds for paying additional benefits under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes", approved April 21, 1934; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1888) to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1889) relating to retirement of brigadier generals of the Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1890) granting an increase of pension to David N. Henderson; to the Committee on Pensions.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 60) to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to investigate the cost of maintaining the present system of future trading in agricultural products and to ascertain what classes of citizens bear such cost; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 61) to repeal an act approved February 17, 1933, entitled "An act for the relief of Tampico Marine Iron Works", and to provide for the relief of William Saenger, chairman liquidating committee of the Beaumont Export & Import Co., of Beaumont, Tex.; to the Committee on Claims.

EXTENSION OF AIR-MAIL CONTRACTS

Mr. O'Mahoney submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 10), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby authorized and directed, in the enrollment of the bill (S. 932) authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months, to insert the following title to conform to the amendments of the House of Representatives, namely: "An act to postpone the effective date of certain restrictions respecting air-mail contracts."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. Ashurst submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 81), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on the Judiciary, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

EMBARGOES ON ARMS AND MUNITIONS SHIPMENTS

Mr. Clark submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 82), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas the United States has from time to time desired to impose and has imposed embargoes on the shipment of arms and munitions from the territory of the United States; and

Whereas difficulties in the imposition of such embargoes have arisen, owing to provisions in treaties to which the United States is a party, relative to prohibitions on exports from the United States which are not equally extended to all nations; and

Whereas it is essential that such difficulties be removed in order that the United States may, as occasion demands, act in the interest of peace by forbidding the export of arms and munitions: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate advise the President of the United States to exercise the privilege of terminating all treaties of the United States containing provisions relative to exports from the United States which may deprive the United States of a free hand in the imposition of embargoes on shipments of arms and munitions from the territory of the United States, if this privilege of termination is conferred on the United States by the terms of such treaties; and if such privilege of termination is not thus conferred on the United States, to enter into negotiations with other States parties to such treaties with a view to deleting provisions relative to exports from the United States which may deprive the United States of a free hand in the imposition of embargoes on shipments of arms and munitions from the territory of the United States.

HEARINGS ON INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN CONTRACTORS

Mr. Walsh submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 83), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved, That in accordance with paragraph 3 of section 2 of the Printing Act approved March 1, 1907, the Committee on Education and Labor be, and is hereby, empowered to have printed for its use 500 additional copies of the hearings held before a subcommittee of said committee relative to "Investigation of the relationship existing between certain contractors and their employees in the United States", Seventy-third Congress, second session.

CONNECTIONS BETWEEN ST. LAWRENCE WATERWAY AND LAKE CHAMPLAIN

Mr. Gibson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 84), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

Resolved, That the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors is hereby directed to review the report contained in House Document No. 149, Fifty-sixth Congress, second session, on deep waterway to connect Lake St. Francis on the St. Lawrence River with the Hudson River at Albany via Lake Champlain, with a view to determining the advisability and cost of such a connection between the St. Lawrence Waterway as proposed by treaty and the sheltered waters of the Atlantic coast between Boston, Mass., and Norfolk, Va.

The said Board of Engineers is further directed to make an examination and report with respect to any feasible canal route from the harbor of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada, south to Lake Champlain.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT REPORTS ON P. W. A. PROGRAM

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from yesterday, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 78) calling on the Secretary of the Interior for reports in connection with an investigation of the Public Works Administration program.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and having been modified by Mr. Long,

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That there be transmitted to the United States Senate by the Secretary of the Interior any and all reports, data assembled, or work sheets (including daily, temporary, or final reports, work sheets, and material collected), affecting any building project investigated or inquired into which affects the contracts let to or done by the firm of James Stewart Co., and particularly as may have affected the supplies furnished thereon by the General Builders' Supply Corporation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior further transmit to the United States Senate any and all information, data, reports, investigations, or inspections that have been assembled or conducted by Louis Glavis or those working under or in association with him, or by any other person or persons, which affect, mention, or report on James A. Farley or any concern with which said Farley has been or is now identified.

DEBATE DURING THE MORNING HOUR

Mr. Long obtained the floor, and while delivering an address,

Mr. Pittman raised a question of order, viz, that there was nothing before the Senate, and debate should be deferred until the morning business had been concluded.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

ADMINISTRATION OF N. R. A. CODES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from yesterday, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 79) for an investigation of certain charges concerning the administration of industrial codes by the National Recovery Administration.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS AND CONFERENCE REPORTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from yesterday, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 80) amending the rules by requiring reported bills and joint resolutions and conference reports to lie over 2 days for consideration.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. McCarran, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Rules.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the joint resolution H. J. Res. 94 be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 148 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 3465, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 3465) permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes; and, upon the request of Mr. Couzens, the same was read.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, line 6,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 4 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 240. An act for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle;

H. R. 330. An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota;

H. R. 340. An act for the relief of Louis Zagata;

H. R. 378. An act for the relief of Gerald Mackey;

H. R. 426. An act for the relief of Jacob Santavy;

H. R. 529. An act granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr.;

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased;

H. R. 593. An act for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner;

H. R. 816. An act for the relief of Logan Mulvaney;

H. R. 829. An act granting 6 months' pay to Hester Hamilton;

H. R. 1073. An act for the relief of John F. Hatfield;

H. R. 1119. An act for the relief of Joseph W. Harley;

H. R. 1438. An act for the relief of Carrie McIntyre;

H. R. 1565. An act for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin;

H. R. 1575. An act to correct the military record of John S. Cannell, deceased;

H. R. 1951. An act for the relief of John J. O'Connor;

H. R. 2117. An act for the relief of Cora A. Snyder;

H. R. 2128. An act for the relief of Rosetta Laws;

H. R. 2192. An act for the relief of Harry B. Walmsley;

H. R. 2294. An act for the relief of Thaddeus C. Knight;

H. R. 2480. An act for the relief of Charles Davis;

H. R. 2485. An act for the relief of William Estes;

H. R. 2569. An act for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat;

H. R. 2678. An act for the relief of Carl L. Bernau;

H. R. 3071. An act for the relief of Second Lt. Charles E. Upson;

H. R. 3105. An act for the relief of Samuel Kaufman;

H. R. 3266. An act authorizing the maintenance and use of a banking house upon the United States Military Reservation at Fort Lewis, Wash.;

H. R. 3373. An act for the relief of Anna S. Carrigan;

H. R. 3558. An act for the relief of Capt. Walter S. Bramble;

H. R. 3721. An act for the relief of Angelo J. Gillotti; and

H. R. 5032. An act for the relief of the dependents of Carl Lindow, known also as Carl Lindo.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Friday, February 15, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

DIVISION OF WATERS OF YELLOWSTONE RIVER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from William A. Lamb, Commissioner for the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a compact entered into by himself and the Commissioners for the States of Montana and Wyoming for a division of the waters of the Yellowstone River; which, with the accompanying document, was referred to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota urging the passage of the so-called "Frazier-Lemke bill" providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness and the so-called "McNary bill" providing for the cost of production to farmers of that part of American agriculture consumed or used within the United States;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the distribution of feed for livestock in North Dakota by the Federal Government;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation that will increase the demand for agricultural products, especially motor-vehicle fuels containing grain alcohol; and

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts memorializing Congress for relief from the oppressive burden of the cotton processing tax upon the manufacture of cotton and textile products, and requesting the repeal of such tax or the spreading of it over the industry in general; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to promptly ratify the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; and

A resolution adopted by a committee of the St. Louis Archdiocesan Union Holy Name Society of St. Louis, Mo., favoring an investigation and correction of antireligious conditions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, the Progressive Republican Club, of Corona, N. Y., the Cleveland Baptist Ministers' Conference, of Cleveland, Ohio, and the Inter-Racial Committee of the District of Columbia, favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation;

Resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Covington, Ky., and the City Council of Lansing, Mich., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated General Pulaski's Memorial Day; and

A resolution adopted by the Philadelphia (Pa.) Textile District Council, United Textile Workers of America, remonstrating against certain convictions growing out of labor disturbances in the textile industry in Lancaster, Pa.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina, and a resolution adopted by William J. Murphy Chapter No. 9, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, of Denver, Colo., favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A resolution adopted at a mass meeting held at St. Louis, Mo., under the auspices of the Central Trades and Labor Union urging an investigation of employer organized company unions under the National Industrial Recovery Act and activities of private detective agencies, and favoring the enactment of legislation that will make the labor provisions in the act effective; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for an extension of the time limit within which to return livestock taken into Mexico for temporary pasturage purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas memorializing Congress to enact legislation whereby the States may use a part of the credit given to the United States in obtaining money to give employment to the unemployed and the carrying on of great public improvements without high interest being charged to obtain money; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the immediate remonetization of silver; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide for the improvement of the Michigan City Harbor and the outer basin in that State; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas memoralizing Congress to pass House bill 2024, providing for the payment of travel pay to certain Spanish-American War veterans; to the Committee on Claims.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by the common council of the city of Manitowoc, Wis., favoring an adequate Federal work relief program; and

A resolution adopted by the American League of Ex-Servicemen, of Los Angeles, Calif., favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates, the repeal of the economy act, and the passage of unemployment insurance and old-age pension legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Austin presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont favoring the use of granite, marble, and slate in the construction of a just and fair proportion of the buildings and memorials erected by the Government under its public-works program; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. George presented the following resolutions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Georgia urging the enactment of legislation to compensate cotton ginners for the expense incurred in the collection of processing taxes on cotton; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Georgia memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the building of a road through the Okefenokee Swamp in the State of Georgia to Lake City, Fla.; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring the prompt ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts memorializing Congress to enact legislation for relief from the oppressive burden of the processing tax on cotton and requesting the repeal of such tax or the spreading of it over the industry in general; and

A resolution adopted by the agricultural committee of the New England Council, of Boston, Mass., urging an appropriation for the control of white-pine blister rust in addition to the amount included in the Budget; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts urging the enactment of legislation providing that a valid mortgage on vessels of smaller tonnage than 200 tons shall have the same priority over subsequently accruing liens as on vessels of 200 tons or upward; to the Committee on Commerce.

A petition of American Legion Auxiliary, Bridgewater (Mass.) Post, No. 203, praying the enactment into law of the entire Legion legislative program;

A communication from the president of the Massachusetts League of Women Voters relative to a reorganization of national tax systems;

A petition of Weaver's Progressives, of Fall River, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions;

Petitions of the Everett Townsend Club No. 1, of Everett, and of citizens of Roxbury, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing for old-age pensions under the so-called "Townsend plan"; and

Petitions of Lodge Italian American, of Norwood, and Giosue' Carducci Lodge No. 242, Sons of Italy in America, of East Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of legislation providing old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of the board of directors of the Boston Young Women's Christian Association and the interracial committee of the Massachusetts branch of the Women's International League, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A memorial of the executive committee of the New England Traffic League, of New Bedford, Mass., remonstrating against certain legislation proposed affecting railroad freight rates; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of the legislative committee of Sgt. John P. Balch Auxiliary No. 57, Spanish War Veterans, of Newburyport, Mass., praying the passage of House bill 100, restoring certain benefits to Spanish War veterans; to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of Building Trades Council of Boston and Vicinity, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of the prevailing rate of wages on all construction work performed under Public Works relief appropriations.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. King presented a telegram from the Rochester Gas & Electric Corporation, of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation permitting the continuance of private corporation pension plans in the payment of old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guffey presented the following memorials of the Philadelphia Board of Trade, of Philadelphia, Pa., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a maximum of 30 hours per week for labor in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A memorial remonstrating against the enactment of proposed legislation providing unemployment and health insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of citizens of Winfield, Kans., praying the passage of legislation embodying the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Building Craftsmen, of Topeka, Kans., urging that all work in which public funds are used be awarded by competitive bidding.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of legislation remonetizing silver; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 115) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 1891) to amend section 602 and paragraph (a) of section 602½ of the Revenue Act of 1934, entitled "An act to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 1892) to amend the act authorizing the Attorney General to compromise suits on certain contracts of insurance; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 1893) to restore to the public domain portions of the Jordan Narrows (Utah) Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 1894) granting an increase of pension to Emma J. Bratton (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin:

A bill (S. 1895) granting an increase of pension to Florence E. Southwick; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 1896) to provide for interest payments on American Embassy drafts; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 1897) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act relative to loss and damage claims; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1898) for the relief of Andrew M. Dunlop; and

A bill (S. 1899) for the relief of F. M. Elliott; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1900) for the relief of Harry Francis Zeller; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 1901) granting a pension to Carlos J. Anderson;

A bill (S. 1902) granting a pension to Don E. Bartell;

A bill (S. 1903) granting a pension to John William Boland;

A bill (S. 1904) granting a pension to Wiley E. Bolt;

A bill (S. 1905) granting a pension to Laura F. Collins;

A bill (S. 1906) granting a pension to Ollie A. De Selm;

A bill (S. 1907) granting a pension to Charles Foye;

A bill (S. 1908) granting a pension to Mary D. Howard;

A bill (S. 1909) granting a pension to Josephine Johnson;

A bill (S. 1910) granting a pension to Ulysses Samuel Main;

A bill (S. 1911) granting a pension to Kitty A. Miller;

A bill (S. 1912) granting a pension to David Poula;

A bill (S. 1913) granting a pension to Martha L. Stonerock;

A bill (S. 1914) granting a pension to Jesse Thomas;

A bill (S. 1915) granting a pension to Kate Thompson;

A bill (S. 1916) granting a pension to Michael L. Walsh;

A bill (S. 1917) granting an increase of pension to Madison M. Burnett;

A bill (S. 1918) granting an increase of pension to Joseph W. Hicks;

A bill (S. 1919) granting an increase of pension to Mary E. Jasper;

A bill (S. 1920) granting an increase of pension to Harry A. Smith; and

A bill (S. 1921) granting an increase of pension to Alzina M. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1922) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in coal; stabilize the coal-mining industry; provide for cooperative marketing; secure prices just to operators and consumers and fair living and working conditions for the miners concerned; to create a court of coal conservation; levy taxes on coal to provide for the general welfare and to provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to conserve the coal

resources of the United States and to establish a national coal reserve; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1923) to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 1924) to provide for the distribution of power revenues on Federal reclamation projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1925) for the relief of E. S. de Bessieres; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

NELLIE SNYDER

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 85), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the contingent fund of the Senate to Nellie Snyder, widow of Nevin Snyder, late an assistant clerk to the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 240, H. R. 816, H. R. 829, H. R. 1073, H. R. 1119, H. R. 1438, H. R. 1565, H. R. 1575, H. R. 1951, H. R. 2117, H. R. 2128, H. R. 2192, H. R. 2294, H. R. 2480, H. R. 2485, H. R. 2569, H. R. 2678, H. R. 3071, H. R. 3160, H. R. 3266, H. R. 3558, H. R. 3721, and H. R. 5032 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bills H. R. 330 and H. R. 3373 be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; and that the bills H. R. 340, H. R. 378, H. R. 426, H. R. 529, H. R. 530, and H. R. 593 be referred to the Committee on Claims.

OPINION OF SUPREME COURT IN GOLD CLAUSE CASES

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the opinions of the Supreme Court of the United States, together with the dissenting opinions, delivered February 18, 1935, in the cases questioning the validity of the joint resolution of Congress of June 5, 1933, with respect to the "gold clauses" in obligations, be printed as a Senate document.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, line 6,

After debate,

The said amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, to further amend the bill by striking out all after the word "purposes", on page 1, line 11, down to and including the word "law", on page 2, line 2, as proposed to be amended, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

The amendment was modified by Mr. O'Mahoney, and, as modified, agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 2, line 4,

Mr. Hale raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 4,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Cutting to amend the said amendment by striking out, in line 8, "(1)", and by striking out all after the word "need", in line 9, down to and including the word "so" in line 12,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Gore to amend the part proposed to be stricken out by inserting on page 2, line 9, after the word "or", the word "voluntarily",

Pending debate,

Mr. Wheeler raised a question of order, viz, that while there was an amendment pending to strike out the whole committee amendment another amendment could not be ordered.

The Vice President, in the following language, overruled the question of order:

"The Chair will state to the Senator from Montana that the theory of the rule is that a motion to strike out and insert takes precedence over a motion to strike out, so as to perfect the matter proposed to be stricken out before the other motion is acted upon. The only question is whether this is an amendment in the third degree, there already having been a committee amendment proposed, and an amendment to that amendment. The philosophy of the rule seems to be to perfect whatever the Senate has to vote on before the Senate votes on it; so the Chair will hold the amendment in order."

The amendment proposed by Mr. Gore was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Cutting, viz, on page 3, line 8, strike out "(1)" and strike out all after the word "need" in line 9 down to and including the word "so" in line 12, as amended, as follows: ", (2) has not within sixty days resigned from or voluntarily left any position the wage for which was at a rate in excess of $50 a month, and (3) has bona fide endeavored to obtain employment and has been unable to do so".

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays, being demanded by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to Mr. Cutting's amendment.

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The order for the yeas and nays was rescinded.

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

The question was taken on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, beginning on page 3, line 4, to which Mr. Cutting's amendment had been proposed; and

The reported amendment, as amended, was disagreed to.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to, and the reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 16, was amended on the motion of Mr. Russell, and as amended agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 5, line 18,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, FEB. 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1144) to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.

The House has passed the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3982. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River between Rockport, Ind., and Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 5444. An act to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 5701. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Indiana to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Wabash River at or near La Fayette, Ind.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of State for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $143,395, for an additional amount for salaries of Foreign Service officers; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIM OF STATE OF VERMONT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 224 (73d Cong., 2d sess.), a report of an audit of the claim of the State of Vermont with respect to advances and expenditures made by such State during the War of 1812; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota memorializing Congress to give consideration to the so-called "Townsend old-age revolving pension plan";

Petitions praying the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated "General Pulaski's Memorial Day", as follows:

A resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey;

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Wyandotte, Mich.;

A resolution adopted by the Council of the city of San Diego, Calif.;

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Vicksburg, Miss.;

A resolution adopted by the City Council of the city and county of Denver, Colo.; and

A resolution adopted by the City Commission of San Benito, Tex.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Cathedral Heights-Cleveland Park Citizens' Association, of Washington, D. C., favoring a future policy of selecting for public office in the District of Columbia government those persons who are bona fide residents of the District; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Bulkley presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Ohio memorializing Congress to enact legislation assuming the payment of the maintenance cost and the remaining bonded indebtedness of the Miami conservancy district of Ohio; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Barbour presented the following resolutions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey urging the enactment of legislation to permit State taxation of interstate sales; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation to increase the demand for agricultural products, especially on motor-vehicle fuels containing grain alcohol; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to acquire the Daniel Freeman farm in Gage County, Nebr., for the purpose of establishing it as a national monument to mark the filing of homestead no. 1 of the United States, and to commemorate the development of the agricultural empire of the West; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska, requesting the Government to acquire, set aside, preserve, and maintain as a national park a tract of land in Knox County, Nebr., known as "Devil's Nest"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Shipstead presented a petition of the United States Old Age Pension Association, of Windom, Minn., praying the enactment of legislation granting old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of Francis L. Miller, of Worcester, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation to equalize the salary of city and village letter carriers; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Community Club of Bunker Hill, of Charlestown, Mass., favoring the passage of legislation proposing withdrawal of diplomatic recognition of Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

A petition of Barnstable Unit No. 206, American Legion Auxiliary, of Cotuit, Mass., praying the enactment into legislation of the entire legislation program of the American Legion;

A petition of members of Alex, Scammell Auxiliary No. 1822, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Plymouth, Mass., praying the passage of the seven-point legislative program of the Veterans of Foreign Wars;

Petitions of members of five posts of Veterans of Foreign Wars in the State of Massachusetts praying the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A resolution adopted by Eric Lingard Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Gloucester, Mass., favoring a suitable tariff on importations of foreign fish; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, of Newton, Iowa, remonstrating against further Army and Navy appropriations tending to plunge the country into war; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A memorial of employees of the Greenfield Tap & Die Corporation, of Greenfield, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; and

A memorial of Hyacinth Circle 71, Daughters of Isabella, of New Bedford, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bills 600 and 1375 relating to birth control; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A resolution of the Board of Aldermen of Somerville, Mass., favoring a continuance of the Emergency Relief Administration;

A resolution of the City Council of Lowell, Mass., favoring the participation of the granite industry in appropriations for relief purposes;

A petition of citizens of Springfield, Mass., praying certain amendments to the bill making appropriations for relief purposes; and

Petitions of various business and labor organizations in the State of Massachusetts praying the payment of prevailing wages to labor and the construction of public works under contract in the expenditure of appropriations provided for relief purposes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a resolution adopted by the Holy Name Society of St. Cecilia's Church, of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Reynolds presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to take the profit out of war by additional income-tax laws; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to refinance agricultural indebtedness; and

A joint resolution urging the enactment of legislation for the protection of sweet and Irish potato farmers; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Costigan presented certain extracts from an article entitled "The New Deal for Share Croppers", by Dr. William R. Amberson, professor of physiology, college of medicine, University of Tennesee, published in the New York Nation of February, 13, 1935, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1712) to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 116) thereon.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 927) to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 117) thereon.

Mr. Russell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1082) for the reinstatement of John Carmichael Williams in the United States Navy, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 118) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1803) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 119) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 878. A bill for the relief of Ray Funcannon (Rept. No. 120); and

S. 879. A bill for the relief of Denis Healy (Rept. No. 121).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 894) for the relief of Robert H. Wilder, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 122) thereon.

Mr. Davis, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1605) authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and General Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Forces, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 123) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1016) to empower the health officer of the District of Columbia to authorize the opening of graves, and the disinterment and reinterment of dead bodies, in cases where death has been caused by certain contagious diseases, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 124) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 213) to amend section 113 of the Criminal Code of March 4, 1909, 35 Stat. 1109 (U. S. C., title 18, sec. 203), and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 126) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 876) for the relief of Edgar Joseph Casey, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 127) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 84) to amend section 61 of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, relating to depositories for money of bankrupt estates, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1506) to change the name of the Pickwick Landing Dam to Quin Dam, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 125) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 240) for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle and that it be referred to the Committee on Claims.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1926) to amend paragraph (a) of section 5155 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to branches of national banking associations; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1927) granting an increase of pension to George E. Ficklin; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 1928) to amend section 8 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 1929) to clarify the status of the National Zoological Park; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 1930) granting an annuity to Ada B. Nafew; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 1931) granting a pension to Charles Knowlton; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1932) for the relief of the State of California; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 1933) to amend certain laws relating to American seamen, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 1934) for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.; and

A bill (S. 1935) for the relief of Marion Shober Phillips; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1936) granting a pension to Walter T. Reckling; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 1937) providing a pensionable status for soldiers of certain companies of militia organized in the Territories of Utah, Arizona, and New Mexico, and the State of Texas for service against hostile Indians; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 1938) to provide for the payment of veterans' adjusted-service certificates in bonds of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 1939) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to adjudicate certain claims of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1940) to fix the value of subsistence and rental allowance under the Pay Readjustment Act of June 10, 1922; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, introduced a bill (S. 1941) to raise revenue by levying an excise tax upon corporations doing business in the United States, measured by net capital return, and for other purposes, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and ordered to lie on the table.

INVESTIGATION OF LOAN ACTIVITIES OF FEDERAL LAND BANKS

Mr. Clark, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 86), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Resolved, That a special committee of seven Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the loan activities of all Federal land banks, with a view to determining whether such land banks, in granting loans, have unjustly discriminated against persons, States, areas, or communities.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena, or otherwise, the attendance of such witnesses, and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per 100 words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigations, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation.

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HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 3982, H. R. 5444, and H. R. 5701, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 5, line 18,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 7, line 12, was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 7, line 13, inserting a new section (sec. 6),

On motion by Mr. McCarran to amend the same by inserting, in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted, certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 10) authorizing an amendment of the title in the enrollment of Senate bill 932, extending certain air-mail contracts.

CONTRABAND OIL SHIPMENTS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Connally,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Logan, Mr. Connally, and Mr. Davis.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 4 o'clock and 24 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 49) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (D. C.) 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz S. 932 and S. 1144, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On February 13, 1935:

H. J. Res. 58. Joint resolution for defraying the expenses of the American section, International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico; and

H. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution making additional appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, the National Mediation Board, and the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

On February 18, 1935:

H. R. 2874. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State highway commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Eleven Points River in section 17, township 23 north, range 2 west, approximately 12 miles east of Alton, on route no. 42, Oregon County, Mo.;

H. R. 3057. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota, in the State of Oklahoma;

H. R. 3465. An act permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia.

H. R. 3891. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Waccamaw River at Conway, S. C.; and

H. R. 3983. An act to legalize a bridge (known as "Union Street Bridge") across the Dan River at Danville, Va.

On February 19, 1935:

H. R. 2030. An act authorizing the States of Washington and Idaho to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 932. An act to postpone the effective date of certain restrictions respecting air-mail contracts; and

S. 1144. An act to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EXTENSION OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, referred to the Committee on Finance, and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

On May 17, 1933, I asked the Congress to "provide for the machinery necessary for a great cooperative movement throughout all industry in order to obtain wide reemployment, to shorten the working week, to pay a decent wage for the shorter week, and to prevent unfair competition and disastrous overproduction."

The National Industrial Recovery Act was passed by the Congress in June 1933, and the administrative machinery to carry it into effect was set up during the succeeding month.

It is worth remembering that the purpose of this law challenged the imagination of the American people and received their overwhelming support. Enforcement during the earlier life of the act was not a problem which gave the country concern, for the very good reason that public opinion served as an enforcing agency which potential violators did not dare to oppose. The immediate objective was to check the downward spiral of the great depression, and it met this objective and started us on our forward path. It is now clear that in the spring and summer of 1933 many estimates of unemployment in the United States were far too low, and we are therefore apt to forget today that the National Industrial Recovery Act was the biggest factor in giving reemployment to approximately 4,000,000 people.

In our progress under the act the age-long curse of child labor has been lifted, the sweatshop outlawed, millions of wage earners have been released from the starvation wages and excessive hours of labor. Under it a great advance has been made in the opportunities and assurances of collective bargaining between employers and employees. Under it the pattern of a new order of industrial relations is definitely taking shape.

Industry as a whole has also made gains. It has been freed, in part at least, from dishonorable competition brought about not only by overworking and underpaying labor but by destructive business practices. We have begun to develop new safeguards for small enterprises; and most important of all, business itelf recognizes more clearly than at any previous time in our history the advantages and the obligations of cooperation and self-discipline, and the patriotic need of ending unsound financing and unfair practices of all kinds.

Hand in hand with the improving of labor conditions and of industrial practices we have given representation and consideration to the problems of the consuming public. And it is reasonable to state that with certain inevitable exceptions in the case of individual products there has been less gouging in retail sales and prices than in any similar period of increasing demand and rising markets.

The first codes went into effect in July 1933. Since then approximately 600 have been added. The average age of these codes of fair competition which have been approved—90 percent of the coverable employments were under code—is less than 11 months, a brief time indeed for the definite achievements already made. Only carping critics and those who seek either political advantage or the right again to indulge in unfair practices or exploitation of labor or consumers deliberately seek to quarrel over the obvious fact that a great code of law, of order, and of decent business cannot be created in a day or a year.

We must rightly move to correct some things done or left undone. We must work out the coordination of every code with every other code. We must simplify procedure. We must continue to obtain current information as to the working out of code processes. We must constantly improve a personnel which, of necessity, was hastily assembled but which has given loyal and unselfish service to the Government of the country. We must check and clarify such provisions in the various codes as are puzzling to those operating under them. We must make more and more definite the responsibilities of all of the parties concerned.

This act, which met in its principles with such universal public approval and under which such great general gains have been made, will terminate on June 16, next. The fundamental purposes and principles of the act are sound. To abandon them is unthinkable. It would spell the return of industrial and labor chaos.

I, therefore, recommend to the Congress that the National Industrial Recovery Act be extended for a period of 2 years.

I recommend that the policy and standards for the administration of the act should be further defined in order to clarify the legislative purpose and to guide the execution of the law, thus profiting by what we have already learned.

Voluntary submission of codes should be encouraged, but at the same time, if an industry fails voluntarily to agree within itself, unquestioned power must rest in the Government to establish in any event certain minimum standards of fair competition in commercial practices, and especially adequate standards in labor relations. For example, child labor must not be allowed to return; the fixing of minimum wages and maximum hours is practical and necessary.

The rights of employees freely to organize for the purpose of collective bargaining should be fully protected.

The fundamental principles of the antitrust laws should be more adequately applied. Monopolies and private price fixing within industries must not be allowed nor condoned. "No monopoly should be private." But I submit that in the case of certain natural resources, such as coal, oil, and gas, the people of the United States need Government supervision over these resources devised for the purpose of eliminating their waste and of controlling their output and stabilizing employment in them, to the end that the public will be protected and that ruinous price cutting and inordinate profits will both be denied.

We must continue to recognize that incorrigible minorities within an industry, or in the whole field of trade and industry, should not be allowed to write the rules of unfair play and compel all others to compete upon their low level. We must make certain that the privilege of cooperating to prevent unfair competition will not be transformed into a license to strangle fair competition under the apparent sanction of the law. Small enterprises especially should be given added protection against discrimination and oppression.

In the development of this legislation I call your attention to the obvious fact that the way to enforce laws, codes, and regulations relating to industrial practices is not to seek to put people in jail. We need other and more effective means for the immediate stopping of practices by any individual or by any corporation which are contrary to these principles.

Detailed recommendations along the lines which I have indicated have been made to me by various departments and agencies charged with the execution of the present law. These are available for the consideration of the Congress and, although not furnishing anything like a precise and finished draft of legislation, they may be helpful to you in your deliberations.

Let me urge upon the Congress the necessity for an extension of the present act. The progress we have been able to make has shown us the vast scope of the problems in our industrial life. We need a certain degree of flexibility and of specialized treatment, for our knowledge of the processes and the necessities of this life are still incomplete. By your action you will sustain and hasten the process of industrial recovery which we are now experiencing; you will lighten the burdens of unemployment and economic insecurity.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 20, 1935.*

REPORT OF ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILROADS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith for the information of the Congress a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, forwarding the annual report of the Assistant Director General of Railroads for the calendar year 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 20, 1935.*

(Note: Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

EXPENSES OF PAN AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State, with an accompanying paper, to the end that legislation may be enacted providing for an annual appropriation of $10,000 for the payment of the share of this Government in the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History, and requesting the President to invite the Pan American Institute of Geography and History to hold its second general assembly in the United States in 1935, and providing an appropriation of $10,000 for the expenses of such a meeting.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 20, 1935.*

USELESS PAPERS IN THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, stating that he had disposed of certain useless papers in the Department of the Interior, in accordance with authority granted during the Seventy-third Congress, second session; which was ordered to lie on the table.

REPORT OF MIGRATORY BIRD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, as ex-officio chairman of the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

SENATE OFFICE BUILDING COMMISSION

The Vice President appointed Mr. Van Nuys a member of the Senate Office Building Commission, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of service of Hon. Phillips Lee Goldsborough.

DIRECTOR OF COLUMBIA HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN

Under authority of the act of June 10, 1872, the Vice President reappointed Mr. Adams a director of the Columbia Hospital for Women.

DIRECTOR OF COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

Under authority of title 24, chapter 5, section 236, United States Code, the Vice President reappointed Mr. Copeland a director of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Columbus, Ohio, urging the enactment of legislation exempting from taxation and from sale on account of nonpayment of taxes every homestead to the extent of the first $3,000 of valuation, and recommending increase in inheritance, income, and public-utilities taxes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Old Age Pension Association, of Orange, Tex., urging the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fletcher presented a petition of the Sentinels of the Republic remonstrating against the publicity of income-tax returns of citizens; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of members of the Salina Rifle Club and members of the police department of Salina, Kans., praying the passage of Senate bill 3, to regulate commerce in firearms; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Norbeck presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of South Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation authorizing the furnishing of seed grain to farmers in drought-stricken areas, to be paid for by a return bushel for bushel for the seed so furnished and for handling charges; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Maloney presented a petition of citizens of Bridgeport, Conn., praying the passage of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions praying the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day were presented, as follows:

By Mr. Maloney: Resolutions adopted by seven groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the State of Connecticut.

By Mr. Townsend: A resolution adopted by Group No. 71 of the same organization, of Wilmington, Del.

By Mr. Hastings: A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Wilmington, Del.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 79) for an investigation of certain charges concerning the administration of industrial codes by the National Recovery Administration, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 128) thereon.

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 481) authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 129) thereon.

Mr. Bilbo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4983) to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forrest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 130) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 140) to provide for the completion of the publication of the writings of George Washington, reported it with amendments.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 43) for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 131) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 410) to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 132) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1616) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and Acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 133) thereon.

Mr. Hale, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 271) for the relief of James Foy, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 134) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1942) to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 1943) to prescribe the procedure and practice in condemnation proceedings brought by the United States of America, including acquisition of title and the taking of possession under declarations of taking; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 1944) for the relief of Ensign Stanley Harrison; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1945) granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Ernest Edwin Dailey; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 1946) to provide for the construction of the Big Thompson Canon Highway; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 1947) granting a pension to Frank Casey; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 1948) for the inspection of vessels propelled by internal-combustion engines; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1949) authorizing the President to order David J. Fitzgerald before a retiring board for a hearing of his case, and upon the findings of such board determine whether he be placed on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 1950) for the relief of Julius Crisler; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 1951) providing for a survey of the Skipanon River, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Carey:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 62) relating to emergency cattle agreements under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 63) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes incident to said encampment; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 87), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Claudia F. Banks and Edna B. Towner; Cherokee Fuel Co.; Guy Clatterbuck; Andrew M. Dunlop; E. M. Elliott; Trifune Korac; Nebraska, State of; Arthur Smith; Tampa Marine Co.; and Tampico Marine Iron Works; to the Committee on Claims.

Indian Service, to turn over supplies seized for violation of liquor laws; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Jordan Narrows, Utah; Jacob Kaufman; and National Cemeteries; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Harry Francis Zeller; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Carlos J. Anderson; Don E. Bartell; John William Boland; Madison M. Burnett; Laura F. Collins; E. S. de Bessieres; Edwin C. Derrick; David N. Henderson; Mariah A. House; Effie Howard; Mary D. Howard; Ida R. Haynes; Mary E. Jasper; Josephine Johnson; Ulysses Samuel Main; Kitty A. Miller; David Poula; Harry A. Smith; Martha L. Stonerock; Jesse Thomas; Michael L. Walsh; and Alzina M. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

Northern Montana Agricultural and Manual Training School; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. McCarran to the reported amendment beginning on page 7, line 13, inserting in lieu of the language contained therein certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Reynolds raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

TRANSFER OF FOREST RESERVATION LANDS IN MISSISSIPPI

On motion by Mr. Bilbo, and by unanimous consent, The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4983) to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forrest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ACCEPTANCE OF STATUES OF CAESAR RODNEY AND JOHN M. CLAYTON

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 5) to print and bind the proceedings in Congress and in the rotunda of the Capitol upon the ac-

ceptance in the Capitol of the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said concurrent resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The concurrent resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there be printed with illustrations and bound, in such form and style as may be directed by the Joint Committee on Printing, 2,200 copies of the proceedings in Congress together with the proceedings at the unveiling in the rotunda of the Capitol, and such other matter as may be relevant thereto, upon the acceptance of the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware, of which 200 shall be for the use of the Senate, and 500 for the use of the House of Representatives, and the remaining 1,500 copies shall be for the use and distribution of the Senators and Representative in Congress from the State of Delaware.

The Joint Committee on Printing is hereby authorized to have the copy prepared for the Public Printer and shall procure suitable illustrations to be published with these proceedings.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CONTRACTORS AND EMPLOYEES

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 83) authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to have printed for its use additional copies of hearings on "Investigation of the relationship existing between certain contractors and their employees in the United States", reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on yesterday they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 932. An act to postpone the effective date of certain restrictions respecting air-mail contracts; and

S. 1144. An act to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of State for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $60,000, for an additional amount for the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, to be immediately available; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the acting president of the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the official operations of said government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

CHILD-LABOR AMENDMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Governor of the State of Indiana, transmitting certified copies of the proceedings of the Legislature of the State of Indiana ratifying the so-called "child labor" amendment to the Constitution; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the use of granite and natural stone in the construction of public buildings to be erected under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A telegram from the President of the Senate of Puerto Rico, demanding that the quota of sugar production of Puerto Rico be fixed at 1,000,000 tons under the so-called "Jones-Costigan Act" regulating sugar production; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of citizens of the State of Idaho praying the enactment of legislation prescribing penalties for those who advocate the overthrow of our Government by force or violence; and

A resolution adopted by the Central Labor Union of Montgomery County, Pa., remonstrating against certain convictions growing out of labor disturbances in the textile industry in Lancaster, Pa.; and

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, as follows:

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Hammond, Ind.;

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Dubuque, Iowa;

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Baltimore, Md.;

A resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of of the Town of Irvington, N. J.; and

Resolutions adopted by four groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the States of Illinois, Michigan, and Massachusetts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day were presented, as follows:

By Mr. Barbour: A resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the town of Irvington, N. J.

By Mr. Walsh: Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Malden and Waltham and eight groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, all in the State of Massachusetts.

By Mr. Murphy: A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Dubuque, Iowa.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Grand Lodge of the State of New Jersey Order Sons of Italy in America, of Newark, N. J., favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Kiwanis Club, of Boston, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to regulate commerce in firearms; to the Committee on Commerce.

Petitions of Boston Newspapermen's Post, No. 305, American Legion, of Boston, and citizens of Worcester, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A petition of Harwich Unit No. 292, American Legion Auxiliary, of Harwich, Mass., praying the enactment into legislation of the American Legion four-point program;

A resolution adopted by Ensign Eric Lingard Post 1624, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Gloucester, Mass., favoring a suitable tariff on importations of foreign fish;

A resolution adopted by the United Furniture and Allied Trades Workers, of Gardner, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; and

Petitions of Clan Murray, No. 152, Order Scottish Clans, of Springfield, and lodges of the Order of Sons of Italy in America of Stoughton and Roslindale, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, of Indianapolis, Ind., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A petition of members of the Young Women's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church, of Malden, Miss., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of the motion-picture industry; and

A communication from the chairman of the executive committee of the New England Traffic League, of New Bedford, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation liberalizing the long- and short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act by restoring the terms and wording in accordance with the provisions thereof in effect prior to 1920; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3982. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River between Rockport, Ind., and Owensboro, Ky. (Rept. No. 135); and

H. R. 5701. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Indiana to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Wabash River at or near La Fayette, Ind. (Rept. No. 136).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 42) for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 137) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 282. A bill for the relief of William Kemper (Rept. No. 138); and

S. 1126. A bill for the relief of the International Manufacturers Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee (Rept. No. 139).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 416. A bill for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev. (Rept. No. 140);

S. 1298. A bill for the relief of John Z. Lowe (Rept. No. 141); and

S. 1585. A bill for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco (Rept. No. 142).

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 9) authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 143) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1325) for the relief of Dino Carbonell, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 144) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1036. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey (Rept. No. 145); and

S. 1039. A bill authorizing the adjustment of the claim of the West India Oil Co. (Rept. No. 146).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 747) for the relief of Joe G. Baker, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 147) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 170. A bill for the relief of Alva A. Murphy (Rept. No. 148); and

S. 475. A bill for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman (Rept. No. 149).

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 883) directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 64 years, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 150) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 39. A bill for the relief of the estate of William Bardel (Rept. No. 151);

S. 313. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of A. C. Messler Co. (Rept. No. 152); and

H. R. 529. An act granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr. (Rept. No. 153).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 314. A bill for the relief of Vito Valentino (Rept. No. 154); and

S. 239. A bill for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co. (Rept. No. 155).

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported

them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 41. A bill for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 156);

S. 781. A bill for the relief of the estate of George Spearin, deceased (Rept. No. 157); and

S. 1121. A bill for the relief of Isidor Greenspan (Rept. No. 158).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 1952) extending the classified executive civil service of the United States; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 1953) for the relief of Fred Barnett; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 1954) relating to advances to Federal Reserve member banks on time or demand notes, loans on real estate by national banks, shareholders' liability on national-bank stock, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1955) granting a pension to Eva E. Fry; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1956) to provide for entry upon public lands for the purpose of establishing health habitations; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 1957) for the relief of the George R. Jones Co., a corporation, organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 1959) for the relief of Chester H. Nordeen; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1960) for the relief of the Florida National Bank & Trust Co., a national banking corporation, as successor trustee for the estate of Phillip Ullendorff, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 1961) to provide for the construction of four vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work; to the Committee on Commerce.

(By request) A bill (S. 1962) to provide for the purchase of the pneumatic mail-tube systems in New York and Boston; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 1963) for the relief of the heirs of William McGarrahan; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 1964) granting an increase of pension to Mary Watkins (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 64) to amend the joint resolution of June 5, 1933, assuring uniform value to the coins and currencies of the United States; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

USE OF GROUNDS AND EQUIPMENT FOR SHRINE CONVENTION

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 130) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, D. C., 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes, heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, be postponed indefinitely.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Cole of Maryland, Mr. Pettengill, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Mapes, and Mr. Wolverton managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed a joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 49, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 49) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, D. C., 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. McCarran to the reported amendment beginning on page 7, line 13, inserting in lieu of the language contained therein certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) directed the roll to be called,

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Couzens raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) directed the roll to be called,

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. McCarran modified his amendment.

After debate,

On the question of agreeing to Mr. McCarran's amendment, as modified, viz, in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted by the reported amendment on page 7, after line 12 (being sec. 6), as follows:

"SEC. 6. The President is authorized to fix the rates of wages of all persons compensated out of the funds appropriated by this joint resolution and may fix different rates for various types of work, which rates need not be uniform throughout the United States.

"In the event the President, or such official or agency of Government as he may select, shall determine after an investigation that the rate of wages paid is affecting adversely or is likely to decrease the prevailing rates of wages paid for any work of a similar nature in any city, town, village, or other civil division of the State in which the work is located, or in the District of Columbia, the President, or the official or agency designated by him, shall immediately fix the rate of wages at an amount not less than the prevailing rate of wages paid for work of a similar nature in such locality.

"Any and all contracts which may be entered into under the authority contained in this resolution shall contain stipulations which will provide for the accomplishment of the purposes of this section."

Insert the following:

Sec. 6. The President is authorized to prescribe, and shall give full publicity to, rules and regulations necessary to carry out the purpose of this joint resolution: Provided, however, That (a) such rules and regulations shall stipulate that the rates of wages paid to all laborers and mechanics employed by any contractor or subcontractor or by the public officer in charge for the United States or for the District of Columbia, for work done under this joint resolution, whether by contract or otherwise, involving the expenditure of any money appropriated by the resolution, need not be uniform throughout the United States but shall not be less than the prevailing rates of wages paid for work of a similar nature at the time of the approval of this resolution in the city, town, village, or other civil division of the State in which the work is located, or in the District of Columbia: Provided, however, That nothing in this section shall apply to the administration of the Civilian Conservation Corps; (b) rules and regulations prescribed under this section shall not abrogate any existing law.

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 44, Nays 43

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Capper, Carey, Costingan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Hastings, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lewis, Logan, McAdoo, McKellar, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, and Tydings.

So Mr. McCarran's amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 8, inserting lines 8 to 10, inclusive, was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive session,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, FEB. 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

WASHINGTON'S FAREWELL ADDRESS

The Vice President announced that, pursuant to the order of the Senate of January 24, 1901, Washington's Farewell Address would be read by the Senator heretofore designated for that purpose;

Whereupon

The address was read by Mr. Austin, a Senator from the State of Vermont.

MIGRATORY BIRD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

In accordance with the provisions of title 16, chapter 7a, section 715a, United States Code, the Vice President reappointed Mr. Pittman a member of the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION OF WILDLIFE RESOURCES

The Vice President reappointed Mr. Pittman and Mr. Byrd as members of the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources, created by Senate Resolution 246, Seventy-first Congress, and continuing resolution, and Senate Resolution 96, Seventy-third Congress, and appointed Mr. White a member of the said committee, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of service of Hon. Frederic C. Walcott.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania memorializing Congress to enact legislation which will equalize the burden of taxation between river and railroad transportation in order to enable railroads to secure a fair share of the business;

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado memorializing Congress to enact legislation abolishing the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact an adequate protective tariff to protect the products of American farms against foreign competition and to save the home market for the American farmer; and

A petition of disabled veterans of the World War at Veterans' Administration Hospital, Johnson City, Tenn., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the cash payment of adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado memorializing Congress to enact antilynching legislation; and

Resolutions of the City Councils of Bethlehem, Pa., and Two Rivers, Wis., the Common Council of Tonawanda, N. Y., and the Council of the City of Rockford, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to extend to the people of Puerto Rico complete and full local self-government, including the election of their own Governor and other local officers; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to pass uniform laws regulating motor vehicles in interstate service; and

A petition of M. Carl Douns, of Philadelphia, Pa., praying the defeat of legislation inimical to electrical utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A telegram from Hilda Phelps Hammond, for and on behalf of the Womens Committee of Louisiana, and a communication from Francis Williams, chairman Jackson Democratic Club, both of New Orleans, La., relative to charges against Hon. Huey P. Long, Senator from Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; and

A memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against publicity of income-tax returns of individuals; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the Quincy (Mass.) Business and Professional Women's Club remonstrating against the repeal of section 213 (a) of the economy act; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Resolutions adopted by three groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Boston, Hyde Park, and Three Rivers, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Lewis presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois urging the enactment of antilynching legislation; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 694. A bill for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others (Rept. No. 159);

S. 929. A bill for the relief of the Southern Products Co. (Rept. No. 160); and

S. 1878. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co. (Rept. No. 161).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1846) for the relief of the estate of Anton W. Fischer, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 162) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 941. A bill for the relief of William J. Cocke (Rept. No. 187); and

S. 1360. A bill for the relief of Teresa de Prevost (Rept. No. 163).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 760) for the relief of Harry P. Hollidge, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 164) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 155) for the relief of John Henry Tackett, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 165) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 38) for the relief of Winfred Meagher, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 166) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 799. A bill for the relief of Yvonne Hale (Rept. No. 167); and

S. 1110. A bill for the relief of A. Randolph Holladay (Rept. No. 168).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1781) for the relief of George Voeltz, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 169) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 741. A bill for the relief of the Union Shipping & Trading Co., Ltd. (Rept. No. 170);

S. 921. A bill for the relief of C. J. Mast (Rept. No. 171); and

S. 1053. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co. (Rept. No. 172).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1054. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co. (Rept. No. 173);

S. 1057. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. (Rept. No. 174); and

S. 1059. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Francis B. Kennedy (Rept. No. 175).

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 563. A bill for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York (Rept. No. 176);

S. 742. A bill for the relief of Charles A. Lewis (Rept. No. 177);

S. 1474. A bill for the relief of Paul H. Creswell (Rept. No. 178); and

S. 1487. A bill for the relief of Mick C. Cooper (Rept. No. 179).

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1363) for the relief of John A. Jumer, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 180) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 483. A bill for the relief of Stanley A. Jerman, receiver for A. J. Peters Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 181); and

S. 581. A bill for the relief of Harold E. Seavey (Rept. No. 182).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 281. A bill for the relief of Fred G. Clark Co. (Rept. No. 183);

S. 1027. A bill for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood (Rept. No. 184);

S. 1062. A bill for the relief of James R. Young (Rept. No. 185); and

S. 1328. A bill for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co., now Frederick Snare Corporation (Rept. No. 186).

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 188) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Brig. Gen. Louis Scott Davidson, Texas National Guard, to be brigadier general, National Guard of the United States, and certain other nominations for appointment in the National Guard and the Regular Army of the United States, reported them favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nominations of Harry A. MoBride to be postmaster at Pittsburg, Calif., and Louis McCutchen to be postmaster at Campbell, Mo., reported them favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 1965) to authorize the presentation of a Congressional Medal of Honor to Elzie Jones; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 1966) providing for the advancement on the retired list of the Marine Corps of Hiram I. Bearss (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Naval Affairs; and

A bill (S. 1967) granting a pension to Laura A. Spanswick (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 1968) authorizing an appropriation for payment to certain bands of Ute Indians in the State of Utah for certain coal lands, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 1969) granting a pension to Samuel W. Orr; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 1970) to amend section 30, title III (veterans' provisions), of Public Law No. 141, Seventy-third Congress, to extend to Spanish War veterans the same benefits as are extended to World War veterans with regard to income; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 1971) for the relief of Merton E. Bent; to the Committee on Claims; and

A bill (S. 1972) granting a pension to Anna Wandell; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 1973) to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925, to authorize the payment of a per diem in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of aviation charts;

A bill (S. 1974) to authorize the transfer of officers of the Construction Corps of the Navy to the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 1975) to authorize certain officers of the United States Navy, and officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs, as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered;

A bill (S. 1976) to amend "An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and for other purposes", approved April 15, 1926, so as to equalize the allowances for quarters and subsistence of enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps;

A bill (S. 1977) to amend the act approved February 15, 1929, entitled "An act to permit certain warrant officers to count all active service rendered under temporary appointments as warrant or commissioned officers in the Regular Navy, or as warrant or commissioned officers in the United States Naval Reserve Force, for the purpose of promotion to chief warrant rank; and

A bill (S. 1978) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Black:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 65) to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 66) to authorize the President to enter into agreements with foreign governments to readjust the obligations of such governments held by the United States and to secure payments on such readjusted obligations sufficient to pay the adjusted-service certificates now outstanding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Smith:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 67) relating to crop-production loans; to the Committee on Appropriations.

MARGARET ANN CHAMBERLAIN

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 88), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby authorized and directed to pay from the contingent fund of the Senate to Margaret Ann Chamberlain, widow of Charles J. Chamberlain, late superintendent in charge of construction, Senate Office Building, a sum equal to 1 year's compensation at the rate he was receiving at the time of his death, such sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

FROZEN SWORDFISH

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 89), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission be, and hereby is, requested to make an investigation, under the authority conferred by section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, of frozen swordfish.

CONTRABAND-OIL SHIPMENTS

Mr. Logan submitted the following conference report:

The committee on conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the amendment of the House insert the following:

That it is hereby declared to be the policy of Congress to protect interstate and foreign commerce from the diversion and obstruction of, and the burden and harmful effect upon,

such commerce caused by contraband oil as herein defined, and to encourage the conservation of deposits of crude oil situated within the United States.

Sec. 2. As used in this Act—

(1) The term "contraband oil" means petroleum which, or any constituent part of which, was produced, transported, or withdrawn from storage in excess of the amounts permitted to be produced, transported, or withdrawn from storage under the laws of a State or under any regulation or order prescribed thereunder by any board, commission, officer, or other duly authorized agency of such State, or any of the products of such petroleum.

(2) The term "products" or "petroleum products" includes any article produced or derived in whole or in part from petroleum or any product thereof by refining, processing, manufacturing, or otherwise.

(3) The term "interstate commerce" means commerce between any point in a State and any point outside thereof, or between points within the same State but through any place outside thereof, or from any place in the United States to a foreign country, but only insofar as such commerce takes place within the United States.

(4) The term "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation, or joint-stock company.

Sec. 3. The shipment or transportation in interstate commerce from any State of contraband oil produced in such State is hereby prohibited. For the purposes of this section contraband oil shall not be deemed to have been produced in a State if none of the petroleum constituting such contraband oil, or from which it was produced or derived, was produced, transported, or withdrawn from storage in excess of the amounts permitted to be produced, transported, or withdrawn from storage under the laws of such State or under any regulation or order prescribed thereunder by any board, commission, officer, or other duly authorized agency of such State.

Sec. 4. Whenever the President finds that the amount of petroleum and petroleum products moving in interstate commerce is so limited as to be the cause, in whole or in part, of a lack of parity between supply (including imports and reasonable withdrawals from storage) and consumptive demand (including exports and reasonable additions to storage) resulting in an undue burden on or restriction of interstate commerce in petroleum and petroleum products, he shall by proclamation declare such finding, and thereupon the provisions of section 3 shall be inoperative until such time as the President shall find and by proclamation declare that the conditions which gave rise to the suspension of the operation of the provisions of such section no longer exist. If any provision of this section or the application thereof shall be held to be invalid, the validity or application of section 3 shall not be affected thereby.

Sec. 5. (a) The President shall prescribe such regulations as he finds necessary or appropriate for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, including but not limited to regulations requiring reports, maps, affidavits, and other documents relating to the production, storage, refining, processing, transporting, or handling of petroleum and petroleum products, and providing for the keeping of books and records, and for the inspection of such books and records and of properties and facilities.

(b) Whenever the President finds it necessary or appropriate for the enforcement of the provisions of this act he shall require certificates of clearance for petroleum and petroleum products moving or to be moved in interstate commerce from any particular area, and shall establish a board or boards for the issuance of such certificates. A certificate of clearance shall be issued by a board so established in any case where such board determines that the petroleum or petroleum products in question does not constitute contraband oil. Denial of any such certificate shall be by order of the board, and only after reasonable opportunity for hearing. Whenever a certificate of clearance is required for any area in any State, it shall be unlawful to ship or transport petroleum or petroleum products in interstate commerce from such area unless a certificate has been obtained therefor.

(c) Any person whose application for a certificate of clearance is denied may obtain a review of the order denying such application in the United States District Court for the district wherein the board is sitting by filing in such court within thirty days after the entry of such order a written petition praying that the order of the board be modified or set aside, in whole or in part. A copy of such petition shall be forthwith served upon the board, and thereupon the board shall certify and file in the court a transcript of the record upon which the order complained of was entered. Upon the filing of such transcript, such court shall have jurisdiction to affirm, modify, or set aside such order, in whole or in part. No objection to the order of the board shall be considered by the court unless such objection shall have been urged before the board. The finding of the board as to the facts, if supported by evidence, shall be conclusive. The judgment and decree of the court shall be final, subject to review as provided in sections 128 and 240 of the Judicial Code, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, secs. 225 and 347).

Sec. 6. Any person knowingly violating any provisions of this act or any regulation prescribed thereunder shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not to exceed $2,000 or by imprisonment for not to exceed six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 7. (a) Contraband oil shipped or transported in interstate commerce in violation of the provisions of this act shall be liable to be proceeded against in any District Court of the United States within the jurisdiction of which the same may be found, and seized for forfeiture to the United States by a process of libel for condemnation; but in any such case the court may in its discretion, and under such terms and conditions as it shall prescribe, order the return of such contraband oil to the owner thereof where undue hardship would result from such forfeiture. The proceedings in such cases shall conform as nearly as may be to proceedings in rem in admiralty, except that either party may demand a trial by jury of any issue of fact joined in any such case, and all such proceedings shall be at the suit of and in the name of the United States. Contraband oil forfeited to the United States as provided in this section shall be used or disposed of pursuant to such rules and regulations as the President shall prescribe.

(b) No such forfeiture shall be made in the case of contraband oil owned by any person (other than a person shipping such contraband oil in violation of the provisions of this act) who has with respect to such contraband oil a certificate of clearance which on its face appears to be valid and to have been issued by a board created under authority of section 5, certifying that the shipment in question is not contraband oil, and such person had no reasonable ground for believing such certificate to be invalid or to have issued as a result of fraud or misrepresentation of fact.

Sec. 8. No common carrier who shall refuse to accept petroleum or petroleum products from any area in which certificates of clearance are required under authority of this act, by reason of the failure of the shipper to deliver such a certificate to such carrier, or who shall refuse to accept any petroleum or petroleum products when having reasonable ground for believing that such petroleum or petroleum products constitute contraband oil, shall be liable on account of such refusal for any penalties or damages. No common carrier shall be subject to any penalty under section 6 in any case where (1) such carrier has a certificate of clearance which on its face appears to be valid and to have been issued by a board created under authority of section 5, certifying that the shipment in question is not contraband oil, and such carrier had no reasonable ground for believing such certificate to be invalid or to have been issued as a result of fraud or misrepresentation of fact, or (2) such carrier, as respects any shipment originating in any area where certificates of clearance are not required under authority of this act, had no reasonable ground for believing such petroleum or petroleum products to constitute contraband oil.

Sec. 9. (a) Any board established under authority of section 5, and any agency designated under authority of section 11, may hold and conduct such hearings, investigations, and

proceedings as may be necessary for the purposes of this act, and for such purposes those provisions of section 21 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 relating to the administering of oaths and affirmations, and to the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence (including penalties), shall apply.

(b) The members of any board established under authority of section 5 shall be appointed by the President, without regard to the civil-service laws but subject to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended; and any such board may appoint, without regard to the civil-service laws but subject to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, such employees as may be necessary for the execution of its functions under this act.

Sec. 10. (a) Upon application of the President, by the Attorney General, the United States district courts shall have jurisdiction to issue mandatory injunctions commanding any person to comply with the provisions of this act or any regulation issued thereunder.

(b) Whenever it shall appear to the President that any person is engaged or about to engage in any acts or practices that constitute or will constitute a violation of any provision of this act or of any regulation thereunder, he may in his discretion, by the Attorney General, bring an action in the proper United States District Court to enjoin such acts or practices, and upon a proper showing a permanent or temporary injunction or restraining order shall be granted without bond.

(c) The United States District Courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction of violations of this act or the regulations thereunder, and of all suits in equity and actions at law brought to enforce any liability or duty created by, or to enjoin any violation of, this act or the regulations thereunder. Any criminal proceeding may be brought in the district wherein any act or transaction constituting the violation occurred. Any suit or action to enforce any liability or duty created by this act or regulations thereunder, or to enjoin any violation of this act or any regulations thereunder, may be brought in any such district or in the district wherein the defendant is found or is an inhabitant or transacts business, and process in such cases may be served in any other district of which the defendant is an inhabitant or wherever the defendant may be found. Judgments and decrees so rendered shall be subject to review as provided in sections 128 and 240 of the Judicial Code, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, secs. 225 and 347).

Sec. 11. Wherever reference is made in this act to the President such reference shall be held to include, in addition to the President, any agency, officer, or employee who may be designated by the President for the execution of any of the powers and functions vested in the President under this act.

Sec. 12. If any provision of this act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall be held invalid, the validity of the remainder of the act and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Sec. 13. This act shall cease to be in effect on June 16, 1937.

And the House agree to the same.

M. M. LOGAN,
TOM CONNALLY,
JAMES J. DAVIS,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

WILLIAM P. COLE, JR.,
SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL,
EDWARD A. KELLY,
CARL E. MAPES,
CHARLES A. WOLVERTON,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes; and,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

SOURCES OF PUBLIC EMERGENCY RELIEF FUNDS

Mr. Couzens presented a statement issued by the Federal Emergency Relief Administration showing the sources of public emergency relief funds by quarters, 1933 and 1934; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL AFTER ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Presiding Officer of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized to sign, after the adjournment of the Senate today, the enrolled bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 4983, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 4983) to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forrest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 2 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m., The Senate adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, February 22, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States has informed the House that on February 20, 1935, he approved and signed the following acts:

H. R. 3018. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Alexandria Bay, N. Y.; and

H. R. 3247. An act to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL S. 1190

The Vice President announced that, under authority of the order of the Senate, he signed, after the adjournment on Friday last, the enrolled bill (S. 1190) to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes, said bill having previously been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they presented the following bill and joint resolution to the President of the United States:

On February 21, 1935:

S. J. Res. 49. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, D. C., 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes;

On February 22, 1935:

S. 1190. An act to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On February 21, 1935:

S. 932. An act to postpone the effective date of certain restrictions respecting air-mail contracts; and

S. 1144. An act to further extend the time for constructing a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.

On February 22, 1935:

S. 1190. An act to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

The Vice President reappointed Mr. McKellar a member of the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, created by the act approved May 23, 1928, and appointed Mr. White a member of the Commission to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of service of Hon. Simeon D. Fess.

NASHVILLE (TENN.) PRESIDENTS' PLAZA COMMISSION

The Vice President reappointed Mr. McKellar and Mr. Bachman as members of the Nashville (Tenn.) Presidents' Plaza Commission, created by section 2 of an act approved December 12, 1928, and appointed Mr. Hastings a member of the Commission to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of service of Hon. Simeon D. Fess.

REPORT OF FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the operations of the Administration for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 5913, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ORDER FOR CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at the conclusion of routine morning business the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

SENATOR FROM NEW MEXICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Dennis Chavez, of Albuquerque, N. Mex., contesting the right of Hon. Bronson M. Cutting to a seat in the Senate from the State of New Mexico for the term beginning January 3, 1935; which was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon petitioning Congress to refrain from reducing in any part the present tariff rates on cherries, natural, sulphured, or in brine;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Kentucky petitioning the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A petition of the League of Negro Rights, of Buffalo, N. Y., praying the passage of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance; and

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Iowa City (Iowa) Townsend Club, and a petition of Buckeye Garrison, No. 270, Army and Navy Union, of Cleveland, Ohio, praying the passage of legislation providing for old-age pensions under the so-called "Townsend plan"; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas urging an appropriation of $10,000,000 for public-health work; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide for public power development and rural electrification in the upper Mississippi Valley; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Wyoming memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation to make the manufacture and sale of war munitions a monopoly of

the Government of the United States; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana favoring an investigation of monopolistic practices in the natural-gas industry and the effective regulation of said industry;

Memorials of Mrs. Frida E. Lundberg, of New York City, and Harry Holdsworth and Mrs. Grace Blattner, of Philadelphia, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility corporations; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress to take appropriate action to force the immediate resumption of work on the Polson Dam site in the State of Montana; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring more strict enforcement of existing Federal statutes to punish the crime of lynching and the passage of additional legislation effectively prohibiting and punishing such crime;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia remonstrating against the passage of the so-called "Wagner-Costigan antilynching bill" as a violation of State rights and a restriction upon the people of the South and their local officials;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to amend the Constitution of the United States to provide for a referendum of the people before war can be declared; and

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, as follows:

A resolution of the mayor and council of the Borough of Fort Lee, N. J.;

Resolutions adopted by Group No. 672, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Chicago, Ill., and Group No. 545, of Simpson, Pa.;

A resolution of the Common Council of Lakewood, Ohio;

A resolution of the Common Council of Peabody, Mass.; and

A resolution of the Common Council of Plainfield, N. J.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation authorizing the construction of pneumatic tubes for the transmission of mail between the general post office in Brooklyn, N. Y., and outlying stations;

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a special commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; and

A resolution adopted at Brooklyn, N. Y., by a conference of Congregational Young People remonstrating against a censorship of the mails or the creation of any agency in the Federal Government to deal with any activities because of their political or economic character; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring the passage of legislation providing a social-security plan of permanent employment insurance, old-age pensions, and benefits to needy and dependent mothers and children;

A resolution adopted by John McMillin Post Auxiliary, No. 986, American Legion, of Alton, N. Y., favoring the passage of House bill 3896, providing for the immediate payment of World War adjusted-service certificates, and for other purposes;

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Westchester County, of White Plains, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation repealing the law providing for the publication of income-tax returns;

A resolution adopted by the Rosedale Taxpayers Association, of Rosedale, Long Island, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment insurance;

A resolution adopted by the Northeastern Retail Lumbermen's Association, of Rochester, N. Y., at a convention held in New York City, favoring the continuation of the National Industrial Recovery Act for a term of not more than 1 year; and

A resolution adopted by the Staten Island (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against an extension of the Federal tax on gasoline; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Republican Club of the Twenty-Second Assembly District, of New York City, and a petition of citizens of Brooklyn, N. Y., praying the passage of antilynching legislation;

A resolution adopted at New York City by the New York City Committee of the National Woman's Party favoring an amendment to the Constitution giving equal rights to men and women;

A resolution adopted by the Queens County District Council of the Steuben Society of America, of Richmond Hill, N. Y., favoring the adoption of a constitutional amendment providing for a referendum on the declaration of war; and

Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Plattsburg, Lockport, and Tonawanda, and of various groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, all in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the Assembly of the State of New York favoring complete and full local self-government of Puerto Rico, including the election of their own Governor and other local officers; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Rensselaer (N. Y.) Junior Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions adopted by the New York State Congress of Parents and Teachers, and the Ridgewood School Parent-Teachers Association and the Rochester Parent-Teacher Council, both of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the establishment in the Office of Education of a national film institute for educational purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Resolutions adopted by Knickerbocker Council No. 191, of New York City, and Rockville Center Council No. 80, of Rockville Center, N. Y., of the Union Order United American Mechanics, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the registration of aliens and taxation on such money as may be sent to foreign countries by aliens in this country; and

A resolution adopted by the Friends of the New Germany, of Yonkers, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to declare citizenship forfeited in the case of any naturalized citizen who left the United States for the purpose of voting in the plebiscite in the Saar region, Germany, and who did vote; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by Local Union No. 86, International Brotherhood Electrical Workers, of Rochester, N. Y., remonstrating against contractors taking profit on the labor of welfare recipients from Federal appropriations; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by the Staten Island (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A resolution adopted by the Salamanca Division, No. 87, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Salamanca, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to enable railroads to compete on an equal basis with unregulated and publicly subsidized transportation carriers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the control of the flow of water at Niagara Falls to retard erosion and the equalization of the flow over the Horseshoe and American Falls so as to preserve their present beauty; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Westchester County Committee of the American Legion favoring universal conscription and taking the profit out of war; and

A resolution of the Kiwanis Club, of Beacon, N. Y., favoring an adequate Army and Navy and the training of component units; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact an adequate tariff to protect the products of American farms against foreign competition and to save the home market for the American farmer; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to pass uniform laws regulating motor vehicles in interstate service; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to pass a constitutional amendment to provide for a referendum of the people before war can be declared; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to make the manufacture and sale of munitions of war a monopoly of the Federal Government to take the profit out of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. La Follette presented a resolution adopted by Fond du Lac Division, No. 15, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, favoring the enactment of legislation to modify the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. George presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia remonstrating against the passage of the so-called "Wagner-Costigan antilynching bill" as a violation of State rights and a reflection upon the people of the South and their local officials; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Murray presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress to enact legislation to force the immediate resumption of work on the Polson Dam site in the State of Montana; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana requesting an investigation of flood control of the Yellowstone River; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, Mont., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the reimbursement of the county by the Federal Government for expense incurred for the arrest and trial of Indian wards and for their maintenance while imprisoned; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A resolution adopted by members of Butte Miners' Union, No. 1, International Union of Mine, Mill, and Smelter Workers, of Butte, Mont., favoring an investigation of underground mining conditions in the metal mines of the country, to eliminate and alleviate the evils at present existing in the industry; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Pope presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial favoring an ascertainment of a fair and equitable contract between the beet-sugar grower and processor, and in making sugar sales allotments to the off-shore and domestic processors, preference be given to the domestic industry; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint memorial remonstrating against any change in the existing tariff regulations affecting importations of cherries into the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial favoring adequate marking of the western boundary line of Yellowstone National Park in Idaho; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Costigan presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Colorado, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint memorial urging speedy legislation to continue the work of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of legislation to abolish the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Metcalf presented a resolution of the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island urging the repeal of the cotton processing tax or the spreading of it over the industry in general; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Van Nuys presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana favoring an investigation into monopolistic practices in the natural-gas industry and for the effective regulation of the industry; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Minton presented an identical concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Minton presented a resolution adopted by the executive council of Lodge No. 1065 of the Order of Sons of Italy in America, of Indiana Harbor, Ind., favoring old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Groups No. 1305 and No. 879, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Baltimore, Md., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Holy Name Society of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church, and a memorial of the Holy Name Society of St. Cecilia's Parish, both of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Johnson, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 94) providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; authorizing an appropriation therefor; and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 189) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble thereto be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

Mr. Coolidge, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1391) for the relief of William Lyons, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 190) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1809. A bill for the relief of Germaine M. Finley (Rept. No. 191);

S. 1896. A bill to provide for interest payments on American Embassy drafts (Rept. No. 192); and

H. R. 330. An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota (Rept. No. 193).

Mr. Johnson, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3373) for the relief of Anna S. Carrigan, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 194) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 51) for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 195) thereon.

Mr. Capper, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 557. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claim approved by the War Department (Rept. No. 196); and

S. 558. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department (Rept. No. 197).

Mr. Capper, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 559) to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 198) thereon.

Mr. Capper, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1621) for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 199) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 457) for the relief of John W. Beck, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 200) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1012) for the relief of Ed Symes and wife, Elizabeth Symes, and certain other citizens of the State of Texas, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 201) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 905. A bill for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist (Rept. No. 202); and

S. 1694. A bill for the relief of C. B. Dickinson (Rept. No. 203).

Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 285) to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 204) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1008) for the relief of the Fairmont Creamery, of Omaha, Nebr., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 205) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 788. A bill for the relief of the International Mercantile Marine Co. (Rept. No. 206);

S. 790. A bill for the relief of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique (Rept. No. 207); and

S. 1136. A bill to carry into effect the findings of the Court of Claims in the claim of Elizabeth B. Eddy (Rept. No. 208).

Mr. Borah, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 574) relative to Members of Congress acting as attorneys in matters where the United States has an interest, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 652. A bill for the relief of Harold S. Shepardson (Rept. No. 209); and

S. 978. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to convey to the University of Oregon certain lands forming a part of the Coos Head River and Harbor Reservation (Rept. No. 210).

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 236. A bill for the relief of the heirs of Burton Stearns Adams, deceased (Rept. No. 211);

S. 279. A bill to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations (Rept. No. 212);

S. 535. A bill for the relief of William Cornwell and others (Rept. No. 213); and

S. 743. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the claim of the Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co. (Rept. No. 214).

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 428. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc. (Rept. No. 215);

S. 537. A bill for the relief of C. O. Meyer (Rept. No. 216);

S. 998. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of George Lawley & Son Corporation, of Boston, Mass. (Rept. No. 217); and

S. 1472. A bill for the relief of the First Camden National Bank & Trust Co., of Camden, N. J. (Rept. No. 218).

Mr. Gibson, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 937) for the relief of the J. M. Dooley Fireproof Warehouse Corporation, of Brooklyn, N. Y., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 219) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 447) conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States, reported it without amendment.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Ashurst, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the following joint resolutions and that they be referred to the Committee on Rules:

S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission"; and

H. J. Res. 148. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formulation of the Constitution of the United States.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 1979) for the relief of the Otto Misch Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 1980) for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1981) granting a pension to John Payne; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 1982) to correct the naval record of Harold N. Dally; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 1983) for the relief of certain counties in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 1984) to establish an Army air depot in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 1985) granting a pension to Emmy C. I. Clevenger (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 1986) to authorize the acquisition of a certain building, furniture, and equipment in the Crater Lake National Park; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

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By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 1987) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.; and

A bill (S. 1988) to revive and reenact section 5 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States", approved March 4, 1933; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 1989) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 1990) to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California-Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 1991) for the relief of Wilson C. Bingham; and

A bill (S. 1992) to authorize the President of the United States to detail an officer of the Army and an officer of the Navy for duty with the California-Pacific International Exposition; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 1993) for the relief of the Bank of Wildwood, Wildwood, Fla. (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 1994) to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 1995) for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1889; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 1996) to provide for the erection of a monument in honor of the soldiers buried in the churchyard of Washington Church, Knox County, Tenn.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 1997) for the relief of Heinrich Schmidt, G. m. b. H., of Elensburg, Germany; and

A bill (S. 1998) for the relief of Western Knitting Mills, Wallace G. Kay, and Kay & Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 1999) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

A bill (S. 2000) to provide for a technical staff in the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation in the Department of Commerce, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 2001) to amend section 4426 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended by the act of Congress approved May 16, 1906;

A bill (S. 2002) to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 2003) to amend section 13 of the act of March 4, 1915, an act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea;

A bill (S. 2004) to amend section 2 of the act of March 4, 1915, an act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea;

A bill (S. 2005) to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States;

A bill (S. 2006) to maintain discipline on shipboard;

A bill (S. 2007) to provide for the investigation and trial of officers of vessels in case of disaster, and to increase efficiency in the administration of certain laws relating to the inspection of vessels;

A bill (S. 2008) to provide seamen on American vessels with a continuous discharge book;

A bill (S. 2009) to provide for a change in the designation of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection to the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation;

A bill (S. 2010) to improve the living accommodations on vessels under 100 tons; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2011) fixing the liability of owners of vessels; to the Committee on Commerce.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2012) to regulate the election of delegates representing the District of Columbia to national political conventions; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2013) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Pak Chue Chan; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2014) for the relief of Alexander Gilchrist, Jr.; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2015) to extend the time for naturalization of alien veterans of the World War; and

A bill (S. 2016) to amend the naturalization laws with respect to records of registry and residence abroad, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 2017) to regulate the speed of motor busses and motor trucks engaged in interstate commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 2018) for the relief of Franklin Scott Irby; and

A bill (S. 2019) granting a medal of honor to Frank J. Barcsykowski; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 2020) to refund the compensatory processing tax on jute bags; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2021) to recognize the service of Brig. Gen. Edward R. Chrisman; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 2022) to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2023) for the relief of Augusta Burkett; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2024) to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller; and

A bill (S. 2025) authorizing the President to order Harry B. Berry before a retiring board for a hearing of his case, and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his separation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2026) directing the conveyance of certain lands to Dade County, Fla.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2027) to regulate commerce in petroleum, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, pursuant to its order of today, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills were thereupon considered, and no amendment was made:

S. 674. A bill authorizing the President to order Maj. E. P. Duval before a retiring board for a hearing of his case, and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his resignation;

S. 246. A bill for the relief of Elmer Blair;

S. 409. A bill to amend certain sections of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution;

S. 312. A bill for the relief of Lillian G. Frost;

S. 1425. A bill to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898;

S. 1094. A bill for the relief of Claude C. Martin;

S. 1427. A bill for the relief of Lyman I. Collins;

S. 1390. A bill for the relief of Harry L. Reaves;

S. 879. A bill for the relief of Denis Healy;

S. 878. A bill for the relief of Ray Funcannon;

S. 1712. A bill to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries;

S. 927. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to give wartime rank to retired officers and former offcers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act;

S. 1803. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games;

S. 1605. A bill authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force;

S. 894. A bill for the relief of Robert H. Wilder;

S. 1016. A bill to empower the health officer of the District of Columbia to authorize the opening of graves, and the disinterment and reinterment of dead bodies, in cases where death has been caused by certain contagious diseases;

S. 84. A bill to amend section 61 of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, relating to depositories for money of bankrupt estates;

S. 876. A bill for the relief of Edgar Joseph Casey;

S. 271. A bill for the relief of James Foy;

S. 416. A bill for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.;

S. 1585. A bill for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco;

S. 1298. A bill for the relief of John Z. Lowe;

S. 1039. A bill authorizing the adjustment of the claim of the West Indian Oil Co.;

S. 1036. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;

S. 747. A bill for the relief of Joe G. Baker;

S. 39. A bill for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

S. 41. A bill for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

S. 781. A bill for the relief of the estate of George B. Spearin, deceased;

S. 1121. A bill for the relief of Isidor Greenspan;

S. 694. A bill for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others;

S. 929. A bill for the relief of the Southern Products Co.;

S. 38. A bill for the relief of Winifred Meagher;

S. 921. A bill for the relief of C. J. Mast;

S. 1053. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.;

S. 742. A bill for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

S. 1487. A bill for the relief of Mick C. Cooper;

S. 563. A bill for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York;

S. 1474. A bill for the relief of Paul H. Creswell;

S. 483. A bill for the relief of Stanley A. Jerman, receiver for A. J. Peters Co., Inc.; and

S. 581. A bill for the relief of Harold E. Seavey.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1347) for the relief of Robert J. Smith; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Robert J. Smith, alias William McClocklin."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3982. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River between Rockport, Ind., and Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 5701. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Indiana to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Wabash River at or near La Fayette, Ind.; and

H. R. 529. An act granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1374. A bill authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska;

S. 410. A bill to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. 1616. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto;

S. 42. A bill for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon;

S. 282. A bill for the relief of William Kemper;

S. 1126. A bill for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee;

S. 1325. A bill for the relief of Dino Carbonell;

S. 475. A bill for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman;

S. 314. A bill for the relief of Vito Valentino;

S. 239. A bill for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.;

S. 155. A bill for the relief of John Henry Tackett;

S. 1846. A bill for the relief of the estate of Anton W. Fischer;

S. 760. A bill for the relief of Harry P. Hollidge;

S. 799. A bill for the relief of Yvonne Hale;

S. 1781. A bill for the relief of George Voeltz;

S. 1059. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Francis B. Kennedy;

S. 1057. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.;

S. 1054. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.;

S. 1363. A bill for the relief of John A. Jumer;

S. 1027. A bill for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood;

S. 1328. A bill for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co.; now Frederick Snare Corporation;

S. 281. A bill for the relief of the Fred G. Clark Co.;

S. 1062. A bill for the relief of James R. Young;

S. 1110. A bill for the relief of A. Randolph Holladay; and

S. J. Res. 43. Joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 140) to provide for the completion of the publication of the writings of George Washington; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 9) authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE, AND LABOR DEPARTMENTS

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 5, line 19,

Mr. Hale raised a question as to the presence of a quorum; Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment beginning on page 83, line 20, was amended on the motion of Mr. Fletcher, and, as amended, agreed to; the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and

After the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned.

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The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 31) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff.

The House has passed the bill (S. 402) to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 83. An act to provide for the conservation and settlement of estates of absentees and absconders in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 3464. An act to amend certain sections of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution;

H. R. 3477. An act relating to the incorporation of Trinity College, of Washington, D. C., organized under and by virtue of a certificate of incorporation pursuant to the incorporation laws of the District of Columbia, as provided in subchapter 1 of chapter 18 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 4538. An act to change the designation of Leffler Place to Second Place; and

H. R. 5711. An act to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

POST-OFFICE BUILDING AT JONESBORO, ARK.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize the acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark.; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

ORDER FOR CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at the conclusion of the morning business the Senate proceed to the consideration of bills on the calendar under rule VIII.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado memorializing Congress to enact as speedily as possible proper legislation to enable the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to carry on its work until the next regular session of Congress; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to establish a national park to be known as "Lewis and Clark National Park" along the Missouri River in Nebraska at historic points touched by Lewis and Clark in 1803 while making their trip across the continent; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring the immediate enactment of legislation providing for the payment of the balance due on adjusted-compensation certificates, with the remittance of interest and other charges against the principal sum of such certificates; and

A resolution adopted by the board of supervisors of the county of Alameda, Calif., urging the removal of obstacles to wine distribution, to encourage the growth of the grape and wine industry; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota memorializing Congress to eliminate the long- and short-haul clause from the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act or to modify the same so that railroads may be permitted to meet competition in the transportation of goods through the Panama Canal; and

A telegram from Magnus Lundberg, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota urging the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring an appropriation for the eradication of Bang's disease among cattle in the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the setting aside for highway construction of that part of a proposed appropriation of $4,000,000,000 intended for public-works improvement;

A resolution adopted by the Crawford County Farm Bureau, of Denison, Iowa, urging an appropriation of $60,000,000 for seed-loan purposes; and

A telegram from Josephine Tumulty, of Jersey City, N. J., favoring the defeat of the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of the prevailing wage on public works under appropriations for relief purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation to insure the selection of unbiased Federal jurors;

A resolution adopted by Alfred Gooding Guild, Young Peoples' Religious Union of the South Church, of Portsmouth, N. H., urging the enactment of antilynching legislation; and

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, as follows:

A resolution of the Council of the city of San Diego, Calif.

A resolution of the board of representatives of the city of Tampa, Fla.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Salt Lake City, Utah;

Resolutions adopted by Common Councils of Stamford, Conn.; Springfield, Ill.; Dearborn, Mich.; Clarksdale, Miss.; Okmulgee, Okla.; and Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; city councils of Worcester, Mass.; St. Petersburg, Fla.; and Quincy, Ill.; and eight groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the States of Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, and New York; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Vandenberg presented a petition of citizens of Tuscola County, Mich., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Wichita, Kans., favoring the passage of legislation to modify section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of citizens of Lawrence, Kans., praying the passage of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Maloney presented resolutions adopted by four groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the State of Connecticut, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 25. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Commerce to employ temporarily an assistant clerk;

S. Res. 81. Resolution authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress;

S. Res. 87. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

S. Res. 85. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Nellie Snyder.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 35) authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate certain phases of the National Industrial Recovery Act, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Byrnes, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 79) for an investigation of certain charges concerning the administration of industrial codes by the National Recovery Administration, reported it with additional amendments.

Mr. White, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1056. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co. (Rept. No. 220); and

S. 1392. A bill conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, southern division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad (Rept. No. 221).

Mr. White, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 713) granting jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear the case of David A. Wright, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 222) thereon.

Mr. Burke, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 209. A bill for the relief of Carmine Sforza (Rept. No. 223);

S. 1037. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister (Rept. No. 224); and

S. 1038. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer (Rept. No. 225).

Mr. Van Nuys, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following joint resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. J. Res. 21. Joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski;

S. J. Res. 22. Joint resolution directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and

S. J. Res. 32. Joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

Mr. Walsh, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 147. A bill to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service (Rept. No. 226);

S. 857. A bill to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 227);

S. 872. A bill for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims (Rept. No. 228); and

S. 1180. A bill to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (Rept. No. 229).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 2028) for the relief of Frederick H. Pollman; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 2029) to authorize naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 2030) for the relief of William Dean McCoy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 2031) for the relief of Luther Maurice Walton; and

A bill (S. 2032) for the relief of Henry A. Hart; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2033) granting a pension to Henrietta V. W. Owen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2034) to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2036) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at Buhl, Idaho; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2037) granting a pension to Rose Kennedy; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 2038) granting an increase of pension to Edgar C. N. Waldrop; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2039) making it a felony to transport in interstate or foreign commerce persons to be employed to obstruct or interfere with the right of peaceful picketing during labor controversies; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Gerry:

A bill (S. 2040) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, and acts in amendment thereof; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2041) for the relief of Charles E. Wilson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2042) for the relief of Grace Park; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2043) to amend the Merchant Marine Act of June 5, 1920, Public, No. 261; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2044) for the refund of income and profits taxes erroneously collected; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2045) for the relief of Stephen Sowinski; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2046) granting a pension to Stephen Sowinski; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2047) to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the State of Oklahoma, and for other purpose; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2048) for the relief of Lt. William J. Wholean; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 2049) for the relief of George H. Hauge; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2050) granting a pension to Charlotte C. Oliver; and

A bill (S. 2051) granting a pension to Marcella Kostermann; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Frazier and Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2052) to provide for the payment of taxes on certain lands acquired under authority of acts of Congress; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2053) authorizing the appointment and retirement of Francis Joseph Thomas as an ensign in the United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2054) to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to Harry L. Kast (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2055) granting a pension to Mary E. Troutman;

A bill (S. 2056) granting a pension to Ellen Mullis Baker;

A bill (S. 2057) granting a pension to Willard Hyser;

A bill (S. 2058) granting an increase of pension to Lucy S. Kemp;

A bill (S. 2059) granting a pension to Blanche Walker;

A bill (S. 2060) granting a pension to George E. Hilgert;

A bill (S. 2061) granting a pension to Amanda Bastian;

A bill (S. 2062) granting a pension to Paulean Auberry (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2063) granting a pension to Edward Morgan;

A bill (S. 2064) granting a pension to Lizzie Sarver;

A bill (S. 2065) granting a pension to Joanna B. Townsend;

A bil (S. 2066) granting a pension to America V. Noel (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2067) granting a pension to Dora J. Mayberry (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2068) granting a pension to Edward M. Stultz (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2069) granting a pension to Gordon C. Patton (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2070) granting a pension to Daniel L. Myers (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2071) granting a pension to Mary E. Stout (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNary:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 68) extending the thanks of the Government and people of the United States to the Republic of Finland; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Cattle, to include as basic agricultural commodity; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

George R. Jones Co.; Phillip Ullendorff; and Western Knitting Mills, et al.; to the Committee on Claims.

Alexander Gilchrist, Jr.; to the Committee on Finance.

New York State and Seneca Nation of Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Harry B. Berry; and Wilson G. Bingham; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Samuel Wilson Orr; and Laura A. Spanswick; to the Committee on Pensions.

Crater Lake National Park; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

UNLAWFUL ENTRY ON PRIVATE PROPERTY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 402) to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

DR. CHESTER C. GROFF

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (H. R. 4996) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff, heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, be postponed indefinitely.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 83, H. R. 3477, H. R. 4538, and H. R. 5711, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate, under its order of today, proceeded to consider bills on the calendar under rule VIII.

The following bills were thereupon considered; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 244. A bill for the relief of Thomas Salleng;

S. 941. A bill for the relief of William J. Cocke;

S. 1391. A bill for the relief of William Lyons;

S. 905. A bill for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

S. 559. A bill to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 1621. A bill for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed;

S. 1136. A bill to carry into effect the finding of the Court of Claims in the claim of Elizabeth B. Eddy;

S. 788. A bill for the relief of the International Mercantile Marine Co.;

S. 790. A bill for the relief of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique; and

S. 285. A bill to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3373. An act for the relief of Anna S. Carrigan; and

H. R. 330. An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 1082. A bill for the reinstatement of John Carmichael Williams in the United States Navy;

S. 481. A bill authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships;

S. 313. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of A. C. Messler Co.;

S. 457. A bill for the relief of John W. Beck;

S. 51. A bill for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel;

S. 1809. A bill for the relief of Germaine M. Finley;

S. 1896. A bill to provide for interstate payments on American Embassy drafts;

S. 1012. A bill for the relief of Ed Symes and wife, Elizabeth Symes, and certain other citizens of the State of Texas;

S. 557. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 558. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department;

S. 652. A bill for the relief of Harold S. Shepardson;

S. 1008. A bill for the relief of the Fairmont Creamery, of Omaha, Nebr.;

S. 978. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to convey to the University of Oregon certain lands forming a part of the Coos Head River and Harbor Reservation; and

S. 447. A bill conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 1 o'clock and 6 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Thursday next.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, February 26, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 94) providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936, authorizing an appropriation therefor; and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 140) to provide for the completion of the publication of the Writings of George Washington.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for

other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed seven enrolled bills, viz, S. 31, S. 402, H. R. 330, H. R. 529, H. R. 3373, H. R. 3982, and H. R. 5701, and two enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 94 and H. J. Res. 140, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 31. An act to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff;

S. 402. An act to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia;

H. R. 330. An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota;

H. R. 529. An act granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr.;

H. R. 3373. An act for the relief of Anna S. Carrigan;

H. R. 3982. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River between Rockport, Ind., and Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 5701. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Indiana to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Wabash River at or near La Fayette, Ind.;

H. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936, authorizing an appropriation therefor, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 140. Joint resolution to provide for the completion of the publication of the Writings of George Washington.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 5221, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST WILLIAM P. M'CRACKEN

The Sergeant at Arms appeared and made the following report concerning William P. MacCracken, Jr.:

To the President of the Senate: The case of *Chesley W. Jurney, petitioner,* v. *William P. MacCracken, Jr.,* having been decided in favor of petitioner by the Supreme Court of the United States, the said William P. MacCracken, Jr., pursuant to a stipulation entered into on February 15, 1934, by and between the said William P. MacCracken, Jr., and myself, as Sergeant at Arms of the Senate, submitted himself to me on February 26, 1935, for commitment to the District of Columbia jail for the period of 10 days prescribed in Senate Resolution 185, agreed to on February 14, 1934. I thereupon, at 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, committed him to the duly constituted authorities of said jail, and their receipt is hereto attached.

CHESLEY W. JURNEY,
Sergeant at Arms of the Senate.

TOLL ROAD TO SUMMIT OF SAN FRANCISCO PEAKS, ARIZ.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting a report relative to the request contained in Senate Resolution 234 (73d Cong., 2d sess.) that the Secretary enter into negotiations with the San Francisco Mountain Scenic Boulevard Co., of Arizona, for the purchase of the toll road to the summit of the San Francisco Peaks, in the Coconino National Forest, Ariz.; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed.

USELESS PAPERS IN CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chief examiner, United States Civil Service Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a schedule of papers in the files of the Commission which are not needed in the transaction of the current business and which have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Bulow and Mr. White as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring the enactment of legislation providing adequate military defense of the area at and adjacent to the entrance of the Columbia River; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation permitting limited quantities of feed grains to be shipped into the United States duty free for the feeding of livestock in drought-stricken regions of the States;

A resolution adopted by the Property Owners Association, Inc., of Milwaukee, Wis., favoring an equity capital tax;

A resolution adopted by the same organization favoring the discarding of present land and property tax system;

A petition of Mrs. Waverly Lee, of Dillwyn, Va., praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; and

Resolutions adopted by Junker-Ball Post, No. 1865, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and Walter J. Hatzfeld Post, No. 356, American Legion, of St. Louis, Mo., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the construction as a Federal works relief project of a bridge across the Little Missouri River within the limits of the Fort Berthold Reservation; to the Committee on Commerce.

Memorials of Mrs. F. E. Lundberg, of New York City, and N. Shortridge, of New Haven, Conn., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the passage of antilynching legislation;

A resolution adopted by the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, of Washington, D. C., and petitions of citizens of Flint, Mich., praying the enactment of legislation prescribing penalties to those advocating the overthrow by force or violence of the Government; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of Local Union No. 1856, of the Carpenters and Joiners Union, of Philadelphia, Pa., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of prevailing wages on public works erected under appropriations for relief purposes; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of the bill providing appropriations for relief purposes in the form desired by the President of the United States; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, of Washington, D. C., favoring the establishment in the National Capital of a Museum of American History; to the Committee on the Library.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions praying the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day;

Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Calumet City, Ill., South Bend, Ind., Helena, Ark., Detroit, Mich., Portsmouth, N. H., Klamath Falls, Oreg., East Chicago, Ind., Youngstown, Ohio, Frankfort, Ind., New Britain, Conn., and New Kensington, Pa.;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas;

Resolutions adopted by the Town Council of Bristol, R. I., the Council of the City of Toledo, Ohio, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Newark, N. J., the Board of Directors of the City of Fairmont, W. Va., the mayor and aldermen of the city of Savannah, Ga.; and

A telegram from Ignatius K. Werwenski, of Chicago, Ill.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Webster Chamber of Commerce, of Webster, N. Y., favoring the "commodity dollar" plan of regulating the gold value of United States currency as advocated by Dr. George F. Warren, of Cornell University; and

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Railroad Brotherhoods' Savings & Building Association, of New York City, favoring the repeal of the exemption granted to the dividends derived from shares of Federal savings and loan associations from certain taxation, or the granting of a similar exemption to dividends derived from shares of such associations operating under State charters; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by Carl Follen Unit No. 103, Steuben Society of America, of Richmond Hill, N. Y., favoring an amendment to the Constitution whereby the final declaration as to whether our people shall engage in war shall be left to their own decision by referendum; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Groups 1754 and 1459, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Jamaica and Schenectady, respectively, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A petition of Salem Grange No. 172, of Salem, N. J., praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A resolution adopted by the Council of the Borough of Point Pleasant, N. J., favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions.

Mr. Barbour presented resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Plainfield, and the Board of Commissioners of Newark, in the State of New Jersey, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of members of the Neighborhood Club, of Arlington, Mass., praying the enactment of certain banking legislation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A petition of Fitchburg Local No. 12, International Brotherhood of Paper Makers, of Fitchburg, Mass., praying the adoption of the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of the prevailing wage in the expenditure of appropriations for public-works relief purposes; and

A memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the passage of legislation making appropriations for relief purposes without specifying how the money is to be spent; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Petitions of William J. Cooney, Post No. 121, American Legion, of Leicester; Amesbury Auxiliary to Post No. 2016, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Amesbury; Daniel J. Purcell Post, No. 241, American Legion, of Monson; American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 5, of Worcester; and citizens of Ipswich, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-compensation certificates;

Petitions of the Fall River (Mass.) Branch of the American League Against War and Fascism, and members of the Fairlawn Community Methodist Episcopal Church, of Shrewsbury, Mass., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

Memorials of citizens of Boston, Mass., and vicinity, remonstrating against publication of individual income-tax returns; and

A resolution adopted by the Municipal Council of the City of Gloucester, Mass., remonstrating against any reduction in tariffs affecting the fishing industry; to the Committee on Finance.

A communication from the chairman, Special St. Lawrence Committee, Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, of Boston, Mass., listing organizations and associations which have recorded their opposition to the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of employees of the White & Bagley Co., of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of Dr. J. F. D. Delia, Sr., of Alexandria, La., praying the enactment of legislation providing a chiropody corps for the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Capper presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Boston Grange No. 1838, of Emporia, Kans., favoring the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Chamber of Commerce, of Norton, Kans., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 30-hour workweek in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Bailey presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation to require that granite and natural stone be used in the construction of public buildings erected under the Public Works program; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Pittman presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memoralizing Congress to continue the tariff on copper at a rate of not less than 9 cents per pound; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution favoring a survey of the present and future market for electricity in Nevada, the methods for balancing supply and demand, the cost of electricity and its cost for transmission and distribution to consumers, and a survey of electric rates in the State; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Gibson presented a resolution adopted by the Vermont Dairymen's Association favoring the ratification of the

Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Robinson presented a communication from the State Director for Arkansas of the National Automobile Dealers Association favoring the discontinuance of the Federal tax on gasoline expiring in June 1935; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ashurst presented a concurrent memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the setting aside for highway construction and improvement purposes of a definite portion of a proposed appropriation of $4,000,000,000 for relief purposes; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to establish a national park to be known as the "Lewis and Clark National Park" along the Missouri River in Nebraska at historic points touched by Lewis and Clark in 1803 while making their trip across the continent; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Maloney presented memorials of the Holy Name Society of St. Thomas Church, of Waterbury, and the Catholic Daughters of America, State Court of Connecticut, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; which were referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day were presented, as follows:

By Mr. Van Nuys: Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Frankfort, South Bend, and East Chicago, in the State of Indiana.

By Mr. King: A resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Salt Lake City, Utah.

By Mr. Maloney: Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of New Britain and Stamford, in the State of Connecticut.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion of Mr. Nye, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1468) for the relief of Charles Augustus Lathrop and that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2072) for the relief of Robert H. Muirhead; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2073) to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Library.

A bill (S. 2074) to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2075) to provide for the appointment of additional district judges for the eastern and western districts of Missouri; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2076) for the relief of Domenico Politano; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2077) to authorize the presentation of the Distinguished Service Cross to William A. Sullivan; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2078) granting a pension to Fred W. Coleman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2079) for the relief of Samuel Madison Strange; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2080) to prohibit the exportation of tobacco seed; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2081) for the maintenance of aged dependents; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 2082) for the relief of Thomas J. Gould; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2083) to provide for appointment of Sgt. Raymond J. Hanna, detached enlisted men's list, United States Army, now serving with Missouri National Guard, a warrant officer, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2084) granting a pension to Mattie Jarrett;

A bill (S. 2085) granting a pension to Lizzie Kennedy;

A bill (S. 2086) granting a pension to Sarah J. Parker; and

A bill (S. 2087) granting an increase of pension to William T. Conley; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mrs. Caraway):

A bill (S. 2088) to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Smith):

A bill (S. 2089) for the relief of Otis L. Sims; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2090) to correct the naval record of Carlyle P. Mixon; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2091) granting a pension to Elizabeth H. Geddings; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2092) to control flood waters of the Brazos River and its tributaries in the State of Texas, to aid and improve agriculture and industrial development within said river basin, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2093) granting a pension to Ethel H. Randall (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2094) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 2095) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2096) for the relief of W. G. Wertz; and

A bill (S. 2097) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2098) granting an increase of pension to Nettie M. Underwood; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2099) for the relief of David Thygerson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2100) to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2101) granting a pension to Walter L. Rosasco; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2102) granting a pension to Della Anderson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2103) to authorize the purchase of existing buildings for governmental use, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2104) to provide for a census of unemployment, occupations, and population; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2106) to increase the public revenue of the United States of America by amending the Revenue Act of 1932; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2107) to amend an act entitled "An act making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, and for other purposes", approved July 1, 1902, and amendments thereto, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Coolidge:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 69) to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 70) authorizing the erection in Washington, D. C., of a monument in memory of Col. Robert Ingersoll; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 71) to authorize the President to enter into agreements with foreign governments to readjust the obligations of such governments held by the United States and to secure payments on such readjusted obligations sufficient to pay the adjusted-service certificates now outstanding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

MAGGIE THOMAS DAVIS

Mr. Tydings submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 90), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Maggie Thomas Davis, daughter of William Thomas, late a laborer of the Senate under supervision of the Sergeant at Arms, a sum equal to 1 year's compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

REPORTING OF GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Appropriations have leave to report, during the next recess or adjournment of the Senate, any general appropriation bill.

ADMINISTRATION OF N. R. A. CODES

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 79) for an investigation of certain charges concerning the administration of industrial codes by the National Recovery Administration; and the same was amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison.

After debate,

The amendments heretofore reported from the Committee on Finance and the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate were agreed to, and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, together with the accompanying preamble, as agreed to, is as follows:

Whereas the National Industrial Recovery Act, as a temporary measure, has been in operation for nearly two years, and will expire by limitation of time on June 16, 1935; and

Whereas proposals will soon be pending before the Congress for an extension of the act or for the enactment of new legislation in lieu of it; and

Whereas the Congress should be guided in its deliberations by the practical experience of the last two years; and

Whereas numerous charges have been made of injustice, oppression, and favoritism in the administration of the codes of the several industries; and

Whereas the charges include, among others, the following:

1. That small enterprises are oppressed and their continued existence jeopardized;

2. That wage scales and the rights of the workers are being ignored or subordinated in the competitive battle of the strong to seize the markets of the weak;

3. That in some industries the code authorities are dominated by certain elements of the industry, and are using their powers for the oppression of other elements;

4. That they are energetically using their usurped powers to accomplish the centralization of industry and to prevent its decentralization;

5. That hordes of paid investigators and inquisitors travel over the country practicing unlawful searches and seizures;

6. That in certain cases the administrators themselves have not hesitated openly to suspend or revoke the law for the benefit of favored individuals;

7. That even among the nonfavored elements of industry there is discrimination in this respect; that the strong are able to resist aggression while the weak must submit;

8. That possessing vast and extra-legal powers, code authorities have made trivial demands which cannot be ignored, under pain of economic death, and have compelled the accused to travel vast distances with their witnesses and records to remote places to vindicate themselves;

9. That under the pretense of enforcing wage provisions the code authorities and the administrators have declared and are putting into effect a policy of regulating production costs without reference to wage scales;

10. That by means of the usurped power of fixing production costs they are indirectly fixing prices to the consumer;

11. That code authorities have usurped the legislative function and have issued floods of new legislation under the guise of rules, regulations, and interpretations;

12. That such rules, regulations, and interpretations are deliberately designed to affect adversely the unfavored elements and to leave unaffected the favored elements of industry;

13. That the torrent of rules, regulations, and interpretations has been deliberately designed to be vague, indefinite, and uncertain in order that the codes may mean anything or nothing in the unlimited discretion and untrammeled will of the code authorities;

14. That many of these vague rules, regulations, and interpretations have been retroactive in character; that industry has been compelled to guess at its peril; and individuals have been charged with serious offenses for violation of supposed laws which were not and could not have been anticipated;

15. That a wealth of statistical information is obtained from members of industry for the use and guidance of code authorities; that this information is available to the dominant elements and is withheld from those who would resist their domination;

16. That, protected by code provisions for the confidential nature of information thus obtained, the operations of the code authorities are shrouded in mystery which the unfavored elements are unable to penetrate;

17. That in certain instances important amendments to codes have been obtained and approved of which the industry at large was in total ignorance for many months;

18. That when just complaints have been made to the administration, the administrators have investigated the conduct of themselves and of their collaborating code authorities; that such investigations have been secretly conducted, and

the complaining elements never called upon to produce evidence, or informed that the investigation was in progress;

19. That section 4 (b) of the National Industrial Recovery Act (now expired by limitation) provided the conditions under which the President may require that no person shall engage in any trade or industry without first obtaining a license; that in defiance of the clear intent of the act certain industrial codes provide that all commodities produced shall bear an NRA label; that the privilege of using such label shall be granted upon application to the code authority; that the privilege of using such label may be withdrawn in respect of any manufacturer whose operations, after hearing by the code authority and review by the administrator, shall be found to be in substantial violation of the code; that this in effect constitutes the code authority and the administrator a licensing authority; that some retail codes contain an absolute prohibition of the sale by any merchant of any commodity the code of whose industry requires a label, unless the label of such industry be thereto affixed; that this system of legalized boycott places the manufacturer at the absolute mercy of the code authority and the administrator; that a standardized practice has evolved under which a person aggrieved by a ruling of the code authority may appeal to the administrator for redress, but that as a condition of obtaining a hearing of his grievances, he must agree in advance to be bound by the decision of the administrator and waive his right to resort to the judicial process;

20. That, notwithstanding the provisions of the Constitution of the United States that all bills for raising revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives, code authorities have assumed and are exercising the power to levy taxes on industries and are enforcing collection thereof by duress;

21. That code authority administration in many cases has lost all semblance of a rule of law and has become a rule of men, bent upon the oppression of their weaker competitors; and

Whereas, if the conditions charged obtain to any considerable extent, the Congress should have full knowledge of them to guide it in the formulation of new legislation; and

Whereas all friends of labor and all well-wishers for the success of the industrial-recovery program recognize that the correction of abuses is a necessary condition to the success of the program: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the subject matter of this resolution be referred to the Senate Committee on Finance and that said committee be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate and report upon the subject matter of this resolution.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee is authorized to hold hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Congress until the final report is submitted, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to employ such clerical assistants as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

DESCENT AND DISTRIBUTION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 3464) to amend certain sections of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution, heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered. That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 52 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, February 28, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 3464, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on February 28, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 31. An act to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff; and

S. 402. An act to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 3464) to amend certain sections of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6223, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

CLAIMS OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS AND THEIR NATIONALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith a report by the Secretary of State recommending the enactment of legislation for the purposes described therein.

The recommendations of the Secretary of State have my approval, and I request the enactment of legislation for the purposes indicated in order that this Government may meet the obligations outlined in the report.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 4, 1935.*

(Enclosure: Report of the Secretary of State.)

MOVING EXPENSES OF CERTAIN CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a proposed amendment to the bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department for the fiscal year 1936, providing for the moving at Government expense of the personal and household effects of civilian employees transferred in the consolidation by Executive order of the functions of disbursement of moneys; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, memorializing Congress to direct that the Federal Emergency Relief Administration continue the relief aid now being furnished to distressed school districts for the balance of this school term or until such time as may be necessary to secure special State revenue for such purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of citizens of the State of Ohio, praying the enactment of legislation prescribing penalties to those seeking or planning the overthrow of our Government by force or violence; and

A resolution adopted by the Colored Men's Progressive Association of Sweetwater County, Wyo., favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Arkansas, favoring the enactment of legislation to prohibit the importation of foreign bauxite;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, favoring the enactment of legislation to place an import duty on raw asbestos and products;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina memorializing Congress to give consideration to the question of tariff rates with a view to revising downward such tariffs as may be found to exist, and to promote, encourage, and foster our trade with foreign nations where the same may be done without in any manner impairing our economic safeguards;

Petitions of W. E. Miller, Lovettsville, Va., Gnat Blair, Tibbe Station, Miss., and Matteo Teresi, Rochester, N. Y., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Utah State National Unemployment Council favoring the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Maine favoring the enactment of legislation to require the use of granite and natural stone in the construction of public buildings erected under the public-works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide a relief program adequate to maintain a decent standard of living and to accomplish other purposes;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Kentucky requesting support of the President in his program of recovery and economic reform;

A telegram from the National Economy League, of New York City, urging that relief appropriations for the next fiscal year be confined to not over $2,000,000,000, including all public works already allocated;

A petition of James Cate, of Johnson City, Tenn., praying support of the President's plan to pay $50 a month to relief workers on public works;

A petition of James K. Marvin, of Port Jefferson, N. Y., praying support of the President in his public-works relief program;

Petitions of Lewis A. Rubonsohn, Philadelphia, Pa.; Frank Heilman, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jameson, of Terre Haute, Ind.; and L. E. Werlein, Houston, Tex., praying the passage of the bill providing $4,000,000,000 for relief purposes in the form desired by the President; and

A memorial of L. E. Brown, of Dayton, Ohio, remonstrating against the passage of the proposed public-works relief appropriation bill; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation providing that certain taxes levied in Puerto Rico be expended by the legislature to meet urgent needs and to promote the general welfare of the Puerto Rican community; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the adoption of the so-called "Borah resolution" relating to religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the construction of a highway to link reclamation projects on the Colorado River in Arizona and connect with the proposed deep-sea channel to the Gulf of California; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A concurrent memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the enactment of legislation to pay awards as compensation for land taken by the United States in the establishment of a neutral strip in Santa Cruz County, Ariz., along the boundary between the United States and Mexico; to the Committee on Claims.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide jobs for persons who have secured loans from the Home Owners' Loan Corporation and from other sources and who because of unemployment are unable to meet the required payments; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by numerous city councils and groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, all in the United States, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented a statement by F. A. Vanderlip on the subject of pending banking legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Robinson presented the following petitions and communication, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of four ministers in the State of Arkansas praying exemption of church pension funds from the provisions of proposed legislation providing unemployment insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A communication from W. J. Williams, of Pine Bluff, Ark., offering certain suggestions relating to rates for electric current and the regulation of public-utility holding companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Borah presented communications from Jos. W. Nicholson, of the Central Board of Purchases of the City of Mil-

waukee, Wis., with accompanying data, relating to bids submitted on fire hose and the relation of codes under the National Recovery Administration to such bids; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ashurst presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona praying the construction of a bridge over Short Creek in Mohave County, Ariz.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona favoring an increase in appropriations for the Phoenix Indian School; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A telegram from Ford W. Harris, of Los Angeles, Calif., urging the enactment of legislation providing a fifth circuit court judge for the State of California; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Duffy presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide a relief program adequate to maintain a decent standard of living and to accomplish other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide jobs for persons who have secured loans from the Home Owners' Loan Corporation and from other sources and who because of unemployment are unable to meet the required payments; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Shipstead presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to repeal the long-and-short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act or its modification to permit railroads to meet competition of eastern manufacturers using water transportation through the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Keyes presented a memorial of the officers and directors of the Claremont National Bank, of Claremont, N. H., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by Division No. 93, Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, of Pittsburg, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation to modify section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to permit railroads to compete with unregulated forms of transportation; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Suffolk County, N. Y., favoring prompt passage of the pending measure providing $4,000,000,000 for relief purposes; and

A resolution adopted by the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, New York Branch, of New York City, remonstrating against large appropriations for the Army and Navy as proposed in pending appropriation bills; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Resolutions adopted by the Boro Park Home Owners' Association, of Brooklyn, and the Ivanhoe Democratic Club, Inc., of Flushing, in the State of New York, favoring a continuance of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Mount Vernon (N. Y.) Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People favoring the passage of antilynching legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the directors of the Sheffield Producers Cooperative Association, Inc., of the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in the dairy industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Parent-Teachers Association of Jeffersonville, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a national film institute in the Department of the Interior and the regulation of the motion-picture industry; and

Petitions of citizens of the State of New York praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony taken by the Broadcast Division, Federal Communications Commission, relating to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution adopted by the Metco Stamp Club, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a special commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry's service in the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions praying the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day:

Resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Towanda, the City Council of Saratoga Springs, and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Port Chester, in the State of New York; and

Resolutions adopted by five groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the State of New York.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported that, under the authority of the order of the Senate of February 28, 1935, he filed with the Secretary of the Senate, on March 1, 1935, the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, with amendments, together with an accompanying report (No. 230).

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 935) to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 231) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1940. A bill to fix the value of subsistence and rental allowance under the Pay Readjustment Act of June 10, 1922 (Rept. No. 232); and

S. 2105. A bill to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy (Rept. No. 233).

Mr. Schwellenbach, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 724. A bill for the relief of James T. Moore (Rept. No. 234); and

H. R. 3266. An act authorizing the maintenance and use of a banking house upon the United States military reservation at Fort Lewis, Wash. (Rept. No. 235).

Mr. Carey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1850) to amend an act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, as amended, by including Roger P. Ames among those honored by said act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 236) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 438) for the relief of Roy Chandler, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 237) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2108) granting a pension to Ann M. Callery; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2109) granting a pension to Hazel Chalk; and

A bill (S. 2110) granting a pension to John S. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2111) for the relief of Raphael Levy; and

A bill (S. 2112) for the relief of Flora Jacobs, administratrix of the estate of A. L. Jacobs, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2113) authorizing the appointment and retirement of Robert W. Moss as a lieutenant (junior grade), Dental Corps, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2114) for the relief of D. E. Woodward and Mrs. Murray A. Hintz; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2115) for the relief of Horace M. Case; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2116) granting an increase of pension to Thomas N. Pray; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2117) for the relief of Grant A. McNeal; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2118) extending the provisions of the pension laws relating to Indian war veterans to Capt. H. M. Hodgis' company, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2119) for the relief of Amos D. Carver, S. E. Turner, Clifford N. Carver, Scott Blanchard, P. B. Blanchard, James B. Parse, A. N. Blanchard, and W. A. Blanchard, and/or the widows of such of them as may be deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2120) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y.; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2121) relating to loans by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2122) for the relief of Tony Woodick; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2123) granting a pension to William G. Madden (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2124) providing for the final enrollment of the Indians of the Klamath Indian Reservation in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2125) for the relief of Lawrence Hyder; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2126) for the relief of Ralph Riesler; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2127) to amend section 4471 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2128) to regulate the hours of employment of women employed in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2129) authorizing the retirement of Joseph F. Becker as a lieutenant commander, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2130) granting a pension to Anna L. Sweeney; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard (for himself and Mr. Connally):

A bill (S. 2131) to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park, in the State of Texas, and for other purposes (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2132) to correct the military record of Edward A. McGown; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2133) granting a pension to D. H. Waide; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2134) to prohibit employers from influencing the vote of their employees in national elections (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 2135) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals, in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes"; approved May 18, 1933; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2136) to provide for the removal of the monument to Casimir Pulaski from the triangle at Pennsylvania Avenue, Thirteenth Street, and E Street NW., to the east end of the triangle formed by Pennsylvania Avenue, E Street, and Fifteenth Street, in the city of Washington, D. C., and to authorize the appropriation therefor; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2137) to provide for the appointment of one additional district judge for the eastern, northern, and western districts of Oklahoma; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2138) granting a pension to Lora Kizer Russell; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2139) granting a pension to Susie Wichita Te-kits-kush; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 2140) for the relief of certain purchases of lands in the Borough of Brooklyn, State of New Jersey; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2141) to provide for the payment of salaries to certain referees in bankruptcy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2142) for the relief of certain blind persons disabled in the military or naval service of the United States; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2143) for the relief of Asa J. Hunter; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2144) extending the obligation of bonds of contractors for public buildings to include payment of compensation to injured employees; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 2145) extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians; and

A bill (S. 2146) for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication of ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2147), to reduce the area of the Fort Peck irrigation project in the State of Montana, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2148) to provide for the leasing of restricted Indian lands of Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Hayden, Mr. Costigan, and Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2149) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2150) for the relief of Edwin Dewitt T. Dobbs (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2151) for the relief of Mrs. Leonard T. Boice, widow of Leonard Theodore Boice; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2152) to amend title 1 of the act of May 12, 1933, as amended, known as the "Agricultural Adjustment Act", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2153) to provide for the prevention of blindness in infants born in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2154) granting a pension to John Hoffman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 72) authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President; to the Committeee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Johnson:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 73) authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Redondo Beach Harbor, Calif.; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 74) authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Santa Monica Harbor, Calif.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 75) authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President; to the Committee on Claims.

ALLOCATIONS FOR PROJECTS FROM N. R. A. FUNDS

Mr. Byrd submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 91):

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States is requested to furnish immediately to the Senate an itemized statement of allocations made for projects out of the appropriation of $3,300,000,000 authorized by an act entitled "An act to encourage national industrial recovery, to foster fair competition, and to provide for the construction of certain useful public works, and for other purposes", and approved June 16, 1933; and shall furnish to the Senate the following information, to wit:

First. Total cash disbursed to March 1, 1935.

Second. Balance unexpended out of the amount appropriated.

Third. A list of projects, both Federal and non-Federal, and their locations, on which disbursements have been made, the amount of such disbursements, and an estimate of the cost of completing each project.

Fourth. A list of future allocations authorized, both Federal and non-Federal, which the Government of the United States is obligated to make and on which no expenditures have as yet been made.

Fifth. A list of projects to which allocations of money were made and the money subsequently impounded, and why impounded.

Sixth. A list of allocations of money for public works that have been diverted to pay ordinary or other expenses of the Government.

Seventh. Copies of memoranda or agreements committing the United States Government to the building of public works upon which no expenditures have as yet been made.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

CLAIMS AGAINST MEXICO

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 92), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations is hereby requested, in connection with claims originally filed with the United States Commissioners to Texas in 1872 and 1873, or any claim or claims arising out of the same circumstances not then so filed with the Government of the United States but subsequently presented to or espoused by it, whether on account of property losses or the death or personal injury of any citizen of the United States, to secure from the Secretary of State information as to the basis upon which the United States contemplates under the protocol of April 24, 1934, or agrees thereunder, or has agreed previously thereto, to settle the said claims or to compromise, foreclose, abandon, or offset them against claims of Mexico admitted to be valid against the United States; and further

That the Committee on Foreign Relations is requested on receipt of such information to examine the question of justice and sufficiency of the settlement or settlements contemplated or already made in connection with said claims; as well as the question as to whether or not the losses upon which the claims aforesaid were founded, constitute valid grounds for recovery against the United States; and the further question whether the United States should be held responsible for the difference between the amounts realized or to be realized under the negotiations and dealings with Mexico and the just and sufficient amount found to be properly due the original claimants or their successors in interest; and to report its conclusions on the matters mentioned herein to the Senate.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Mr. Long obtained the floor, and during the delivery of an address by him concerning Hon. James A. Farley, Postmaster General,

Mr. Logan demanded the regular order.

The call of the calendar under rule VIII being the regular order,

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 243. A bill for the relief of Curtis Jett;

S. 1266. A bill for the relief of Robert E. Masters;

S. 741. A bill for the relief of the Union Shipping & Trading Co., Ltd.;

S. 236. A bill for the relief of the heirs of Burton Stearns Adams, deceased;

S. 743. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the claim of the Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co.;

S. 279. A bill to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations;

S. 535. A bill for the relief of William Cornwell and others;

S. 713. A bill granting jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear the case of David A. Wright;

S. 209. A bill for the relief of Carmine Sforza;

S. 1037. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

S. 1038. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

S. 147. A bill to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service;

S. 1180. A bill to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended;

S. 857. A bill to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes; and

S. 872. A bill for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 21) authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following joint resolutions:

S. J. Res. 22. Joint resolution directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and

S. J. Res. 32. Joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the said joint resolutions be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1360. A bill for the relief of Teresa de Prevost;

S. 1694. A bill for the relief of C. B. Dickinson;

S. 537. A bill for the relief of C. O. Meyer;

S. 998. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of George Lawley & Son Corporation, of Boston, Mass.;

S. 1472. A bill for the relief of the First Camden National Bank & Trust Co., of Camden, N. J.;

S. 428. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;

S. 937. A bill for the relief of the J. M. Dooley Fireproof Warehouse Corporation, of Brooklyn, N. Y.;

S. 1056. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.; and

S. 1392. A bill conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, southern division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CONFIRMATION OF POSTMASTERS

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate, as in executive session, proceeded to consider the nomination of Olice F. Huson to be postmaster at Heber Springs, Ark., and certain other post-office nominations; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations.

REPORT CONCERNING JAMES A. FARLEY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 78, agreed to on February 15, 1935, a report concerning James A. Farley; and

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying report, be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

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APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE WAR DEPARTMENT

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

Mr. Couzens raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendments in part were agreed to.

AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Russell in the Chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and, with the accompanying documents, referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

I present to the Congress the question of whether or not the United States should have an adequate merchant marine.

To me there are three reasons for answering this question in the affirmative. The first is that in time of peace subsidies granted by other nations, shipping combines, and other restrictive or rebating methods may well be used to the detriment of American shippers. The maintenance of fair competition alone calls for American flagships of sufficient tonnage to carry a reasonable portion of our foreign commerce.

Second. In the event of a major war in which the United States is not involved, our commerce, in the absence of an adequate American merchant marine, might find itself seriously crippled because of its inability to secure bottoms for neutral peaceful foreign trade.

Third. In the event of a war in which the United States itself might be engaged, American flagships are obviously needed not only for naval auxiliaries, but also for the maintenance of reasonable and necessary commercial intercourse with other nations. We should remember lessons learned in the last war.

In many instances in our history the Congress has provided for various kinds of disguised subsidies to American shipping. In recent years the Congress has provided this aid in the form of lending money at low rates of interest to American shipping companies for the purpose of building new ships for foreign trade. It has, in addition, appropriated large annual sums under the guise of payments for ocean mail contracts.

This lending of money for ship building has in practice been a failure. Few ships have been built and many difficulties have arisen over the repayment of the loans. Similar difficulties have attended the granting of ocean-mail contracts. The Government today is paying annually about $30,000,000 for the carrying of mails which would cost, under normal ocean rates, only $3,000,000. The difference, $27,000,000, is a subsidy, and nothing but a subsidy. But given under this disguised form it is an unsatisfactory and not an honest

way of providing the aid that Government ought to give to shipping.

I propose that we end this subterfuge. If the Congress decides that it will maintain a reasonably adequate American merchant marine I believe that it can well afford honestly to call a subsidy by its right name.

Approached in this way a subsidy amounts to a comparatively simple thing. It must be based upon providing for American shipping Government aid to make up the differential between American and foreign shipping costs. It should cover, first, the difference in the cost of building ships; second, the difference in the cost of operating ships; and finally, it should take into consideration the liberal subsidies that many foreign governments provide for their shipping. Only by meeting this threefold differential can we expect to maintain a reasonable place in ocean commerce for ships flying the American flag, and at the same time maintain American standards.

In setting up adequate provisions for subsidies for American shipping, the Congress should provide for the termination of existing ocean-mail contracts as rapidly as possible, and it should terminate the practice of lending Government money for shipbuilding. It should provide annual appropriations for subsidies sufficiently large to cover the differentials that I have described.

I am submitting to you herewith two reports dealing with American shipping; a report of an interdepartmental committee known as the "Committee on Shipping Policy", appointed June 18, 1934, by the Secretary of Commerce; and a report to me from the Postmaster General on ocean-mail contracts prepared pursuant to an Executive order of July 11, 1934.

Reports which have been made to me by appropriate authorities in the executive branch of the Government have shown that some American shipping companies have engaged in practices and abuses which should and must be ended. Some of these have to do with the improper operating of subsidiary companies, the payment of excessive salaries, the engaging in businesses not directly a part of shipping, and other abuses which have made for poor management, improper use of profits, and scattered efforts.

Legislation providing for adequate aid to the American merchant marine should include not only adequate appropriation for such purposes and appropriate safeguards for its expenditure, but a reorganization of the machinery for its administration. The quasi-judicial and quasi-legislative duties of the present Shipping Board Bureau of the Department of Commerce should be transferred for the present to the Interstate Commerce Commission. Purely administrative functions, however, such as information and planning, ship inspection, and the maintenance of aids to navigation, should, of course, remain in the Department of Commerce.

An American merchant marine is one of our most firmly established traditions. It was, during the first half of our national existence, a great and growing asset. Since then it has declined in value and importance. The time has come to square this traditional ideal with effective performance.

Free competition among the nations in the building of modern shipping facilities is a manifestation of wholly desirable and wholesome national ambition. In such free competition the American people want us to be properly represented. The American people want to use American ships. Their Government owes it to them to make certain that such ships are in keeping with our national pride and national needs.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 4, 1935.*

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

NOMINATIONS OF RICHARD P. WILLIAMS AND JOHN H. RUSSELL

The hour of 3 o'clock p. m. having arrived,

The Senate, under an order previously agreed to, proceeded, in executive session, to consider the nominations of Richard P. Williams to be brigadier general in the Marine Corps and of John H. Russell to be major general in the Marine Corps from September 1, 1933.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, in executive session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 46) authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communications in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding company structure, or otherwise.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3808. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Seward, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction of an electric-generating station and electric-distributing systems, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $118,000;

H. R. 4751. An act to amend section 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission;

H. R. 6084. An act to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 134. Joint resolution to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed 9 additional months, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 46, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the legislative proceedings of Monday, March 4, 1935, was approved.

NOMINATIONS OF RICHARD P. WILLIAMS AND JOHN H. RUSSELL

The Senate, in executive session, resumed the consideration of the nomination of Richard P. Williams to be a brigadier general in the Marine Corps; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of legislative business.

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of its activities and expenditures for the month of January 1935, together with a statement of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bills and joint resolution this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 3808 and H. R. 6084 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs; that the bill H. R. 4751 be referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 134, be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 46) authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication or interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, memorials, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico petitioning Congress to enact legislation permitting the States with sales-tax laws to tax interstate sales of goods for shipment into the State, for use and consumption therein, in competition with like transactions of local merchants;

A petition of Hannah Buckhalter, of Tibbee, Miss., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by the city of San Marcos, Calif., and a petition of Mrs. L. A. Heveley, of Los Angeles, Calif., praying the passage of legislation providing for old-age pensions under the so-called "Townsend plan"; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Chambers of Commerce of Yazoo City and Canton, in the State of Mississippi, remonstrating against the ratification of the Great-Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, Calif., remonstrating against the passage of any legislation which will vest any control of municipally-owned water-terminal facilities in the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging adequate appropriations for the Bureau of Mines; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas remonstrating against the adoption of the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of prevailing wages on Public Works expenditures under appropriations for relief purposes, and urging the passage of the pending appropriation measure in the form desired by the President; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Petitions of students of Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La., Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Va., and Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College, Tallahassee, Fla., praying the passage of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for a grant of land containing a hot-water spring for the use and benefit of the State as an infantile paralysis sanatorium; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Idaho praying the enactment of legislation providing penalties to those who seek or plan the overthrow of the Government by force or violence; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Oklahoma memorializing Congress to enact legislation amending the so-called "Bankhead Cotton Control Act" so as to exempt from its provisions the first three bales of cotton raised by any cotton grower whose major crop is cotton, and whose major income is derived from cotton; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico requesting the construction by the Government of a scenic highway from Santa Fe to Las Vegas, N. Mex., over the Sangre de Cristo Range through the Sante Fe National Forest; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by the common councils of Rochester, Minn., and Trinidad, Colo., and the City Council of Laredo, Tex., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Frederick, Md., praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; and

A memorial of citizens of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the publication of personal income-tax returns and urging the repeal of such requirement; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of members of the Holy Name Society of Mount St. Mary's College, of Emmitsburg, and the Holy Name Society, St. Anthony's Branch, Baltimore Section, in the State of Maryland, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day were presented, as follows:

By Mr. Tydings: A resolution adopted by Group No. 692, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America.

By Mr. Barbour: Resolutions adopted by the board of commissioners of the city of Perth Amboy, and the common councils of the town of Nutley and the city of Rahway, in the State of New Jersey.

By Mr. Maloney: Four Groups of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America in the State of Connecticut.

By Mr. Norbeck: A resolution adopted by the City Council of Mitchell, S. Dak.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Norbeck presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution urging the Federal Government to acquire, set aside, preserve, and maintain as a national park a tract of land in Knox County, Nebr., locally known as the "Devil's Nest"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution favoring appropriations for the maintenance of public schools within the State; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A concurrent resolution favoring Federal regulation of all interstate commercial transportation by highway; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide a relief program adequate to maintain a decent standard of living and to accomplish other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide jobs for persns who have secured loans from the Home Owners' Loan Corporation and from other sources and who because of unemployment are unable to meet the required payments; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Municipal Council of the City of Clifton, N. J., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-compensation certificates, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ashurst presented a telegram from the board of governors, Patent Law Association, of Los Angeles, Calif., urging the enactment of legislation providing an additional circuit court of appeals judge for the ninth circuit and two additional judges for the Southern District of California, which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the adoption of the so-called "Borah resolution" relating to religious persecutions in Mexico; and

A memorial of citizens of Lawrence, Mass., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A petition of Local Union No. 2332, of Northbridge, and of Local Union No. 2385, of Dudley, United Textile Workers of America, both in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry;

Memorials of business organizations and citizens of Cambridge, Mass., and citizens of Barre, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of such legislation; and

A petition of Lawrence Turn Verein, of Lawrence, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing a referendum on a declaration of war; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Peabody Chamber of Commerce, of Peabody, and petitions of citizens of Newton, Melrose, and Andover, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation to repeal the requirement of publicity in individual income-tax returns;

A petition of American Legion Auxiliary, Harold N. Keith Unit, No. 204, of West Boylston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-compensation certificates;

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

Petitions of the Worcester Laundry Owners Association, of Worcester, the joint boards of the First Presbyterian Church, of Worcester, and the rector of the Christ Church, of Cambridge, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying an amendment to proposed legislation providing that exemption be granted to organizations which make provision for pensions similar to the requirements of social-security legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Worcester Laundry Owners Association, of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of legislation proposing to make the coal industry a public utility; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of the board of directors of the Peabody Chamber of Commerce, of Peabody, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 1807, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of Post No. 37, of Boston, and Post No. 29, of Lowell, Polish Army Veterans' Association, of the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of House bill 2739, providing for an extension of time for the naturalization of alien veterans of the World War; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of Osmond Cummings, of Salisbury, Mass., praying the passage of House bill 5846, to fix the value of subsistence and rental allowance under the Pay Readjustment Act of June 10, 1922; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petitions of the joint conference board of the Bookbinders of Greater Boston, Local No. 16, International Brotherhood of Bookbinders, of Boston, and the International Wood Carvers' Association, of Dorchester, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the adoption of the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of prevailing wages in the expenditure of appropriations for Public Works relief; and

A memorial of citizens of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against an appropriation of $4,000,000,000 for Public Works relief; to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Tydings, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 707) to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 238) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 365. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Elmer E. Miller (Rept. No. 239);

S. 708. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Velie Motors Corporation (Rept. No. 240);

S. 931. A bill for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co. (Rept. No. 241); and

S. 1860. A bill for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co. (Rept. No. 242).

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1055) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 243) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 28. A bill for the relief of R. B. Miller (Rept. No. 244); and

S. 925. A bill to carry into effect the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of William W. Danenhower (Rept. No. 245).

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 148) for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 246) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 794. A bill for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co. (Rept. No. 248); and

S. 1863. A bill for the relief of Trifune Korac (Rept. No. 247).

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1432) to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally known as the "War Minerals Relief Statutes", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 249) thereon.

Mr. Glass, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was recommitted the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 250) thereon.

Mr. Black, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 65) to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 251) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1135) for the relief of Alice F. Martin, widow, and two minor children, reported it adversely and submitted a report (No. 252) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2097) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon, and that it be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2155) to grant relief to persons erroneously convicted in courts of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2156) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2157) granting an increase of pension to Lou Sutton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 2158) for the relief of Franz J. Feinler; and

A bill (S. 2159) for the relief of Tom L. Taylor; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 2160) for the relief of George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2161) granting a pension to Mary Pratt (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 2162) to restore to Congress its constitutional power to issue money and regulate the value thereof; to provide for the orderly distribution of the abundance with which a beneficent Creator has blessed us; to establish and maintain the purchasing power of money at a fixed and equitable level; to restore the values of property to just and equitable levels; to increase the prices of agricultural products to a point where they will yield the cost of production plus a fair profit to the farmer; to provide a living and just annual wage which will enable every citizen willing to work and capable of working to maintain and educate his family on an increasing level or standard of living; to repay debts with dollars of equal value; to lift in part the burden of taxation; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2163) for the relief of Harry T. Davison, Sr., and Emma E. D. Davison; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2164) granting an increase of pension to George P. Benedict (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings (by request):

A bill (S. 2165) to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing the Great Falls Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Potomac River at or near Great Falls", approved April 21, 1928; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2166) for the relief of Ludwig Larson (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2167) for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Miss Clara Smith (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2168) for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2169) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 76) relating to leave with pay for employees of the Government Printing Office; to the Committee on Printing.

MARGARET A. SCOTT

Mr. Hayden submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 93), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1934, to Margaret A. Scott, widow of Daniel U. Scott, late a laborer of the Senate under supervision of the Sergeant at Arms, a sum equal to 1 year's compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Tennessee River, flood control; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

David Thygerson; to the Committee on Claims.

Income and profit tax, erroneously collected; to the Committee on Finance.

Charles E. Wilson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Carlyle Pearson Mixon; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ellen Mullis Baker; Amanda Bastian; William T. Conley; Willard Hyser; Mattie Jarrett; Lucy S. Kemp; Lizzie Kennedy; Rose Kennedy; Marcella Kostermann; Daniel L. Myers; Charlott C. Oliver; Henrietta V. W. Owen; Sara J. Parker; Lizzie Sarver; Stephen Sowinski; Joanna B. Townsend; Blanche Walker; to the Committee on Pensions.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 14), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, requested to return to the House of Representatives the enrolled bill H. R. 380, entitled "An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota."

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on March 5, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 46) authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise.

WHITE HOUSE POLICE FORCE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize an increase in the White House police force; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of Negro citizens of Little Rock, Ark., praying the passage of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A communication from Hilda Phelps Hammond, chairman Women's Committee of Louisiana, of New Orleans, La., transmitting petitions of citizens of the States of California, Illinois, Kentucky, and New York, praying an investigation of charges filed by the Women's Committee relative to Senators Long and Overton, of the State of Louisiana; and

Petitions of citizens of several other States praying the same investigation; to the Commitee on Privileges and Elections.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation relating to certain rights-of-way for the construction of approach roads and toll areas leading to the Golden Gate Bridge in the Presidio of San Francisco Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada favoring the enactment of legislation providing that preference be granted to Nevada contractors, materials, and labor in connection with contracts for the construction of public works within the State; and

A resolution adopted by the State executive committee of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, of the State of Pennsylvania, remonstrating against communistic teachings and propaganda in the schools and colleges of the United States; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation empowering the Bank of North Dakota to pledge with the United States Treasury such of the bonds and securities of the State handled by the bank and to issue currency in place thereof; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A petition of Annie E. Miller, of Lovettsville, Va., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the State executive committee of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, of the State of Pennsylvania, favoring the enactment of legislation calling for Federal participation in the celebration of the one hundredth and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on Rules.

A resolution adopted by the said committee remonstrating against the ratification of the World Court protocols; and

A resolution adopted at Little Rock, Ark., by the General Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, remonstrating against an investigation of religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California, favoring the enactment of legislation permitting the retirement of Federal employees who have been in service for 15 to 30 years or more and favoring full restoration of the pay of said employees; to the Committee on Civil Service.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Michigan and a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Tenn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; and

Telegrams from the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite, and Paper Mill Workers and the International Brotherhood of Paper Makers in convention at Buffalo, N. Y., favoring the adoption of the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of prevailing wages under Public Works appropriations for relief purposes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, memorializing Congress to enact legislation directed against mob violence and lynching; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Ashurst presented a resolution adopted by the Bar Association of San Francisco, Calif., urging the enactment of legislation providing a fifth circuit judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, ninth circuit; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the passage of antilynching legislation; and

A memorial of employees of F. S. Payne Co., of Cambridge, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Resolutions adopted by the mayor and City Council of Brockton, Lorraine Post, No. 29, Veterans of Foreigns Wars, of Haverhill, and Benjamin D. Cushing Post, No. 2425, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Marion, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the enactment of legislation providing immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of members of the faculty of the Walnut Hill School, of Natick, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of said legislation;

A petition of Harry Badmington, of Rockland, Mass., praying the repeal of the 10-percent tax on furs; and

A petition of the Pulaski Club of Easthampton, Mass., praying the passage of unemployment and social-insurance legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony before the Broadcast Division, Federal Communications Commission, in relation to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission;

A memorial of the Henry K. Barnes Co., of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the amendment of section 16 of the Interstate Commerce Act to provide for the shortening of the present 3-year period for recovering freight overcharges;

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the passage of House bill 3971, to regulate sales in interstate commerce by taxation; and

A memorial of the board of directors of the Dorchester (Mass.) Board of Trade remonstrating against taking jurisdiction from the Interstate Commerce Commission over freight rates in competing sections of the country; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted at Worcester, Mass., by Scandinavian residents of that city and vicinity remonstrating against war and excessive preparations for war purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A petition of members of R. H. Dowling Post, No. 35, United Spanish War Veterans, of Pittsfield, Mass., urging the passage of House bill 100, providing for the reenactment of provisions of law relating to pensions for Spanish War veterans; to the Committee on Pensions.

A petition of Ladies Auxiliary, Division 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Holyoke, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a special commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry, of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A petition of citizens of Plymouth, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the improvement of the banks of the Cape Cod Canal; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Borah presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of legislation to remonetize silver at the ratio of 16 to 1; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A joint memorial favoring adequate marking of the western boundary line of Yellowstone National Park in Idaho; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A joint memorial remonstrating against any change in the existing tariff regulations affecting importations of cherries into the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial favoring an ascertainment of a fair and equitable contract between the beet-sugar grower and processor, and in making sugar-sales allotments to the offshore and domestic processors preference be given to the domestic industry; and

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of legislation creating price-fixing terminals in each State and imposing a processing or consumer's tax on commodities in commerce out of which freight charges shall be paid from the terminal to point of destination for the relief of the livestock and agricultural industries; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint memorial favoring adequate appropriations for the Bureau of Mines; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Ellsworth Post, No. 174, American Legion, of Ellsworth, Kans., favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Keyes presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire favoring the establishment of permanent water storage projects for the stabilization of the water flow in the Merrimack River; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Norris, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 64) requesting the Department of Justice to investigate the advisability of redistricting the State of Michigan with reference to judicial districts, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 253) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1854) giving jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Cherokee Fuel Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 254) thereon.

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted a report (No. 255) to accompany the bill (S. 574) relative to Members of Congress acting as attorneys in matters where the United States has an interest, heretofore reported.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1079) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 256) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1817) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 257) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 283) for the relief of Beatrice I. Manges, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 258) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 593) for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 259) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1856) for the relief of Arthur Smith, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 260) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 43) for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 261) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 896) for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 262) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1386) for the relief of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, husband and wife, both of McKinley Park, Alaska, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 263) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 712. A bill for the relief of A. H. Marshall (Rept. No. 264); and

H. R. 426. An act for the relief of Jacob Santavy (Rept. No. 265).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 906) for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 266) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 391) for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 267) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 685. A bill for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co. (Rept. No. 268);

S. 1041. A bill for the relief of Cohen, Goldman & Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 269); and

S. 1051. A bill for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co. (Rept. No. 270).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 780) for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 271) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2014) for the relief of Alexander Gilchrist, Junior, and that it be referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2170) for the relief of Preston Brooks Massey; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2171) granting an increase of pension to Rufus M. Barnes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2172) to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", etc., as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mrs. Caraway):

A bill (S. 2173) granting an increase of pension to Albert E. Longman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2174) to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States; to the Committee on Immigration.

A bill (S. 2175) to grant to the State of California a retrocession of jurisdiction over certain rights-of-way granted to the State of California over certain roads about to be constructed in the Presidio of San Francisco Military Reservation and Fort Baker Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 2176) providing for appeals from orders of Federal courts prohibiting compliance with Federal laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PRINTING AND BINDING FOR FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, reported a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 77) authorizing printing and binding for the Federal Power Commission, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

SOIL EROSION AND SOIL CONSERVATION

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 94):

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be directed to submit to the Senate a report showing the results of efforts or experiments heretofore made to arrest soil erosion and to submit any recommendations upon the subject which might be serviceable to the Congress in preparing legislation to promote soil conservation.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

SUGAR PRODUCTION IN PUERTO RICO

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 95), which was considered by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior is requested to inform the Senate (a) regarding contemplated plans for new loans, grants, or subsidies to sugar producers in Puerto Rico; (b) regarding any pending proposals for supporting sugar production in Puerto Rico with public money drawn either from the sugar processing tax or from the Public Works Administration or from any new instrumentality which may be created under the so-called "work-relief bill."

ALLOCATIONS FOR PROJECTS FROM N. R. A. FUNDS

On motion by Mr. Byrd, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 91) calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for a statement of allocations for projects from the appropriations for the National Industrial Recovery Act; and having been modified by Mr. Byrd by adding a new provision at the end thereof, as follows:

Eighth. If allocations of money have been made to other departments of the Government, state unexpended balances of such allocations.

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to.

PREVAILING WAGE RATE LAWS

Mr. McCarran presented a manuscript entitled "Prevailing Wage Rate Laws, as of January 1, 1935", prepared by the Labor Law Information Service Division, United States Bureau of Labor Statistics; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

RETURN OF ENROLLED BILL H. R. 330

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 14) requesting the President of the United States to return to the House of Representatives the enrolled bill (H. R. 330) entitled "An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota", this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

WITHDRAWAL OF PAPERS

On motion by Mr. Hale, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the bill (S. 583) granting an increase of pension to Mary G. Walsh be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse report having been made thereon.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to; the reported amendment on page 56, line 25, amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, and, as amended, agreed to; the residue of the reported amendments agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, from the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, to further amend the bill by inserting on page 10, line 20, after the figures "$9,257,465" the following:

: Provided, That notwithstanding the suspension during the fiscal years 1933, 1934, and 1935 of the longevity increases provided for in the tenth paragraph of section 1 of the Pay Adjustment Act of 1922, the personnel (active or retired) so affected shall be credited with service rendered subsequently to June 30, 1932, in computing their active or retired pay accruing subsequently to June 30, 1935: Provided further, That this section shall not be construed as authorizing the payment of back longevity pay for the fiscal years 1933, 1934, and 1935, which would have been paid during such years but for the suspension aforesaid.

Mr. Glass raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was legislative in character, and therefore not in order under the rule.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) sustained the point of order.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 45, at the end of line 20, the following:

: Provided further, That hereafter there shall be allowed at the United States Military Academy three cadets for each Senator, Representative, Delegate in Congress, and Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico, five for the District of Columbia, and one hundred and thirty-two from the United States at large, in addition to the number now authorized to be appointed from the enlisted men of the Regular Army and National Guard, and the sons of deceased officers, soldiers, sailors, and marines.

Mr. King raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment proposed general legislation, and therefore was not in order under rule XVI, paragraph 4.

The Presiding Officer sustained the point of order.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the bill by striking out, on page 42, line 6, the sum "$79,530" and inserting in lieu thereof *$5,000,000,*

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Copeland raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment increased an item of appropriation in the bill, and was not in order.

The Presiding Officer sustained the point of order.

From the decision of the Chair Mr. Clark appealed to the Senate.

The Presiding Officer stated the question to be, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate? and

The question being taken thereon,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 18, Nays 48

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Fletcher, Hale, Keyes, King, McNary, Norbeck, Sheppard, Townsend, Tydings, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Capper, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McKellar, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Vandenberg, and Van Nuys.

So the decision of the Chair was not sustained.

On the question of agreeing to the amendment,

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 35, Nays 40

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Barbour, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Duffy, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, La Follette, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Tydings, and Vandenberg.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Norbeck, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Clark's amendment was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Clark to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 10, line 24,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAR. 7, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On February 28, 1935:

S. J. Res. 49. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington, D. C., 1935 Shrine Committee, Inc., and for other purposes.

On March 4, 1935:

S. 31. An act to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff, and

S. 402. An act to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INVESTIGATION OF PETROLEUM PRICES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, stating that, under a law enacted by Congress, the Commis-

sion was prohibited from making an investigation of petroleum prices, as directed by Senate Resolution 339, Seventy-third Congress, and enclosing certain general information on the subject.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying document, lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as follows:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the passage of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of citizens of the State of Minnesota praying the enactment of legislation providing penalties to those seeking or planning the overthrow of the Government by force or violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Keystone Post No. 449, American Legion, of Central City, Pa., remonstrating against the activities of the soviet in the United States; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the West Warwick (R. I.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation extending preferential freight rates or other favors to any part of the country to the exclusion of other sections; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted at Orange, Tex., by the Old Age Pension Association and petitions of William Blackman, of Chance, Va., and Elizabeth Rodolph, of Tyler, Ala., praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of the charges brought against Senators Huey P. Long and John Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

Resolutions adopted by various common councils of cities in the United States favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; and

A telegram from the Electrical Workers Union No. 41, of Buffalo, N. Y., favoring the passage of the so-called "McCarran amendment" requiring the payment of prevailing wages in the expenditure of appropriations for public works relief purposes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented the following petitions:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring an extension of the powers of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation in order to liquidate tax indebtedness; and

A resolution adopted by the City Council of East Orange, N. J., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented a telegram from the Marshall County Farmers Union, of Frankfort, and a petition of Eureka Local No. 2207, Farmers' Educational and Cooperative Union, of Eureka, in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Buffalo (N. Y.) Lumber Exchange favoring the suspension of the tariff on rough lumber entering the United States from contiguous countries; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of members of the Onondaga Philatelic Society of Syracuse, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation permitting the publication or printing of facsimiles of United States postage stamps; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Norbeck presented a petition of citizens of the State of South Dakota praying the enactment of legislation providing for the expulsion of alien agitators and communists; which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Robinson presented the following resolutions:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas favoring the passage of appropriations for public works relief purposes without the so-called "McCarran amendment" providing for the payment of prevailing wages on such public works; and

A resolution adopted by Aerie No. 209 of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Pine Bluff, Ark., favoring the passage of legislation providing appropriations for emergency relief public works.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, memorials, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Massachusetts Potato & Onion Growers Association remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a tax on potatoes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Memorials of citizens of Lee and employees of Skinner & Sherman, Inc., of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the publication of individual income-tax returns;

Petitions of American Legion Auxiliary Unit 16, William E. Carter Post, of Boston, Mass., and citizens of Lynn, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the passage of such legislation;

A memorial of citizens of Adams, Mass., remonstrating against a revision of the textile code of the National Industrial Recovery Administration to provide for a 48-hour working week; and

A petition of the department of government and economic welfare of the Massachusetts League of Women Voters praying the enactment of legislation providing for the inclusion of minimum standards in unemployment insurance; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of the Gloucester Chamber of Commerce and of numerous citizens of the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of the Polish Army Veterans' Association of America, Post No. 76, of Haverhill, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for an extension of time for the naturalization of alien veterans of the World War; and

A resolution adopted by the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, favoring a limitation of war profits; and

A memorial of the Peace Action Council of the Community Church, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against large appropriations for military and naval purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the National Restaurant Association, of Chicago, Ill., remonstrating against the competition of Government restaurants; to the Committee on Rules.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of Local Union No. 2419, American Weavers, of Farnumsville, Mass., praying the adoption of an amendment to legislation for public-works relief providing for the payment of prevailing wages on such public works.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1099) for the relief of Ethel G. Remington, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 272) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1290) for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 273) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1431) for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 276) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1548) for the relief of Douglas B. Espy, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 274) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1073) for the relief of Louis Finger, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 275) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2177) granting a pension to Samuel G. Davis; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 2178) to provide relief to depositors in closed national banks; to promote resumption of industrial activity, increase employment, and restore confidence by fulfillment of the implied guaranty by the United States Government of deposit safety in national banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2179) for the relief of the Hellenic Transatlantic Steam Navigation Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2180) granting a pension to Helena F. Joy; and

A bill (S. 2181) granting a pension to Libbie T. Marrah; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 2182) for the relief of Paul Winters York; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2183) to amend "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Walsh (by request):

A bill (S. 2184) to protect and preserve an essential domestic industry, operating under the provisions of the National Industrial Recovery Act, from the destructive competition of Philippine manufactured products; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2185) to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 2186) to repeal restrictions upon the tenure of the Comptroller General; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 2187) for the relief of the Consolidated Holding & Trust Co.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 78) for the preservation and restoration of the frigate *Constellation* as a national museum and making Newport, R. I., its home port; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 11), which was referred to the Committee on the Library:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That for the purpose of holding memorial services in honor of the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes the two Houses of Congress shall assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives at a time to be fixed by the joint committee hereinafter named.

That a joint committee consisting of five Members of the House of Representatives and five Members of the Senate shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate, respectively, which is empowered to make suitable arrangements for fitting and proper exercises for the joint session of Congress herein authorized.

That invitations to attend the exercises be extended to the President of the United States of America and the members of his Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the diplomatic corps (through the Secretary of State), the General of the Armies, the Chief of Staff of the Army, the Chief of Naval Operations, the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps, and the Commandant of the Coast Guard, and such other persons as the joint committee on arrangements shall deem proper.

That the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States is hereby invited to address the American people at the joint session of the Congress in commemoration of the life and services of the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 96), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Pensions, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized to sit during the sessions, recesses, and adjourned periods of the Seventy-fourth Congress at such times and places as it may deem advisable, and to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate.

RECEIVERSHIP AND BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS IN UNITED STATES COURTS

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 97), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the special committee authorized by Resolution No. 78, Seventy-third Congress, to make an investigation of the administration of receivership and bankruptcy proceedings in the courts of the United States, and other matters pertaining thereto, and continued in full force and effect by Resolution No. 72, Seventy-fourth Congress, hereby is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate the sum of $25,000 in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for said purposes.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Clark to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 10, line 24,

Pending debate,

Mr. Clark withdrew his motion to reconsider.

Pending further debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson,

Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the bill by striking out all after the sum "$51,069,333" on lines 21 and 22, page 10, down to and including the word "men" on page 11, line 4, as amended,

Pending debate,

Mr. McGill raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murphy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Clark's motion, viz, strike out beginning in line 22, on page 10, down to page 11, in line 4, the following:

", together with such additional sums as may be necessary under this and other appropriations contained in this act to defray the cost of increasing the enlisted strength of the Regular Army from an average of one hundred and eighteen thousand seven hundred and fifty to an average of one hundred and sixty-five thousand enlisted men",

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 26 / Nays 56}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Frazier, Glass, Hatch, King, La Follette, McKellar, Murphy, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Shipstead, and Vandenberg.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Bulkley, Burke, Carey, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Clark's motion was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Clark to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 10, striking out, beginning in line 24, down to line 1, on page 11, the following:

", at the discretion of the President and in such increments as he may deem necessary from time to time."

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 32 / Nays 50}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Cutting, Donahey, Frazier, Gore, Guffey, Hatch, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, and Vandenberg.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, McAdoo, McCarran, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Truman, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Clark's motion to reconsider was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland (for Mr. Tydings).

On motion by Mr. Frazier to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 58, at the end of line 24, the following:

Provided further, That none of the funds appropriated in this act shall be used for or toward the support of any compulsory military course or military training in any civil school or college, or for the pay of any officer, enlisted man, or employee at any civil school or college where a military course or military training is compulsory, but nothing herein shall be construed as applying to essentially military schools or colleges.

Pending debate,

Mr. Copeland raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment changed existing law, and was therefore not in order under rule XVI.

The Vice President, in the following language, overruled the point of order:

Regardless of whether the law is as stated by the Senator from New York [Mr. COPELAND] or as contended by the Senator from North Dakota [Mr. FRAZIER], the Senate has the right to place a limitation on any appropriation contained in the bill. It has a right to put a limitation in the bill that no land-grant college shall receive any part of this money if it does not have a 20-story building. In other words, there is no rule of which the Chair is aware in any parliamentary body, this or any other, which prevents a limitation of any kind on any kind of an appropriation. The Chair overrules the point of order.

Pending debate,

Mr. Frazier raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Frazier's amendment was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

The vote disagreeing to the amendment proposed by him on page 10, lines 22 and 23, was reconsidered; and

The amendment was then agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland.

Pending debate,

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That following the disposition of the War Department appropriation bill, H. R. 5913, the Senate proceed to the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes,

On motion by Mr. Copeland to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Harrison's amendment, inserting on page 50, line 3, a provision relative to an air squadron for the State of Mississippi,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 15), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That for the purpose of holding memorial services in honor of the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, the two Houses of Congress shall assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives at a time to be fixed by the representatives of the Senate and House of Representatives in charge thereof.

That a joint committee consisting of five Members of the House of Representatives and five Members of the Senate shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate, respectively, which is empowered to make suitable arrangements for fitting and proper exercises for the joint session of Congress herein authorized.

That invitations to attend the exercises be extended to the President of the United States of America and the members of his Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Diplomatic Corps (through the Secretary of State), the General of the Armies, the Chief of Staff of the Army, the Chief of Naval Operations, the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps, and the Commandant of the Coast Guard, and such other persons as the joint committee on arrangements shall deem proper.

That the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States is hereby invited to address the American people at the joint session of the Congress in commemoration of the life and services of the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 2881) authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On March 2, 1935:

H. R. 3982. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River between Rockport, Ind., and Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 4983. An act to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forrest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 5701. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Indiana to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Wabash River at or near La Fayette, Ind.

On March 4, 1935:

H. R. 3373. An act for the relief of Anna E. Carrigan; and

H. J. Res. 140. Joint resolution to provide for the completion of the publication of the writings of George Washington.

On March 5, 1935:

H. R. 529. An act granting compensation to George S. Conway, Jr.

On March 6, 1935:

H. R. 3464. An act to amend certain sections of the code of law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to descent and distribution.

On March 7, 1935:

H. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; authorizing an appropriation therefor; and for other purposes.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bill H. R. 2881, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 15) for the holding of memorial services in honor of the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was referred to the Committee on the Library.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monroe, N. Y., favoring the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of citizens of Laurinburg, N. C., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Blue Island, Ill., and the Town Council of the Borough of Rochester, Pa., favoring

the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented the following concurrent resolutions of the State of New Jersey, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the taxation of any State or political subdivision, agency, or district thereof, operating public utilities; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Murray presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress for a grant of land containing a hot-water spring for the use and benefit of the State as an infantile paralysis sanatorium; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of members of the Fifty-seventh Branch of the Lithuanian Alliance of America, of Worcester, and citizens of Springfield, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

Memorials of the Massachusetts Women's Constitutional League and James C. Gray, of Boston, and citizens of Easthampton, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the publication of individual income-tax returns; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Massachusetts Women's Constitutional League, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against an investigation of religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of employees of the Morgan Construction Co., of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing 30 hours as a work week in the machine-building industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Pittman presented a telegram from the Governor of the State of Nevada, incorporating a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada endorsing the policy of the President in regard to an appropriation of $4,880,000,000 for relief purposes.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Connally presented a resolution adopted by Wichita (Tex.) Lodge No. 652, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, favoring a 6-hour day in the railway industry; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Long presented an affidavit of Albert Caya, of Washington, D. C.; a photostatic copy of a letter of F. A. Guiles, national bank examiner, dated August 12, 1933, addressed to the United States district attorney, Nashville, Tenn.; and a letter of himself to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, bearing on the investigation of James A. Farley, which were referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 875. A bill for the relief of Michael F. Calnan (Rept. No. 277); and

S. 881. A bill for the relief of Leo James McCoy (Rept. No. 278).

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2029) to authorize naval and marine corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 279) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5032) for the relief of the dependents of Carl Lindow, known also as "Carl Lindo", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 280) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 560. A bill for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 281); and

S. 908. A bill for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass. (Rept. No. 282).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1821) for the relief of Frank White and others, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 283) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1864) for the relief of the State of Nebraska, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 284) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 37) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and material men for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office and courthouse building at Rutland, Vt., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 285) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 82) to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 286) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1065) to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead entrymen, reported it with an amendment to the title and submitted a report (No. 287) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Capt. George Stainback Deaderick for appointment by transfer in the Regular Army and certain other nominations in the Regular Army, reported them favorably.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 2569) for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat, and that it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 2188) for the relief of the estate of Frank B. Niles, former collector of internal revenue; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2189) granting a pension to Jean L. Jadwin; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 2190) to provide public educational facilities for certain children where adequate educational facilities are lacking; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 2191) granting a pension to Francis K. Puckett (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2192) granting a pension to Marion Wells (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2193) to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2194) for the relief of Robert M. Foster; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2195) to amend section 8 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, by providing a system of crop insurance; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2196) to authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the blind, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2197) to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Bone and Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2198) to amend Public Law No. 383, Seventy-third Congress, relating to Indians, by exempting from the operation of certain sections thereof the Yakima Indian Tribe of the State of Washington; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 2199) relative to the reasonable regulation of competition; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 2200) for the refund of estate tax erroneously collected; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 2201) for the relief of William Leo Wurthmann; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 2202) to add certain lands to the Cache National Forest; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2203) to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Cutting:

A bill (S. 2204) to regulate the value of money in pursuance of article I, section 8, paragraph 5, of the Constitution of the United States; to create a Federal Monetary Authority; to provide an adequate and stable monetary system; to prevent bank failures; to prevent uncontrolled inflation; to prevent depressions; to provide a system to control the price of commodities and the purchasing power of money; to restore normal prosperity and assure its continuance; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2205) for the relief of Thomas F. Cooney; and

A bill (S. 2206) for the relief of the State of New Mexico; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2207) to establish in the Department of Agriculture a Soil Conservation Service to control flood waters affecting the navigability of streams, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 79) authorizing the President to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to J. Harold Arnold (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

ADMINISTRATION OF GOVERNMENT OF VIRGIN ISLANDS

Mr. Tydings (for himself, Mr. Metcalf, and Mr. Clark), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 98), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That a special committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the administration of the government of the Virgin Islands. The committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the results of its investigations, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Copelar.d's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Harrison on page 50, line 3, providing an air squadron for the State of Mississippi,

After debate,

Mr. Copeland's motion was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland.

Pending debate,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Neely in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Bone to further amend the bill by inserting on page 63, after line 5, the following:

The basic rates of pay upon which compensation is calculated for employees at the arsenals and elsewhere within the jurisdiction of the War Department in continental United States for all mechanics, workmen, helpers, and laborers shall be adjusted to not less than the basic rates provided for at the nearest navy yard covered by the "laborer, helper, and mechanical service" of the "Schedule of wages for civil employees under the Naval Establishment" for corresponding or similar trades and occupations specified therein: Provided, That the minimum and intermediate rates of pay provided for in the "laborer, helper, and mechanical service" of the "Schedule of wages for civil em-

ployees under the Naval Establishment" shall be confined to the first and second years of service, respectively, for all employees embraced within such schedule of wages after having served their four-year apprenticeship or its equivalent; and that all employees whose services would be satisfactory if employed or continued at the present rates of pay shall be regarded as satisfactory for any higher rate hereby accorded them: Provided further, That the schedule of wages for any establishment covered by this paragraph shall not be less than the schedule of wages in effect at the Philadelphia Navy Yard as hereby adjusted: Provided further, That nothing herein shall operate to reduce the pay of any employee.

Mr. Glass raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was legislation and not in order under rule XVI.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Byrd in the chair) sustained the point of order.

On motion by Mr. King to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to reduce the aggregate appropriations carried in the bill by the amount of $50,000,000,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. King's motion was not agreed to.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 68 / Nays---------- 15}

On motion by Mr. Nye,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bulow, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Frazier, King, La Follette, Long, Murray, Norris, Nye, Pope, and Shipstead.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

INVESTIGATION OF JAMES A. FARLEY

Mr. Long asked and obtained unanimous consent to have incorporated at the end of the preamble to the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley, pending before the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, the following:

Whereas it has been alleged that the said Farley has been connected with and the manager in charge of collection of money from employees of the United States for political purposes.

Mr. McKellar subsequently entered a motion to reconsider the action amending the preamble to the foregoing resolution.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate, pursuant to its order of the 7th instant, proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

Pending debate,

INVESTIGATION OF JAMES A. FARLEY

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley, reported it adversely and submitted a report (No. 288) thereon.

Mr. La Follette presented the minority views of himself, Mr. Barbour, and Mr. Gibson.

Mr. Frazier presented additional minority views of himself and Mr. Schall.

Ordered, That the minority views presented by Mr. La Follette and Mr. Frazier, respectively, be printed in connection with the majority report.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

The Vice President, under the order of the Senate, referred to the appropriate committees certain nominations this day received from the President of the United States.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 16), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the action of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and of the President of the Senate in signing the enrolled bill (H. R. 330) entitled "An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota", be rescinded, and that in the reenrollment of the said bill the Clerk of the House of Representatives be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to make the following correction, namely: Strike out the words "de Sota" wherever they appear in said bill and title and insert in lieu thereof the words "de Soto."

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, March 8, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

REENROLLMENT OF H. R. 330

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 16) rescinding the action of the Vice President and Speaker in signing the enrolled bill (H. R. 330) entitled "An act for the relief of Sophie de Sota", this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide for a code of fair competition for the farmer, to establish the cost of production to farmers, and to provide for a reasonable profit on their investments;

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Kentucky, a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, and resolutions adopted by the executive committee and members of the Farmers' Holiday Association, New Mexico division, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; and

Concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota, as follows:

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to cancel all feed and seed loans made by the Government to farmers living in drought districts, to establish a national moratorium for 2 years with respect to debts financed by Government credit, and favoring an investigation into emergency relief distribution and allocation of funds to the States; and

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to establish prices on major farm products that will insure cost of production to farmers plus a reasonable profit; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the imposition of a tax upon any State or political subdivision thereof operating a public utility;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota memorializing Congress to grant consent to taxation by the several States of certain interstate sales;

A resolution adopted by Datus E. Coon Corps, No. 84, W. R. C., of San Diego, Calif., favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A communication from the commander of Westmoreland County Council, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Derry, Pa., transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Borough of Derry, Pa., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

Joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, as follows:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to reduce the excise tax on intoxicating liquors and beer and other fermented malt beverages; and

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact an adequate old-age pension law; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring, and

A resolution adopted by the Leland (Miss.) Junior Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Ministers' Association of Hornell, N. Y., and vicinity, favoring the nationalization of the manufacture and sale of arms, munitions, and means of warfare, universal conscription, and the outlawing of war, and remonstrating against proposed naval activities in the Pacific; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas approving the policies of the national administration in regard to public utilities; and

A petition of the Ministers' Alliance of Springfield, Mo., praying the enactment of legislation prohibiting the transportation in interstate commerce of advertisements of intoxicating liquors; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for Federal aid to high schools; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of citizens of various States praying an investigation of charges filed by the Women's Committee of Louisiana against Senators Huey P. Long and John H. Overton, of Louisiana; and

A communication from the chairman of the Jackson Democratic Club, of New Orleans, La., with an accompanying "open letter", relative to acts of Senator Huey P. Long; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and communication:

Resolutions adopted by city councils in various States favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; and

A communication from members of the Grayson (La.) Share Our Wealth Society denying an alleged dictatorship over the government of Louisiana by Huey P. Long, Senator from that State, in direct opposition to the wishes of a majority of the people of the State.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Metcalf presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island favoring the enactment of legislation repealing the requiring of publicity of income-tax returns; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Murray presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring the enactment of legislation requiring that granite and natural stone be used in the construction of public buildings erected under the Public

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Works program; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the Cowley County Farmers' Union, of Winfield, Kans., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness, lower rates of interest for financing farm loans, and the cost of production to farmers plus a reasonable profit; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Pope presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho; which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial favoring an increased appropriation for the Bureau of Mines; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Maloney presented a resolution adopted at a meeting at Bridgeport, Conn., by people principally of Russian birth and origin remonstrating against a continuance of alleged executions by Soviet Russia; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Maloney presented resolutions adopted by the Council of the Town of East Hartford and Group No. 1691 of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Moosup, in the State of Connecticut, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Pittman presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress not to repeal the long- and short-haul clause of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation continuing for the grazing season of 1935 the 50-percent reduction in national forest grazing-fee charges as granted for 1932, based upon the charges in effect for 1931, and a rearrangement of forest grazing-fee schedules in keeping with the heavy decline in livestock values; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide for a code of fair competition for the farmer, to establish the cost of production to farmers, and to provide for a reasonable profit on their investments; and

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for Federal aid to high schools; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to reduce the excise tax on intoxicating liquors and beer and other fermented malt beverages; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Borah presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Shipstead presented a resolution adopted by the County Board of Lincoln County, Minn., favoring a more adequate means of refinancing farm indebtedness, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Lodge No. 108, International Association of Machinists, of Quincy, and Branch Lynn, No. 28, Polish Workmen's Aid Fund, Inc., of West Lynn, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for majority rule in collective bargaining, the outlawry of company-promoted unions, and the establishment of the National Labor Relations Board on an independent basis, with jurisdiction over all cases arising under section 7a of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Fifty-fifth Artillery Veterans' Association at Providence, R. I., urging that the causative factor be eliminated from veterans' regulations;

A memorial of Harold A. Daley, of Hamilton, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A memorial of the legislative committee of the Chicopee (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against publicity of income-tax returns; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of citizens of Worcester County, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the repeal of the so-called "Wheeler-Howard Act" relating to the welfare of Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A memorial of the Catholic Woman's Club, of Fall River, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation relating to birth control; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution adopted at Washington, D. C., by the National Council on Schoolhouse Construction urging an increase of appropriations for the Public Works Administration to permit more extensive construction of schoolhouses.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 340) for the relief of Louis Zagata, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 290) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2678) for the relief of Carl L. Bernau, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 291) thereon.

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 292) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2205) for the relief of Thomas F. Cooney, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 293) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2119) for the relief of Amos D. Carver, S. E. Turner, Clifford N. Carver, Scott Blanchard, P. B. Blanchard, James B. Parse, A. N. Blanchard, and W. A. Blanchard, and/or the widows of such of them as may be deceased, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 294) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1855. A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing H. C. Brenner Realty & Finance Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Cherokee and Osage Streets, St. Louis, Mo.", approved February 13, 1931 (Rept. No. 295); and

S. 1987. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr. (Rept. No. 296).

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1410) for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 297) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1162) to regulate the business of making small loans in the District of Columbia, and to amend an act to regulate the business of loaning money, etc., approved February 4, 1913, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 298) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills and joint resolution, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 83. An act to provide for the conservation and settlement of estates of absentees and absconders in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 299);

H. R. 4538. An act to change the designation of Leffler Place to Second Place (Rept. No. 300); and

H. J. Res. 134. Joint resolution to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed 9 additional months, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses (Rept. No. 301).

Mr. Reynolds, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3477) relating to the incorporation of Trinity College of Washington, D. C., organized under and by virtue of a certificate of incorporation pursuant to the incorporation laws of the District of Columbia, as provided in subchapter 1 of chapter 18 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 302) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1024) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 303) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2208) for the relief of David J. Pritchard; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2209) to protect American labor and to preserve an essential American industry; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2210) granting an increase of pension to Missouri E. Griffith; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 2211) to regulate and maintain an open market for the sale of goods in interstate commerce, to supplement existing laws against combinations in restraint of trade and discrimination in prices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2212) to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. by means of an overhead bridge to cross New York Avenue NE., to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial side tracks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2213) to define the exterior boundaries of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2214) conferring jurisdiction on United States District Courts over Osage Indian drug and liquor addicts; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2215) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2216) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y.; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2217) for the relief of John Fleckstein; and

A bill (S. 2218) for the relief of Elsie Segar; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2219) for the relief of Lt. D. A. Neumann, Pay Corps, United States Naval Reserve Force; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2220) consolidating the post office in the county of Queens, N. Y.; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2221) granting an increase of pension to Bjarne Birkeland; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barkley:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 80) authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 81) authorizing the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Vermont to enter into a certain agreement; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 82) authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on the Library.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Mrs. Leonard Theodore Boice; Borough of Brooklawn, N. J.; Thomas F. Cooney; Robert M. Foster; Hellenic Transatlantic Steam Navigation Co.; George C. Mansfield Co.; Preston Brooks Massey; Grant A. McNeal; New Mexico, State of; and Frank B. Niles; to the Committee on Claims.

Estate tax, refunds; to the Committee on Finance.

Fort Peck irrigation project, Montana; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Tony Woodick; and Paul Winters York; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Rufus M. Barnes; Jean L. Jadwin; William G. Madden; Libbie T. Marrah; Thomas N. Pray; Lora Kizer Russell; Lou Sutton; Tekitskush, Susie Wichita; and D. H. Waide; to the Committee on Pensions.

LIMITATION OF DEBATE

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 99), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That paragraph numbered 1 of rule XIX of the Standing Rules of the Senate (relating to debate) be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding after the word "debate", at the end of said paragraph, the following:

: Provided, That during the consideration of any general appropriation bill, no debate, except by unanimous consent, shall be in order that is not germane or relevant to the pending bill. All questions of germaneness, relevancy, or points of order raised under this proviso, including appeals from the decision of the Chair thereon, shall be decided without debate.

FROZEN SWORDFISH

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 100), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission be, and hereby is, requested to complete, as soon as practicable, and report to the President upon its investigation under section 359 of the Tariff Act of 1930 with respect to frozen swordfish.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, beginning in line 3,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White,

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Oliver, Mr. McMillan, and Mr. Bacon managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it asks for a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Parks, Mr. Blanton, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Snyder of Pennsylvania, Mr. Dockweiler, Mr. Bolton, and Mr. Powers managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 330, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Copeland, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENTS OF STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE, AND LABOR

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Department of State and Justice and for the Judiciary and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. McKellar, Mr. Russell, Mr. Pittman, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Nye.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 330) for the relief of Sophie de Soto.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ALLOCATIONS FOR PROJECTS FROM N. R. A. FUNDS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Ashurst in the chair) laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 91, agreed to March 6, 1935, a report of allocations, obligations, disbursements, unexpended balances, and certain other data relating to projects for which allocations were made out of the appropriation of $3,300,000,000 authorized in the National Industrial Recovery Act, and stating that the memoranda and agreements called for in paragraph "Seventh" would be later transmitted to the Senate.

Ordered, That the communication, with the accompanying report, lie on the table.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, beginning in line 3,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

TUNA FISH INDUSTRY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 159, Seventy-third Congress, a report of an investigation with respect to the employment of crews in foreign ports for temporary service on United States fishing vessels, including the practice of dispatching United States fishing vessels with so-called "skeleton crews"; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

CLAIMS OF INDIVIDUAL SIOUX INDIANS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to claims of individual Indians enrolled at the various Sioux agencies for loss of personal property and failure to receive allotments of land to which the applicants were entitled; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

I am transmitting to you herewith a report submitted to me by the National Power Policy Committee. I named this committee last summer from among the departments of the Government concerned with power problems to make a series of reports to coordinate Government policy on such problems. This report I am submitting to you is the recommendation of the committee with respect to the treatment of holding companies in the public-utility field. It deserves the careful attention of every Member of the Congress.

The so-called "public utility holding company bill" (title I of House bill 5423 and of Senate bill 1725), which was drafted under the direction of congressional leaders, incorporates many of the recommendations of this report.

I have been watching with great interest the fight being waged against public utility holding company legislation. I have watched the use of investors' money to make the investor believe that the efforts of Government to protect him are designed to defraud him. I have seen much of the propaganda prepared against such legislation—even down to mimeographed sheets of instructions for propaganda to exploit the most far-fetched and fallacious fears. I have seen enough to be as unimpressed by it as I was by the similar effort to stir up the country against the securities exchange bill last spring. The Securities Exchange Act is now generally accepted as a constructive measure, and I feel confident that any fears now entertained in regard to proposed utility holding company legislation will prove as groundless as those last spring in the case of the Securities Exchange Act.

So much has been said through chain letters and circulars and by word of mouth that misrepresents the intent and purpose of a new law that it is important that the people of the country understand once and for all the actual facts of the case. Such a measure will not destroy legitimate business or wholesome and productive investment. It will not destroy a penny of actual value of those operating properties which holding companies now control and which holding-company securities represent insofar as they have any value. On the contrary, it will surround the necessary reorganization of the holding company with safeguards which will in fact protect the investor.

We seek to establish the sound principle that the utility holding company, so long as it is permitted to continue, should not profit from dealings with subsidiaries and affiliates where there is no semblance of actual bargaining to get the best value and the best price. If a management company is equipped to offer a genuinely economic management service to the smaller operating utility companies, it ought not to own stock in the companies it manages, and its fees ought to be reasonable. The holding company should not be permitted to establish a sphere or influence from which independent engineering, construction, and other private enterprise is excluded by a none too benevolent private paternalism. If a management company is controlled by related operating companies, it should be organized on a truly mutual and cooperative basis and should be required to perform its services at actual cost demonstrably lower than the services can be obtained in a free and open market.

We do not seek to prevent the legitimate diversification of investment in operating utility companies by legitimate investment companies. But the holding company in the past has confused the function of control and management with that of investment and in consequence has more frequently than not failed in both functions. Possibly some holding companies may be able to divest themselves of the control of their present subsidiaries and become investment trusts. But an investment company ceases to be an investment company when it embarks into business and management. Investment judgment requires the judicial appraisal of other people's management.

The disappearance at the end of 5 years of those utility holding companies which cannot justify themselves as necessary for the functioning of the operating utility companies of the country is an objective which congressional leaders I have consulted deem essential to a realistic and far-sighted treatment of the evils of public utility holding companies. For practical reasons we should offer a chance of survival to those holding companies which can prove to the Securities and Exchange Commission that their existence is necessary for the achievement of the public ends which private utility companies are supposed to serve. For such companies, and during the interim period for other companies, the proposal for a comprehensive plan of public regulation and control is sound.

But where the utility holding company does not perform a demonstrably useful and necessary function in the operating industry and is used simply as a means of financial control, it is idle to talk of the continuance of holding companies on the assumption that regulation can protect the public against them. Regulation has small chance of ultimate success against the kind of concentrated wealth and economic power which holding companies have shown the ability to acquire in the utility field. No Government effort can be expected to carry out effective, continuous, and intricate regulation

of the kind of private empires within the Nation which the holding-company device has proved capable of creating.

Except where it is absolutely necessary to the continued functioning of a geographically integrated operating utility system, the utility holding company with its present powers must go. If we could remake our financial history in the light of experience, certainly we would have none of this holding-company business. It is a device which does not belong to our American traditions of law and business. It is only a comparatively late innovation. It dates definitely from the same unfortunate period which marked the beginnings of a host of other laxities in our corporate law which have brought us to our present disgraceful condition of competitive charter mongering between our States. And it offers too well-demonstrated temptation to and facility for abuse to be tolerated as a recognized business institution. That temptation and that facility are inherent in its very nature. It is a corporate invention which can give a few corporate insiders unwarranted and intolerable powers over other people's money. In its destruction of local control and its substitution of absentee management it has built up in the public-utility field what has justly been called a system of private socialism which is inimical to the welfare of a free people.

Most of us agree that we should take the control and the benefits of the essentially local operating utility industry out of a few financial centers and give back that control and those benefits to the localities which produce the business and create the wealth. We can properly favor economically independent business, which stands on its own feet and diffuses power and responsibility among the many, and frowns upon those holding companies which through interlocking directorates and other devices have given tyrannical power and exclusive opportunity to a favored few. It is time to make an effort to reverse that process of the concentration of power which has made most American citizens, once traditionally independent owners of their own businesses, helplessly dependent for their daily bread upon the favor of a very few, who, by devices such as holding companies, have taken for themselves unwarranted economic power. I am against private socialism of concentrated private power as thoroughly as I am against government socialism. The one is equally as dangerous as the other; and destruction of private socialism is utterly essential to avoid governmental socialism.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 12, 1935.*

INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL COMMITTEE OF AERIAL LEGAL EXPERTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State to the end that Public Resolution 118, Seventy-first Congress, be amended so as to authorize an annual appropriation to pay the pro rata share of the United States in the expenses of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and to authorize an annual appropriation in the sum of $6,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the expenses of participation by the Government of the United States in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and/or of the commissions established by that Committee.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 12, 1935.*

REPORT OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with the requirements of section 6, of the Trading with the Enemy Act, I transmit herewith, for the information of the Congress, the final report of the Alien Property Custodian on proceedings had under the Trading with the Enemy Act.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 12, 1935.*

(NOTE.—Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Kansas favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of travel pay to certain Spanish-American War veterans; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of several States praying an investigation of charges filed by the Women's Committee of Louisiana against Senators Long and Overton; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii favoring the enactment of legislation providing funds for the establishment in Hawaii of a home for the Territory as a branch of the National Military Homes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the passage of antilynching legislation;

Petitions of citizens of the State of Indiana praying the enactment of legislation providing penalties to those who seek or plan the overthrow of the Government by force or violence; and

A resolution adopted by the Yuba-Sutter Bar Association, of the State of California, favoring the enactment of legislation providing a fifth circuit judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Iowa favoring a liberalization of the rules and regulations of the Federal Land Bank of Omaha, Nebr., for the relief of owners of Iowa farm lands;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide an embargo on certain farm products and favoring the repeal of the law permitting wheat to be milled in bond;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas and resolutions adopted by three locals of the Farmers' Union of Hettinger County, N. Dak., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation to reestablish the issuing of money as a monopoly of government and to establish a system of Government banks exclusively owned, to provide a bank system for the people at cost; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the extension of the benefits of the act insuring deposits in banking institutions to Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Indiana memorializing Congress to extend to the States the privilege of imposing a nondiscriminatory tax upon retail sales in interstate commerce; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota urging the enactment of legislation empowering the several States to tax sales and gross income arising from interstate commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho urging the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts, and resolutions adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the city of Camden, N. J., and McFarland Post, No. 9, American Legion, Department of Colorado, of La Junta, Colo., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring the enactment of legislation to control the spread of prune thrips; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Montana memorializing Congress to enact legislation requiring the use of granite and natural stone in the construction of buildings under the public-works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska urging the prompt passage of appropriations of $4,880,000,000 for relief purposes;

A telegram from the Speaker of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico favoring the passage of the said appropriations and the establishment of a rehabilitation plan in Puerto Rico; and

Resolutions of various city councils in the United States favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Pittman presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring an appropriation of $27,000 to the Clark County (Nev.) School Board for school purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A joint resolution favoring an abrogation of the requirement of the Bureau of Public Roads authorizing contractors to be the sole judge of the qualifications of employees using heavy equipment on highway construction and favoring the employment of citizens of the State only wherein said work is being performed; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Reynolds presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the Government grading of tobacco; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Maloney presented a resolution adopted by group no. 513 of the Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Wallingford, Conn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Geneva (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against certain proposed amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Resolutions adopted by parent-teachers associations of the village of Chester, Greenwood Lake, and Rochester, in the State of New York, favoring the establishment of a national film institute in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the United Taxpayers of Long Beach, N. Y., remonstrating against extending the power of the Federal Government to tax such commodities as gasoline; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Monroe County, N. Y., favoring the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of citizens of Rochester, N. Y., praying the repeal of the so-called "Wheeler-Howard Act" relating to the welfare of Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Town Hall Club, of New York State, favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Ministers' Association of Hornell, N. Y., and vicinity favoring the enactment of legislation to nationalize the manufacture and sale of all arms and munitions and means of warfare, to conscript wealth as well as life in the event of war, and to outlaw war, and remonstrating against proposed naval activities in the Pacific; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Executive Council of the Sons of Ireland in America, Inc., of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative postage stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the passage of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Western Maryland Section of the Holy Name Society of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, and the Holy Name Society of Sacred Heart Parish, of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; and

A resolution adopted by the Baltimore Preachers' Meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 70, relating to persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Coal Control Association of Georges Creek and Upper Potomac, in the State of Maryland, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing 6 hours per day and 30 hours per week in the bituminous-coal industry;

Petitions of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the publication at Government expense of the testimony before the Broadcast Division, Federal Communications Commission, relating to the broadcasting of programs of public interest, convenience, and necessity, together with the report of the Commission; and

Memorials of citizens of the State of Maryland remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of Branch Lowell, No. 60, Polish Workmen's Aid Fund, Inc., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for majority rule in collective bargaining, the outlawry of company promoted unions, and the establishment of the National Labor Relations Board on an independent basis, with jurisdiction over all cases arising under section 7a of the National Industrial Act; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of Curtis Guild Post, No. 1538, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Chelsea, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of citizens of East Bridgewater and Bridgewater, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the passage of said legislation;

A petition of citizens of Fitchburg, Mass., praying the repeal of the requirement of publicity of income-tax returns; and

A petition of the Orange Townsend Club No. 1, of Orange, Mass., and a petition of citizens of Los Angeles, Calif., praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of Beverly, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Lithuanian Parish, of Lowell, Mass., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of disabled veterans of the Veterans' Facility Home, of Togus, Maine, praying the enactment of legisla-

tion granting the free use of the mails during the period of their domiciliary care and hospitalization in national homes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 538) for the relief of H. Kaminski & Co., Kaminski Hardware Co., and the Carolina Hardware Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 307) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 509) to prevent the use of Federal official patronage in elections and to prohibit Federal officeholders from misuse of positions of public trust for private and partisan ends, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 93. A bill to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths (Rept. No. 304);

S. 1210. A bill authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths (Rept. No. 305); and

S. 1606. A bill to prohibit the unauthorized wearing, manufacture, or sale of medals and badges issued by the Navy Department (Rept. No. 306).

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 613) to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 308) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 380. A bill to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah (Rept. No. 309);

S. 612. A bill for the benefit of the Omaha and Winnebago Indians of Nebraska (Rept. No. 310);

S. 654. A bill authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands (Rept. No. 311);

S. 1142. A bill to reserve certain public-domain lands in Nevada and Oregon as a grazing reserve for Indians of Fort McDermitt, Nev. (Rept. No. 312);

S. 1498. A bill for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin (Rept. No. 313);

S. 1499. A bill for the relief of Robert J. Enochs (Rept. No. 314);

S. 1502. A bill for the relief of Charles L. Graves (Rept. No. 315);

S. 1520. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett (Rept. No. 316); and

S. 1814. A bill to authorize the creation of an Indian village within the Shoalwater Indian Reservation, Wash., and for other purposes (Rept. No. 317).

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1831) transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 318) thereon.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1942) to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 319) thereon.

Mr. Pope, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1476) to provide for unemployment relief through development of mineral resources; to assist the development of privately owned mineral claims; to provide for the development of emergency and deficiency minerals; and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 320) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2222) granting a pension to Jane A. Britton, helpless and dependent child; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2223) to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2224) making it unlawful for jurors who have served in criminal trials to move or travel in interstate or foreign commerce to give a public performance for profit involving the giving of information as to what transpired at such trial; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2225) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2226) for the relief of David J. Pritchard; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2227) for the relief of John T. Armstrong; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 2228) to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges and agricultural experiment stations; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 2229) for the relief of Nellie S. Barbee; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2230) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2231) prohibiting homestead entry on certain public lands; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2232) to terminate certain foreign trade agreements and to terminate the authority to enter into them; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 2233) to provide for the bonding of Federal officials and employees; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON AVIATION AND RADIO

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 101), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate be, and the same is hereby, amended by inserting on page 30, after the seventh line of paragraph 1, the following:

Committee on Aviation and Radio, to consist of fifteen Senators.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6359, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, beginning in line 3,

After debate,

The amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 2, beginning in line 2, was also agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Costigan, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, beginning in line 3, was reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Costigan to amend the part proposed to be inserted by inserting on page 1, line 8, after the word "relief" where it occurs the second time, the following: *and, with a view to reducing and relieving unemployment to provide for the construction of useful public works,*

Pending debate,

Mr. Costigan raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Costigan's amendment,

It was determined in the negative, [Yeas 32, Nays 56]

On motion by Mr. Costigan,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Capper, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Duffy, Frazier, Hatch, Johnson, King, La Follette, Long, McCarran, McGill, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Norbeck, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, and Walsh.

So Mr. Costigan's amendment was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the reported amendment,

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, inserting on page 3, line 5, after "22)" a provision allocating specific amounts for certain classes of projects,

Pending debate,

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes, the motion of Mr. McCarran, and the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

On motion by Mr. Long to further amend the said amendment by inserting on page 3, at the end of line 18, the following:

For affording funds to colleges and universities to advance to students needing and desiring financial assistance to pay costs and living expenses necessary for college courses and study at or in such colleges and universities, $1,000,000,000.

It was determined in the negative, [Yeas 5, Nays 75]

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Frazier, Long, Norbeck, Schall, and Thomas of Oklahoma.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Long's amendment was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Steiwer.

The question recurring on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Pending debate,

ORDER OF BUSINESS ON TOMORROW

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That following the conclusion of routine morning business on tomorrow the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for other purposes; and if said bill be disposed of prior to 2 o'clock p. m., the Senate, during the remainder of the morning hour, shall consider unobjected bills on the calendar.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 6 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage

relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6021, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency .

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Jefferson-Fairview Business Association, of Detroit, Mich., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by Emil Zola Young Civic Club, of New York City, and the East New York Branch, American League Against War and Fascism, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of any legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and the further suppression of civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a memorial of Harry Gobourne, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of prevailing wages on work-relief projects.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to create a national park area in the North Platte Valley extending from Bridgeport, Nebr., to and including Guernsey Lake, Wyo., and to acquire such historic landmarks, sites, and structures as are pertinent to the history of the Oregon, Mormon, and California Trails, including Old Fort Laramie, and to maintain it as a historical museum; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to pass the joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes as submitted.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Murphy presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Iowa favoring loans from Federal land banks at 3 percent interest and the refinancing of farm mortgages at a rate of interest to place them on a parity with other industries; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A petition of members of General Henry W. Lawton Camp, No. 11, Department of Massachusetts, United Spanish War Veterans, of Springfield, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation to restore pension rights to Spanish War Veterans; and

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against publicity of income-tax returns; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Peabody Branch No. 215, Polish Workmen's Aid Fund, Inc., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for majority rule in collective bargaining, the outlawry of company-promoted unions, and the establishment of the National Labor Relations Board on an independent basis, with jurisdiction over all cases arising under section 7a of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A communication from Chas. F. Adams, of Boston, Mass., relative to increases in prices of foodstuffs; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Frazier, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1414) for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 321) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income, reported it without amendment.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Barbour, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Commerce be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2140) for the relief of certain purchasers of land in the borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey, and that it be referred to the Committee on Claims.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2234) granting an increase of pension to Alfred G. J. Peterson (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2235) granting a pension to Nellie Minerva Woodward (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2236) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 2237) for the relief of Mary E. Stout; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2238) for the relief of Adele Lade Veze; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2239) for the relief of Thomas I. Dickson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bilbo:

A bill (S. 2240) for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2241) to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2242) for the relief of Luther D. Hanna; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler (by request):

A bill (S. 2243) relating to the allocation of radio facilities; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2244) granting a pension to Bertram B. Brown; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2245) to relieve unemployment in mining districts, increase the monetary gold and silver reserve of the United States, and to develop strategic, deficiency, and noncompetitive mineral resources of the Nation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 83) to provide for an increase in the size of the Federal building being constructed at Hugo, Okla.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

PROPAGANDA AFFECTING HOLDING COMPANIES

Mr. Norris submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 12), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Federal Trade Commission be, and it is hereby, directed to make an investigation and report its conclusions to the Congress as to the propaganda which is now going on over the Nation regarding Federal legislation on the subject of holding companies, and to inform the Congress the origin, magnitude, purpose, methods, and expense of said propaganda.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

NOMINATION OF HUBERT D. STEPHENS

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate, as in executive session, the nomination of Hubert D. Stephens to be a director of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the President of the United States thereof.

RICE PRODUCTION AND PROCESSING

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, with respect to rice, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Smith, Mr. Bankhead, and Mr. Norris.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, in further pursuance of its order of yesterday, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills were thereupon considered; and no amendment was made:

S. 1850. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, as amended, by including Roger P. Ames among those honored by said act;

S. 1940. A bill to fix the value of subsistence and rental allowance under the Pay Readjustment Act of June 10, 1922;

S. 707. A bill to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters";

S. 365. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Elmer E. Miller;

S. 931. A bill for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.;

S. 1860. A bill for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.;

S. 1854. A bill giving jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Cherokee Fuel Co.;

S. 43. A bill for the relief of Lucille A. Abbey;

S. 712. A bill for the relief of A. H. Marshall; and

S. 391. A bill for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1135) for the relief of Alice F. Martin, widow, and two minor children; and

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 64) requesting the Department of Justice to investigate the advisability of redistricting the State of Michigan with reference to judicial districts; and the reported amendment inserting after the word "investigate" on page 2, line 2, the following: *, if such has not been done,* having been agreed to.

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1386) for the relief of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, husband and wife, both of McKinley Park, Alaska; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim, or claims, of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3266. An act authorizing the maintenance and use of a banking house upon the United States military reservation at Fort Lewis, Wash.;

H. R. 593. An act for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner; and

H. R. 426. An act for the relief of Jacob Santavy.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 935. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America;

S. 1055. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

S. 28. A bill for the relief of R. B. Miller;

S. 148. A bill for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright;

S. 1863. A bill for the relief of Trifune Korac;

S. 1079. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement;

S. 283. A bill for the relief of Beatrice I. Manges;

S. 1856. A bill for the relief of Arthur Smith;

S. 896. A bill for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

S. 906. A bill for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers;

S. 685. A bill for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co.; and

S. J. Res. 65. Joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived,

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate its unfinished business, viz, the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 5, as amended, inserting a provision allocating specific amounts for certain classes of projects,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope. Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Barbour.

On motion by Mr. Borah to further amend the reported amendment by inserting at the end thereof a provision prohibiting the use of any appropriations in the joint resolution for military or naval purposes,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Utah to amend Mr. Borah's amendment by inserting in lieu of the language therein contained certain other words,

Mr. Vandenberg raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment of Mr. Thomas of Utah was in the third degree and not in order.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) sustained the point of order.

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Borah withdrew his amendment.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Utah to further amend the said reported amendment by adding at the end thereof certain language,

Pending debate,

Mr. Thomas of Utah modified his amendment.

After debate,

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified, viz, on page 3, line 25, after the words "joint resolution", insert the following:

: And provided further, That no part of the appropriation made by this joint resolution shall be expended for munitions, warships, or military or naval matériel; but this proviso shall not be construed to prevent the use of such appropriation for improvements in military or naval reservations, posts, forts, camps, cemeteries, or fortified areas, or for projects for nonmilitary or nonnaval purposes in such places.

It was determined in the affirmative, | Yeas 71 | Nays 11

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bilbo, Copeland, Fletcher, Gerry, Hale, Johnson, McNary, Metcalf, Steiwer, Trammell, and Tydings.

So the amendment, as modified, of Mr. Thomas of Utah was agreed to.

A further amendment to the reported amendment having been proposed by Mr. Long, relating to funds for colleges and universities,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long modified his amendment.

Pending further debate,

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That on tomorrow at not later than 12 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., the Senate proceed to vote without further debate on the pending amendment.

PREVAILING WAGE RATE LAWS

Mr. McCarran presented a supplementary compilation on prevailing wage rate laws, prepared by the Labor Law Information Service Division of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, which was ordered to be printed as part 2 of Senate Document No. 27.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE, AND LABOR DEPARTMENTS

Mr. McKellar submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 26, 34, 35, 48, and 49.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 38, 39, 41, 46, and 50, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 25: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 25, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$67,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 33: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 33, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$25,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 37: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 37, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *: Provided further, That this limitation shall not operate to reduce the compensation of any stenographer now employed nor shall the salary of any stenographer drawing more than $2,500 per annum hereafter be increased*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 40: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 40, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment amended to read as follows: *the Air Commerce Act of 1926 as amended*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert: *$758,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 43: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 43, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$671,500.00*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 44: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 44, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,802,500*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 45: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 45, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,600,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 47: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 47, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Shellfish investigation: To provide for the investigation, control, and eradication of marine organisms injurious to shellfish in the Atlantic and Gulf States, including purchase of equipment and supplies, including boats and floating equipment and the maintenance and operation thereof; hire and charter of vessels and boats; pay of officers and crews and other personal services, including temporary employees (not exceeding $4,000 in the District of Columbia), as may be necessary; printing and binding; and all other necessary expenses connected therewith; $100,000, of which $50,000 shall be immediately available*; and the Senate agree to the same.

KENNETH MCKELLAR,
RICHARD B. RUSSELL, Jr.,
KEY PITTMAN,
FREDERICK HALE,
GERALD P. NYE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
W. B. OLIVER,
THOS. S. MCMILLAN,
ROBERT L. BACON,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 5 o'clock and 8 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6644, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman and the Secretary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the operations of the Corporation for the fourth quarter of 1934, and for the period from the organization of the corporation on February 2, 1932, to December 31, 1934, inclusive; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REPORT OF NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution for the year ended April 1, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Printing.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota urging the enactment of legislation to provide funds to assist in hospitalization and care of the sick;

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan favoring the construction of a veterans' hospital in the State of Michigan;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring the enactment of legislation granting the consent of Congress to taxation by the several States of certain interstate sales;

A resolution of the Five Point Branch, Unemployment Councils, of Denver, Colo., and petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Atlantic City (N. J.) Chamber of Commerce favoring action necessary to restore the average values of property to the average levels of the years 1921 to 1929 and thereafter to maintain the purchasing power of the dollar stable at that level; and

A resolution adopted by the Merchant Tailors Society of the City of New York favoring an investigation of the banking situation in the United States and legislation to eliminate bank failures, unification of the banking system under the jurisdiction of the Federal Government, and the establishment of new types of banking institutions to provide medium-term loans to smaller industrial establishments; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Petitions of citizens of several States praying an investigation of the charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring seed loans on the basis of a bushel for bushel repayment plan, and requesting payment of overdue benefits on wheat and corn-hog contracts for the year 1934; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska and a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Kansas favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Typothetae of Western Pennsylvania, Inc., of Pittsburgh, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the retirement of a pro rata part of the bonded indebtedness of Hyde County, N. C., on land purchased or acquired by the Federal Government in that county; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by city councils of various cities in the United States favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the mayor and City Council of Brockton, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation that will permit the payment of workingmen's compensation to any person suffering injuries or death while working on Emergency Relief Administration projects;

A memorial of citizens of Southborough, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of Fall River and Springfield, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of members of the Stoneham (Mass.) Committee for Peace Action remonstrating against large appropriations for the Army and Navy and urging that the estimates be reduced and diverted to more worthy purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Resolutions adopted by Quincy Central Labor Union, of Quincy, Mass., and vicinity, and Branch Lawrence No. 82, Polish Workmen's Aid Fund, Inc., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for majority rule in collective bargaining, the outlawry of company-promoted unions, and the establishment of the National Labor Relations Board on an independent basis, with jurisdiction over all cases arising under section 7a of the National Industrial Recovery Act; and

Memorials of members of the staff of the New England Deaconess Hospital, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the social-insurance features of the so-called "Wagner bill", S. 1130; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of Local Union, No. 2220, United Textile Workers of America, of Jefferson, Mass., praying the passage of the so-called "Black 30-hour work-week bill"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of Charles E. Chasy, of Mansfield, Mass., and Henry C. Durgin, of Owosso, Mich., praying the passage of House bill 2857, providing pensions to certain soldiers who served in the Indian Wars from 1817 to 1898; to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of Gladys B. Hawkinson and Earl Mordmark, of Worcester, Mass., praying the repeal of the requirement of publicity of income-tax returns.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. McKellar presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution urging the commencement during 1935 of construction work on the Whites Creek, Chickamauga, and Hiwassee Dams in the Tennessee River; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing consent to the States to tax certain interstate sales; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robinson presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arkansas favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Cutting presented a resolution adopted by the Las Vegas (N. Mex.) Typographical Union, No. 933, endorsing the attitude and amendment of Senator McCarran providing for the payment of prevailing wages on Public Works relief projects.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 951) for the relief of Mrs. Guy A. McConoha, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 322) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2218) for the relief of Elsie Segar, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 323) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 276. A bill for the relief of Harry Layman (Rept. No. 324); and

S. 728. A bill for the relief of Elton Firth (Rept. No. 325).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1872) for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 326) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 814. A bill for the relief of John Mulhern (Rept. No. 327); and

S. 1566. A bill for the relief of Carl C. Christensen (Rept. No. 328).

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 156) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 329) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 208) for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 330) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 553) to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 331) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2246) granting a pension to Rose D. Carleton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2247) directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Van Nuys and Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2248) for the relief of James W. Emison; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2249) granting an increase of pension to Fannie M. McQuade (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2250) granting a pension to Maude Brindle; and

A bill (S. 2251) granting a pension to Samuel E. Jarvis; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2252) for the relief of Henry Hilbun; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2253) to make better provision for the government of the military and naval forces of the United States by the suppression of attempts to incite the members thereof to disobedience; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2254) granting a pension to Martha J. Ward (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Neely (by request):

A bill (S. 2255) providing for the labeling, marking, and tagging of all boots and shoes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 2256) granting an increase of pension to Dora B. Bridges; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2257) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide additional pay for personnel of the United States Navy assigned to duty on submarines and to diving duty", to include officers assigned to duty at submarine training tanks and diving tanks, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2258) to amend in certain particulars the act approved February 28, 1925, entitled "An act to provide for the creation, organization, administration, and maintenance of a Naval Reserve and a Marine Corps Reserve", as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2259) to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Bachman:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 84) for the relief of Hal G. Saunders; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ESTABLISHMENT AND REVISION OF NATIONAL PARKS

Mr. Wagner (for himself, Mr. Ashurst, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Nye), by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 102), which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and it is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate the advisability of establishing certain additional national parks, and the proposed changes in, and boundary revisions of, certain other national parks. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this resolution, such committee or subcommittee is hereby authorized to sit, act, and perform its duties at such times and places as it deems necessary or proper; to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of witnesses; to require the production of books, papers, documents, and other evidence; and to administer such oaths and to take such testimony and make such expenditures as it deems advisable.

The cost of stenographic service to report such hearings shall not exceed 25 cents per 100 words. The expenses of such committee or subcommittee, which shall not exceed the sum of $7,500, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

DECLINE IN COTTON PRICES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 103), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Resolved, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate the causes of the rapid decline of the price of cotton on the cotton exchanges on or about March 11, 1935. The committee shall report to the Senate, at the earliest practicable date, the result of its investigations, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Thomas I. Dickson; David J. Pritchard; Elsie Segar; Adele Lade Veze; and Western Union Telegraph Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

Act of May 3, 1928; and Navajo Indian Reservation; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bejarne Birkeland; to the Committee on Pensions.

WITHDRAWAL OF PAPERS

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the bill S. 3107 (73d Cong., 2d sess.), to correct the military record of Frank M. Soop, deceased, be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse report having been made thereon.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Long to the reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 5, as amended,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long further modified his amendment, and subsequently withdrew the same.

On motion by Mr. Long to further amend the said reported amendment by inserting on page 3, line 17, after the semicolon, the following:

For colleges and universities, to be used to advance money to students in need of and desiring financial assistance so that such students may pay such costs and living expenses necessary for pursuing study at such colleges or universities, and for other educational purposes, $100,000,000.

Pending debate,

The hour of 12 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. having arrived,

The Senate, pursuant to its order of yesterday, proceeded to vote upon the question of agreeing to Mr. Long's amendment; and

It was determined in the negative, [Yeas---------- 27 Nays---------- 58

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Borah, Bulow, Capper, Carey, Copeland, Costigan, Cutting, Dickinson, Frazier, Gibson, Hastings, Johnson, Long, McCarran, McNary, Murray, Neely, Nye, Schall, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Long's amendment was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Steiwer to further amend the said reported amendment by striking out the proviso beginning on page 3, line 21, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. George in the Chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Hastings to amend Mr. Steiwer's amendment by inserting therein certain language,

Mr. Glass raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was in the third degree and not in order.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) sustained the question of order.

After debate,

Mr. Steiwer's amendment was not agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was then agreed to.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, inserting on page 8 a new section (sec. 6), relating to wage rates,

On motion by Mr. Russell to amend the same by inserting in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted certain other words,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the rule be suspended in order that Mr. McCarran might be permitted to offer a substitute for Mr. Russell's amendment.

Mr. McCarran thereupon offered a substitute for Mr. Russell's amendment.

On the question of agreeing to Mr. McCarran's amendment,

Pending debate,

Mr. Johnson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called,

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate completes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow, and that after that hour no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 20 minutes on the pending amendment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 426, H. R. 593, and H. R. 3266, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 426. An act for the relief of Jacob Santavy;

H. R. 593. An act for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner; and

H. R. 3266. An act authorizing the maintenance and use of a banking house upon the United States military reservation at Fort Lewis, Wash.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 4 o'clock and 33 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 5) to print and bind the proceedings in Congress and in the rotunda of the Capitol upon the acceptance in the Capitol of the statues of Caesar Rodney and John M. Clayton, presented by the State of Delaware.

SUGAR PRODUCTION IN PUERTO RICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 95, agreed to March 6, 1935, a report regarding Puerto Rican sugar production; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Biological Survey, fiscal year 1935, amounting to $15,000; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR TREASURY DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, three supplemental estimates of appropriations for the Treasury Department, fiscal year 1935, amounting to $201,287, together with a draft of a proposed provision pertaining to existing appropriations; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, supplemental estimates of appropriations for the District of Columbia public schools, fiscal years 1935 and 1936, amounting to $35,000; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR CERTAIN GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, drafts of provisions pertaining to existing appropriations for the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, the Tariff Commission, Treasury Department, War Department, and Navy Department; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION AND FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a sup-

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plemental estimate of appropriation for the Federal Power Commission, fiscal year 1935, amounting to $25,000, together with a draft of a proposed provision pertaining to an existing appropriation for the Federal Communications Commission; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

REPORT OF THE NEAR-EAST RELIEF

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the executive secretary of the Near-East Relief, Inc., transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the corporation for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Printing.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma memorializing Congress to enact legislation establishing a national memorial park in Murray County, Okla., embracing the geological formations known as "White Mound" and "Burning Mountain"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A resolution adopted by the Roosevelt League for the Advancement of Social Justice, of Cleveland, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the operation of stands in Federal buildings by blind persons; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A resolution adopted by Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, of Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of citizens and organizations in the United States praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

A petition of George A. Elfert, of Labadieville, La., praying veteran's relief; to the Committee on Finance.

A cablegram from the Speaker of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico, requesting an investigation of the activities of the Puerto Rican emergency relief administration; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Massachusetts, favoring the so-called "administration's emergency relief bill" and certain amendments thereto; and

Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Bristol, Conn., Keokuk, Iowa, and Akron, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Reynolds presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the retirement of a pro rata part of the bonded indebtedness of Hyde County, N. C., in certain lands purchased by the Federal Government in said county; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Reynolds presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, favoring the passage of the joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes as proposed by the President of the United States.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Norbeck presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota, memorializing Congress to discontinue the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Watertown, S. Dak., remonstrating against the enforcement of any act imposing directly or indirectly a tax upon any State or political subdivision thereof; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the conscription of capital as well as men in time of war and the operation of munitions plants by the Government; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Camden County, N. J., favoring the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for seed loans on a basis of return of bushel for bushel, and requesting the payment of overdue benefits on wheat and corn-hog contracts for the year 1934; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution adopted by Victor Emanuel Lodge, No. 1356, Order of Sons of Italy in America, of Milford, Mass., favoring old-age pensions to aliens who have resided in the United States for 10 years or more; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of I. Blair Evans, of Washington, D. C., with an accompanying brief, praying the repeal of the requirement of publicity of income-tax returns; and

A petition of the Providence Building Trades Council, of Providence, R. I., praying the adoption of the so-called "McCarran prevailing wage amendment" to pending legislation providing appropriations for relief purposes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, who were directed by Senate Resolution 228 (73d Cong., 2d sess.) to examine into the relationship existing between contractors and their employees engaged in the construction of buildings or works financed in whole or in part by the United States, and continued by Senate Resolution 40, agreed to January 14, 1935, submitted a preliminary report (No. 332), which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on military affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2024) to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller, reported it with an amendment and submited a report (No. 333) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 997) to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 334) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 103) to investigate the cause of the decline in cotton prices on March 11, 1935, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred, under the rule, to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2260) for the relief of Charles C. Williams; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2261) for the relief of Ludwig Rose; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Shipstead and Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 2262) authorizing the Highway Commission of the State of Wisconsin and the Department of Highways of the State of Minnesota to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the St. Croix River at or near the city of Hudson, Wis.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2263) granting a pension to Lucretia Woods; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2264) for the relief of Earl J. Thomas; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2265) extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act of May 24, 1928, to provisional officers of the Regular Establishment who served during the World War; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2266) for the relief of Philip W. Kerley; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2267) to amend section 24 of the Judicial Code, as amended, with respect to the jurisdiction of the district courts of the United States over suits relating to orders of State administrative boards; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2268) for the relief of Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2269) granting a pension to Charles Stein; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 85) authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand; to the Committee on the Library.

PRODUCTION COSTS OF COTTON MANUFACTURES

Mr. Metcalf, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 104), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission is directed, under the authority conferred by section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and for the purposes of that section, to investigate the differences in the cost of production of the following domestic article and of any like or similar foreign articles: Cotton manufactures, included in paragraphs 903 and 904 of such act.

SUGAR PRODUCTION IN PUERTO RICO

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 105):

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture is requested to inform the Senate regarding contemplated plans, if any, for new loans, grants, or subsidies to sugar producers in Puerto Rico or for supporting sugar production in Puerto Rico with public money drawn from the sugar processing tax or any other service.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

OBSERVANCE OF MOTHER'S DAY

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 106), which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor:

Whereas by House Joint Resolution 263, approved and signed by President Wilson, May 8, 1914, the second Sunday in May of each year has been designated as Mother's Day for the expression of our love and reverence for the mothers of our country; and

Whereas there are throughout our land today an unprecedentedly large number of mothers and dependent children who, because of unemployment or loss of their bread earners, are lacking many of the necessities of life: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the President of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon our citizens to express on Mother's Day this year our love and reverence for motherhood;

(a) By the customary display of the United States flag on all Government buildings, homes, and other suitable places;

(b) By the usual tokens and messages of affection to our mothers; and

(c) By making contributions, in honor of our mothers, through our churches or other fraternal and welfare agencies, for the relief and welfare of such mothers and children as may be in need of the necessities of life.

ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AT HOWARD UNIVERSITY

Mr. Hastings, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 107):

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, requested to send to the Senate a copy of the report of his investigation made during the latter part of 1934 of alleged irregularities at the Howard University, located in the city of Washington.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over one day under the rule.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. McCarran's amendment to Mr. Russell's amendment to the reported amendment on page 8, inserting section 6 (relating to wage rates),

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Norris,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to Mr. McCarran's amendment.

Pending further debate,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Guffey in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Brynes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. McCarran's amendment to Mr. Russell's amendment, viz, in lieu of the language contained in the latter amendment, insert the following:

Sec. 6. The President is authorized to prescribe, and shall give full publicity to, rules and regulations necessary to carry out the purpose of this joint resolution: Provided, however, That (a) such rules and regulations shall stipulate that the rates of wages paid to all laborers and mechanics employed by any contractor or subcontractor or by the public officer in charge for the United States or for the District of Columbia, for work done under this joint resolution, whether by contract or otherwise, involving the expenditure of any money appropriated by the resolution, need not be uniform throughout the United States but shall not be less than the prevailing rates of wages paid for work of a similar nature at the time of the approval of this resolution in the city, town, village, or other civil division of the State in which the work is located, or in the District of Columbia: Provided, however, That nothing in this section shall apply to the administration of the Civilian Conservation Corps; (b) rules and regulations prescribed under this section shall not abrogate any existing law.

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 38 / Nays---------- 50}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Barbour, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Capper, Carey, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Hastings, Johnson, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, McAdoo, McKellar, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, and Wagner.

So Mr. McCarran's amendment was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Russell's amendment, viz, in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted by the reported amendment on page 8, lines 1 to 20, inclusive (being sec. 6), as follows:

"SEC. 6. The President is authorized to fix the rates of wages of all persons compensated out of the funds appropriated by this joint resolution and may fix different rates for various types of work, which rates need not be uniform throughout the United States.

"In the event the President, or such official or agency of Government as he may select, shall determine after an investigation that the rate of wages paid is affecting adversely or is likely to decrease the prevailing rates of wages paid for any work of a similar nature in any city, town, village, or other civil division of the State in which the work is located, or in the District of Columbia, the President, or the official or agency designated by him, shall immediately fix the rate of wages at an amount not less than the prevailing rate of wages paid for work of a similar nature in such locality.

"Any and all contracts which may be entered into under the authority contained in this resolution shall contain stipulations which will provide for the accomplishment of the purposes of this section."

Insert the following:

The President shall require to be paid such rates of pay for all persons engaged upon any project financed in whole or in part, through loans or otherwise, by funds appropriated by this joint resolution, as will in the discretion of the President accomplish the purposes of this act, and not affect adversely or otherwise tend to decrease the going rates of wages paid for work of a similar nature.

The President may fix different rates of wages for various types of work on any project, which rates need not be uniform throughout the United States: Provided, however, That whenever permanent buildings for the use of any department of the Government of the United States, or the District of Columbia, are to be constructed by funds appropriated by this joint resolution for which rates of wages are now determined in accordance with the provisions of any law of the United States or any code, the President shall fix the rate of wages upon such public buildings in accordance with such laws and codes.

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 83 / Nays---------- 2}

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Mr. Hale and Mr. Metcalf voted in the negative.

So Mr. Russell's amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was then agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 8, line 21, was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 5221, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 5221) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

DISARMAMENT, SECURITY, AND CONTROL

Mr. Pope presented a manuscript entitled "Disarmament, Security, and Control", by Miss Constance Drexel, which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 6 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, MAR. 16, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES TO PRIVATELY OWNED PROPERTY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, estimates of appropriations submitted by the several executive departments and an independent office, to pay claims for damages to privately owned property, amounting to $2,116.06, which have been considered and adjusted and require appropriations for their payment; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

JUDGMENTS RENDERED BY THE COURT OF CLAIMS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of judgments rendered by the Court of Claims, amounting to $15,281, which have been submitted by the Attorney General, through the Secretary of the Treasury, and require an appropriation for their payment; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a schedule of claims allowed by the General Accounting Office, amounting to $5,020.47, under appropriations the balance of which have been carried to the surplus fund; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

JUDGMENTS IN SUITS IN ADMIRALTY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, records of judgments rendered against the Government by the United States District Court of the District of Massachusetts under the provisions of an act authorizing suits against the United States in admiralty for damage caused by and salvage services rendered to public vessels belonging to the United States, as submitted by the Attorney General through the Secretary of the Treasury, under the Navy Department, amounting to $49,816.29; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Camden, N. J., favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A petition of Mrs. Jane Gillard, of Miami, Fla., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring the employment and placement of citizens of Nebraska only in connection with the establishment of rehabilitation farmsteads in the State; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oregon paying tribute to the late Oliver Wendell Holmes, former associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States;

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of New York City favoring early passage of the pending joint resolution appropriating $4,000,000,000 for relief purposes; and

Resolutions adopted by the Town Council of West Warwick, R. I., and the Common Council of Iron Mountain, Mich., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Ashurst presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona favoring the passage of the pending joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

A resolution of the House of Representatives favoring the employment and placement of citizens of Nebraska only in connection with the establishment of rehabilitation farmsteads in the State; and

A similar resolution of the Senate; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Pope presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial favoring the enactment of legislation and appropriations necessary to divert the natural flow of waters from the Yellowstone Lake into the Snake River for irrigation purposes; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A joint memorial favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Washington County, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Dodge City (Kans.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against any repeal or modification of the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act permitting railroads equality of opportunity to compete with intercoastal boat lines operating through the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Maloney presented resolutions adopted by Group No. 2740, of Stratford, and Group No. 684, of Southampton, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, in the State of Connecticut, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Southampton Colony Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Bridgehampton, N. Y., favoring the further restriction of immigration and the strengthening of immigration laws; and

Resolutions adopted by the Boro Park Branch American League Against War and Fascism, of Brooklyn, and the American League of Ex-Servicemen, of New York, in the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of any legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Parent Teachers Association, of Millerton, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a national film institute in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of members of the Stone Presbyterian Church, of Clinton, N. Y., remonstrating against the program which calls for naval maneuvers in the North Pacific in May 1935; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 371) for the relief of G. Elias & Bro., Inc., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 335) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 49. Resolution continuing the investigation of the financing and proposed reorganization of the Hotel Mayflower, and increasing the limit of expenditures;

S. Res. 90. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Maggie Thomas Davis;

S. Res. 93. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Margaret A. Scott; and

S. Res. 96. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Pensions to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 7) relating to the investigations of the steamship *Morro Castle* disaster and the adequacy of methods and practices for the safety of life at sea, reported it without additional amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the amendments heretofore reported by the Committee on Commerce having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce, or a subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed (1) to collect, collate, coordinate, and make available to the Senate the results of (a) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* disaster conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Steamboat Inspection Service of the Department of Commerce, (b) the inquiry into the *Morro Castle* disaster, and the actions taken in connection with or subsequent to such inquiry, by the United States attorney for the southern district of New York, and (c) such inquiries in the *Mohawk* disaster as have been or may be conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Steamboat Inspection Service of the Department of Commerce and by the United States attorney for the southern district of New York, and the actions taken in connection with or subsequent to such inquiry, and (d) such other inquiries into the *Morro Castle* disaster, the *Mohawk* disaster, and other maritime tragedies as would, in the discretion of the committee, be helpful for the purposes of this resolution; (2) to make such further investigations of the *Morro Castle* and the *Mohawk* disasters, including the rescue operations carried on in connection therewith, as the committee shall deem advisable and necessary for the purposes of this resolution; (3) to investigate the adequacy and enforcement of the present legal standards of safety of ship construction and operation; (4) to investigate the prevalent methods and practices in the complementing of sea-going vessels, including all conditions of employment; (5) to investigate the adequacy and efficiency of the Steamboat Inspection Service; (6) to investigate whether the laws governing liability for loss of life and property at sea, the laws and usages of salvage; and the laws, usages, and practices of the business of marine insurance tend to encourage the installation and utilization of such devices and the promotion of such practices as are conducive to safety and to a paramount concern at all times for the preservation of life; and (7) to make a preliminary report of the results of its investigations as soon as practicable, to make further reports from time to time but at least once during each regular session of the Senate until it has completed its investigations, and to submit a final report to the Senate, together with its recommendations for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution, the Committee on Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses until the final report is submitted, to employ such counsel, experts, and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic service to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee incurred in the exercise of its privileges and duties under this resolution, which shall not exceed $15,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

The preamble was ordered to be stricken out, as reported by the Committee on Commerce.

The title was amended to read: "Resolution relating to the investigations of the steamships *Morro Castle* and *Mohawk* disasters and the adequacy of methods and practices for the safety of life at sea."

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 103) to investigate the cause of the decline in cotton prices on March 11, 1935, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by ananimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment, striking out on page 2, line 6, the sum "$25,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$10,000,* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 2270) granting a pension to Birdie Brugh; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2271) granting a pension to Edith S. Davis (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2272) for the relief of Robert Cleve Ellis; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2273) for the relief of Raymond Nelson Hickman; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2274) for the relief of William J. Roper; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2275) to provide for the payment of certain Creek equalization claims, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

NATURAL-GAS INVESTIGATION

Mr. Couzens, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 108), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly appointed subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate to obtain information relative to the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas and to report its conclusions to the Senate for legislative purposes, the investigation and report to deal with the following subjects:

1. The persons, partnerships, corporations, or organizations interested in the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas.

2. The persons, partnerships, corporations, or organizations interested in the financing, or contributing to the financing of persons, partnerships, or corporations, or organizations which are interested in, or associated with, the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas.

3. Any act or proposal to act upon the part of such persons, partnerships, corporations, or organizations which created a monopoly, or tended to create a monopoly, for the control of the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas.

4. Any act or proposal to act which tended to prevent consumers of natural gas or potential consumers of natural gas from obtaining a supply of natural gas.

5. Any violation or evidence of violation of existing laws to prevent restraint in trade.

6. Any information which would be helpful to the Congress in determining whether existing laws to prevent restraint in trade are sufficient to prevent monopolistic practices in the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas.

7. Information which would be helpful to the Congress in determining whether pipe-line carriers should be declared common carriers and divorced from persons, partnerships, corporations, or organizations interested in the production, transmission, and sale of natural gas.

8. Any information to assist in determining whether persons, partnerships, corporations, or organizations now interested in or associated with the production, transmission, sale, and distribution of natural gas have acted or proposed to act to prevent publicly owned distributing companies from obtaining a supply of natural gas.

9. Any information which will show the present sources and volume of supply of natural gas and any and all other information reasonably incident thereto, including possible deliberate waste.

10. Any information to show the cost of producing, transmitting, distributing, and selling natural gas.

11. The committee is authorized and directed to obtain the assistance of the Federal Trade Commission, its officials and employees, in assembling any information already obtained by the Commission with reference to these general subjects.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The reported amendments beginning on page 8, line 24, and on page 9, line 20, were respectively disagreed to; the remaining reported amendment, being that on page 9, line 5, was agreed to; and the joint resolution further amended on the motion of Mr. Glass.

On motion by Mr. Glass to further amend the joint resolution by inserting on page 10, line 3, after the amendment agreed to, a provision relating to the Public Works Administration,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the amendment was, by unanimous consent, postponed until Monday.

On motion by Mr. Adams to further amend the joint resolution by striking out all after line 2 on page 1, down to and including "(48 Stat. 22)" on page 3, line 5, as amended, and inserting in lieu thereof certain language,

Pending debate,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said amendment be temporarily postponed, and that it be taken up for consideration following action on the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Glass.

Mr. McNary entered a motion to reconsider the vote disagreeing to the reported amendment inserting section 10.

ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AT HOWARD UNIVERSITY

On motion by Mr. Hastings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 107) calling for the report of the Secretary of the Interior on alleged irregularities at Howard University, Washington, D. C.; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 1 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, MAR. 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, March 16, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6718, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Arizona remonstrating against the antireligious policy of the Mexican Government and persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota memorializing Congress to appropriate $125,000 for destitute school districts in Minnesota, and to adopt as a future policy a direct appropriation to the several States for school purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the Government grading of tobacco; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the diversion of waters from the Yellowstone Lake into the Snake River for irrigation purposes; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of the charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota memorializing Congress to enact legislation to permit the States to tax national banks upon a fair and equitable basis; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A telegram from the Secretary of the Senate of the State of Nebraska incorporating a resolution of the Senate favoring an embargo on importations of corn, wheat, and oats;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Iowa, a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, and a petition of J. E. Kreiss, of Los Angeles, Calif., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin urging Congress to enact tariffs to protect the agricultural industry;

A petition of C. O. Dunham and other citizens of San Antonio, Tex., praying that the same rights and privileges be extended in any social legislation to all licensed practitioners of the healing arts; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Employing Printers of Erie District, of Erie, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Workers School, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing of civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A communication from Jose B. Gamboa, of Silay, Occidental Negros, P. I., favoring trade between the United States and the Philippine Islands at sales prices more in proportion to the American prices than those at which articles are now sold in the Philippines; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the adoption of an amendment to the joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes to provide for the payment of prevailing wages; and

Resolutions adopted by various city councils in the United States praying the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska favoring the enactment of legislation providing an appropriation for seed loans; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin urging the enactment of tariffs to protect the agricultural industry; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Middleboro, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation to provide for improving the banks of the Cape Cod Canal; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Local No. 11, Amalgamated Silver Workers' Union, of Taunton, Mass., and a petition of citizens of Worcester, Mass., favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of citizens of Monson, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of legislation for the said purpose;

A resolution adopted by the Slovak League of America, of Pittsburgh, Pa., favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment insurance and old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the Democratic City Committee, of Fall River, Mass., favoring the passage of legislation providing relief for needy unemployables; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Kiwanis Club, of Quincy, Mass., favoring legislation to control and regulate the use of firearms; and

A memorial of Local Union No. 1792, United Textile Workers of America, of Saxonville, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation requiring 40 hours of labor per week in the textile industry, and favoring a work week in industry of 30 hours; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Local Union No. 38, Boot and Shoe Workers Union, of Boston, Mass., favoring the establishment by the Army and Navy Departments of a fair minimum for the actual labor price per pair for the manufacture of all Army, Navy, and service shoes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation providing increased pensions to Indian war veterans; to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of the Italian-American Citizens Club, Inc., of Lowell, Mass., praying the passage of the joint resolution providing appropriations for relief purposes, and favoring the use of granite in Federal building construction.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of members of the Reno County Medical Association, of Hutchinson, Kans., praying the incorporation of the plan for health management promulgated by the American Medical Association in any social-security legislation considered by Congress; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nye presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the senate favoring a cattle program by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to provide for adjustment benefits to the end that parity prices may be obtained for cattle and the producers enabled to reestablish their estates;

A concurrent resolution favoring an embargo on certain agricultural products until the cost of production is covered, and favoring the repeal of the law permitting wheat to be milled in bond;

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to establish prices on major farm products that will insure cost of production plus a reasonable profit;

A concurrent resolution favoring the shipment of limited quantities of feed grains into the United States duty free to relieve the acute feed situation in drought-stricken areas; and

A concurrent resolution favoring appropriations providing for a Great Plains shelter belt; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the house of representatives favoring the establishment of a Bank of the United States for the issuance of currency and control of credit;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of currency by the Bank of North Dakota; and

A concurrent resolution favoring the reestablishment of the issuance of money as a monopoly of government and a system of Government banks to provide a banking system for the people at cost; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A concurrent resolution favoring the construction of a highway bridge across the Yellowstone River near Cartwright, N. Dak., from Federal relief funds; to the Committee on Commerce.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to grant consent to the States for the taxation of certain interstate sales;

A concurrent resolution favoring consideration by Congress of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent future issues of tax-exempt securities by the Government, the States, and municipalities; and

A concurrent resolution favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution favoring the construction of adequate customs and immigration buildings upon the Peace Garden project on the boundary line between North Dakota and Manitoba; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Nye presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota:

A joint resolution favoring the continuance of Federal relief funds to the State of North Dakota;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide funds to assist in hospitalization and care of the sick;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the construction of highways in the State of North Dakota from Federal funds without contribution on the part of the State; and

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide seeds for planting by the farmers of North Dakota without any requirement for payment or security on account of any prior indebtedness to the Government for seed sold and furnished in prior years.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1713) to further amend section 6, act of March 4, 1923, so as to make better provision for the recovery and disposition of bodies of members of the civilian components of the Army who die in line of duty, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 336) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1840) authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 337) thereon.

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 338) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1885) to authorize turning over to the Indian service vehicles, vessels, and supplies seized and forfeited for violation of liquor laws, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 339) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 340) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 164) for the relief of Donald L. Bruner, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 341) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment:

S. 1452. A bill providing for the employment of skilled shorthand reporters in the executive branch of the Government; and

S. 1453. A bill to create a board of shorthand reporting, and for other purposes.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Indian Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1456) to compensate the heirs of James Taylor, a deceased Cherokee Indian, for all their title, interest, or claim to certain lands in the State of North Carolina, now held by the United States as a part of the forest reserve, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2277) to provide for the payment of veterans' adjusted-service certificates in bonds of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2278) authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States High Commissioner to the government of the Commonwealth of the Philippine Islands; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2279) to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, as amended; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2280) to authorize preliminary examination and survey of the Columbia River at Rainier, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2281) authorizing the establishment of a revolving fund for the Klamath Indians, Oregon; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2282) to provide for payment to certain property owners in New Mexico for losses caused by the floods in the Rio Grande Valley during 1929; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hatch and Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 2283) authorizing the appointment of a commissioner for the United States Court of China and defining his duties; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 2284) to amend the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 by including the Cumberland River and its basin within the provisions of the act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2285) to divest prize-fight films of their character as subjects of interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2286) providing for the allocation of net revenues of the Shoshone power plant of the Shoshone reclamation project in Wyoming; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2287) to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequent to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Clark (for Mr. Gore):

A bill (S. 2288) to provide for the measurement of vessels using the Panama Canal, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2289) to establish the Kings Canyon National Park, Calif., to transfer thereto the lands now included in the General Grant National Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2290) for the relief of F. A. Hoffman; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2291) for the relief of Joseph W. Atkinson; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2292) for the relief of Emanuel Wallin; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2293) for the retirement of employees of the Alaska Railroad, Territory of Alaska, who are citizens of the United States; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2294) to authorize the erection of a suitable statue of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 86) authorizing an annual appropriation of $10,000 to enable the United States to become a member of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; authorizing the President to invite the institute to hold its second general assembly in the United States in 1935, and authorizing appropriation of $10,000 for expenses of such meeting; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The consideration of the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Glass, inserting on page 10, line 3, after the amendment agreed to, a provision relating to the Public Works Administration, was, under the order of Saturday last, resumed, and the said amendment was agreed to.

The Senate, in pursuance of a further order of Saturday, resumed the consideration of the amendment proposed by Mr. Adams beginning on page 1, line 3, when he modified the same.

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified,

Pending debate,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 5255, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 5255) making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment, as modified, proposed by Mr. Adams, viz, on page 2, line 7, strike out "1937" and insert in lieu thereof *1936*, and in the same line strike out "$4,000,000,000" and insert in lieu thereof *$2,000,000,000*",

Pending debate,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachmann, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA-VIRGINIA BOUNDARY COMMISSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 134) to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed nine additional months, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 4 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 5322) authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts, as follows:

On March 14, 1935:

H. R. 330. An act for the relief of Sophie de Soto.

On March 18, 1935:

H. R. 426. An act for the relief of Jacob Santavy;

H. R. 593. An act for the relief of Fred C. Blenkner; and

H. R. 5221. An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to rice, and for other purposes.

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On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

REPORT OF AMERICAN WAR MOTHERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the national president of the American War Mothers, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the organization for the period from October 1, 1933, to October 1, 1934; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation amending the organic act of Puerto Rico so that bond issues to carry out self-liquidating projects be not charged against the borrowing capacity of the municipalities; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Idaho State Association of Bank Depositors, of Boise, Idaho, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the abatement and refunding of all Federal taxes assessed against or paid by national and State banks since January 1, 1918, that have since become insolvent, to be paid to the qualified receivers of such banks for distribution to the unpaid depositors thereof, and providing for the payment in full of depositors of closed banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of San Diego, Calif., and petitions of citizens of the United States, praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Cleveland (Miss.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the United Front Committee of Russian Workers in America, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by Chapter No. 4, National Veterans' Association, Inc., of Minneapolis, Minn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for a national charter for the association; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted at a town meeting of citizens of Milford, N. H., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the use of granite in the construction of public buildings erected under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the passage of antilynching legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Smithfield, R. I., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of Revere Post, No. 61, American Legion, of Revere, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A resolution adopted by the town of Wakefield, Mass., favoring the removal of the transient camp at Camp Curtis Guild in the State of Massachusetts or vesting in camp officials power to discipline the transients sheltered there; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the Somerville Board of Trade, Inc., of West Somerville, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 1807, amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce, of Jeanette, Pa., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the said organization remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of the Central Council of Irish County Associations, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry, of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the enactment of the joint resolution providing appropriations for emergency relief purposes, and certain amendments thereto.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Maloney presented resolutions adopted by Common Councils of Bristol and Naugatuck, in the State of Connecticut, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Norbeck presented the following petition, memorial, and communication, which were referred as indicated:

Two concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates and for old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Pierre, S. Dak., by Boards of County Commissioners remonstrating against the increase in allowable weight of trucks on the highways of South Dakota; and

A communication from the Secretary of the South Dakota Railroads Association, of Aberdeen, S. Dak., relative to the regulation of interstate traffic on highways and increased weight on trucks; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Shipstead presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution favoring an appropriation of $125,000 for the use of destitute school districts in Minnesota, and the enactment of legislation adopting as a future policy direct appropriations to the States for school purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to authorize the States to tax certain interstate sales; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Shipstead presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Bailey presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the Government grading of tobacco; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the retirement of a pro rata part of the bonded indebtedness of Hyde County, N. C., in certain lands purchased by the Federal Government; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Bailey presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the passage of the joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes as proposed by the President of the United States.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 952) for the relief of Zelma Halverson, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 342) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 816) for the relief of Logan Mulvaney, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 343) thereon.

Mr. Metcalf, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 104) authorizing the United States Tariff Commission to investigate differences in the costs of production of cotton manufactures, under paragraphs 903 and 904 of the Tariff Act of 1930, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 95) to provide for the carrying at reduced rates of officers and enlisted men of the military and naval forces while on leave of absence or furlough at their own expense, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 344) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 884) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 345) thereon.

Mr. Schall, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1494) to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota to submit claims to the Court of Claims", approved May 14, 1926 (44 Stat. L. 555), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 346) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2241) to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 347) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 829) granting 6 months' pay to Hester Hamilton, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 348) thereon.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 363) to increase the efficiency of the Veterinary Corps of the Regular Army, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 349) thereon.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Neely, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Pensions be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Finance:

S. 1031. A bill granting a pension to Silman G. Brogan; and

S. 2109. A bill granting a pension to Hazel Chalk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2295) for the relief of the estate of Martin J. Wade; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2296) to reduce the interest rate on delinquent taxes; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2297) to amend section 17, as amended, of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Radcliffe:

A bill (S. 2298) for the relief of Sallie S. Twilley; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 2299) for the relief of Thomas A. Sears (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2300) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2301) granting the consent of Congress to agreements or compacts between any two or more States with respect to the duplication and evasion of State and local tax laws; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2302) to provide for the manufacture of citrus-fruit brandy and the use of such brandy in the fortification of citrus wines, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2303) to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended and supplemented; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2304) granting a pension to Samuel Gwartney (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2305) granting an increase of pension to Annie R. C. Owen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings and Mr. Radcliffe:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 87) authorizing the restoration and preservation of the frigate *Constellation*, and making Baltimore, Md., her home port; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment, as modified, yesterday proposed by Mr. Adams, striking out on page 2, line 7, the figures "1937" and inserting in lieu thereof *1936*, and in the same line striking out "$4,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$2,000,000,000*.

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Adams, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the joint resolution was temporarily postponed; and

FIRST DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION ACT

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Robinson.

On motion of Mr. Barkley to further amend the bill by inserting at the proper place therein the following:

American group of the Interparliamentary Union: In order to assist in meeting the expenses of the American group of the Interparliamentary Union during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, there is hereby appropriated the sum of $10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, such appropriation to be disbursed on vouchers to be approved by the President and the executive secretary of the American group.

Mr. Adams raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was in contravention of paragraph 1 of rule XVI.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR FOR MAJ. GEN. ADOLPHUS WASHINGTON GREELY

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1840) authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 5322) of an identical title, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 1840 be postponed indefinitely.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed on March 15, 1935, the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 46) authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENTS TO VETERANS' REGULATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 20, title I, of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, I am transmitting herewith Executive Orders No. 6989 (Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (g)), No. 6990 (Veterans' Regulation No. 2 (d)), No. 6991 (Veterans' Regulation No. 6 (d)), and No. 6992 (Veterans' Regulation No. 10 (e)), approved by me March 19, 1935.

Executive Order No. 6989 amends Executive Order No. 6156 (Veterans' Regulation No. 1 (a)), approved by me June 6, 1933; Executive Order No. 6990 amends Executive Order No. 6230 (Veterans' Regulation No. 2 (a)), approved by me July 28, 1933; Executive Order No. 6991 amends Executive Order No. 6232 (Veterans' Regulation No. 6 (a)), approved by me July 28, 1933; and Executive Order No. 6992 amends Executive Order No. 6098 (Veterans' Regulation No. 10), approved by me March 31, 1933.

These regulations were promulgated in accordance with the terms of title I of Public, No. 2 (73d Cong.), "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 19, 1935.*

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment, as modified, yesterday proposed by Mr. Adams, striking out on page 2, line 7, the figures "1937" and inserting in lieu thereof *1936*, and in the same line striking out "$4,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$2,000,000,000*,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Byrd to amend the amendment proposed by Mr. Adams, by striking out "$2,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$1,000,000,000*,

Pending debate,

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Byrd's amendment to the amendment proposed by Mr. Adams, as modified, viz, strike out " $2,000,000,000 " and insert in lieu thereof *$1,000,000,000,*

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas ---------- 21 / Nays ---------- 66}

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Carey, Copeland, Dickinson, Donahey, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, King, McCarran, Metcalf, Schall, Townsend, Tydings, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bankhead. Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Byrd's amendment was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the amendment, as modified, proposed by Mr. Adams,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing thereto.

Mr. Cutting demanded a division of the amendment.

On the question of agreeing to the first branch of the amendment, viz, strike out " 1937 " and insert in lieu thereof *1936,*

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas ---------- 30 / Nays ---------- 57}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, George, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Nye, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So the first branch of the amendment proposed by Mr. Adams, as modified, was not agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the second branch of the amendment, as modified, viz, strike out " $4,000,000,000 " and insert in lieu thereof *$2,000,000,000,*

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas ---------- 30 / Nays ---------- 57}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, George, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Cutting, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So the second branch of the amendment proposed by Mr. Adams, as modified, was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Byrd to further amend the joint resolution by inserting on page 3, line 25, after the word " resolution " the following:

Provided further, That no part of the funds herein appropriated shall be expended for the administrative expenses of any department, bureau, board, commission, or independent agency of the Government if such administrative expenses are ordinarily financed from annual appropriations.

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was an amendment to the committee amendment, as amended, on page 3, beginning in line 5, which had been heretofore agreed to, and was therefore not in order.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

On motion by Mr. Byrd to reconsider the vote whereby the foregoing reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to,

The Vice President held the motion was not in order, inasmuch as it was not made within the limit of time required under rule XIII.

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by him to reconsider the vote whereby the reported amendment on page 9, inserting section 10, was disagreed to; and

The motion was not agreed to.

The joint resolution was further amended on the motion of Mr. Byrd.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Arnold, and Mr. Taber managers at the same on its part.

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the foregoing message of the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Adams, Mr. Glass, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Keyes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

On motion by Mr. Schall to further amend the joint resolution by inserting, at the proper place therein, the following:

All corporations organized for any purpose by officials or agencies of the United States for its use since March 4, 1933, shall be liquidated within 90 days; and no other or like corporations shall be organized for any purpose by or in behalf of the United States except by express authorization of Congress.

Pending debate,

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was legislation on an appropriation bill, and that it dealt with corporations which had no relationship to the pending joint resolution.

The President pro tempore overruled the point of order.

Pending debate,

ALLOCATIONS UNDER N. R. A. APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 109), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the letter of the Secretary of the Treasury, dated March 11, 1935, transmitting, pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 91, agreed to March 6, 1935, a report of the allocations made for projects out of the appropriation of $3,300,000,000 under the National Industrial Recovery Act, approved June 16, 1933, be printed, together with the accompanying report, as a Senate document and that 500 additional copies be printed for the Senate document room.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

Pending which, at 6 o'clock and 7 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6424) to exempt a limited quantity of cotton from the tax under the Cotton Control Act, to provide for the better administration of such act, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 5322, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 134, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum,

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

H. R. 5322. An act authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely; and

H. J. Res. 134. Joint resolution to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed 9 additional months, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6424, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Legislative Establishment, under the Architect of the Capitol, fiscal year 1935, amounting to $10,000, for certain improvements in the rooms of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring the passage of House bill 2024, for the relief of certain officers and soldiers of the volunteer army in the War with Spain who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the termination of their enlistment; to the Committee on Claims.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring an adjustment of freight rates between rate making or geographical sections; and

A memorial of citizens of Bradford, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring the enactment of legislation to include in any old-age pension act passed by Congress persons of 40 years or over who by reason of total disability on account of physical handicap or otherwise are in need;

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the optical retail code authority favoring the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Administration; and

Petitions of Robert Owens, of Parkin, Ark., and Mrs. Nancy Gregory, of Raleigh, N. C., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented the following petition and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Southwest Farm Congress at Dodge City, Kans., favoring the passage of Senate bill 1807, amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; and

A memorial of citizens of Meade County, Kans., remonstrating against the passage of said bill; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Southwest Farm Congress at Dodge City, Kans., remonstrating against any amendment of section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Dickinson presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Iowa favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schall presented a resolution adopted at Philadelphia, Pa., by members and guests of the Philadelphia Board of Trade favoring the liquidation within 90 days of Federal corporations organized to carry out purposes which compete with private enterprise; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Pittman presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada favoring the enactment of legislation to limit the length of freight trains engaged in interstate commerce to 70 cars; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of Barbers Union Local No. 239, of Washington, D. C., praying the passage of legislation to regulate the election of delegates representing the District of Columbia to national political conventions; and

A memorial of the Building Managers Association of Buffalo, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for rental control in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A resolution adopted by the East Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against discrimination in taxation of State chartered savings and loan associations; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by Memorial Associates, Inc., of New York City, favoring an extension with greater authority of the National Industrial Recovery Administration; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Friends of the New Germany, of New Hyde Park, Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation depriving certain citizens who voted in the plebiscite in the Saar region, Germany, of their citizenship; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Middletown, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of the display of the American flag on public buildings of the United States and the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A resolution adopted at Albany, N. Y., by the New York State Society of Professional Engineers favoring the creation of a Department of Public Works; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions:

A resolution adopted at Albany, N. Y., favoring a requirement that State or municipal agencies applying for Federal loans and grants be granted them contingent upon the maintenance at full strength of their regular personnel;

A resolution adopted by the Polish-American Political Club, Inc., of Southampton, N. Y., favoring appropriations for work-relief purposes; and

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, N. Y., favoring an amendment to the emergency relief appropriation joint resolution to provide funds for care of patients in local hospitals.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 17. A bill making it a felony to willfully fail to appear after having been admitted to bail (Rept. No. 350); and

S. 18. A bill to amend section 1015 of the Revised Statutes (Rept. No. 351).

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2145) extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 352) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Ashurst, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1842) to amend section 863, title 48, of the Code of Laws of the United States of America relating to the District Court of the United States for Puerto Rico, and that it be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2306) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2307) for the relief of Mrs. W. B. Nix and Mrs. J. A. Nix; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Dieterich:

A bill (S. 2308) for the relief of Martin M. Philipsborn; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2309) for the relief of owners of cargo aboard the steamship *Boxley;* to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2310) to amend section 602 of the act entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia", as amended; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2311) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2312) for the relief of the Western Construction Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2313) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to farm prices; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2314) to extend the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act to certain emergency officers of the War with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, and the Chinese Boxer Rebellion; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2315) to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works;

A bill (S. 2316) to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000; and

A bill (S. 2317) to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2318) to protect producers, manufacturers, and consumers from the unrevealed presence of substitutes and mixtures in woven or knitted fabrics and in garments or articles of apparel made therefrom, manufactured in any Territory of the United States or the District of Columbia, or transported or intended to be transported in interstate or foreign commerce, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2319) to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2320) authorizing the erection of a memorial statue of Chief Plenty Coos; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2321) for the relief of S. M. Price (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 88) to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Adams submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 7, 8, 10, 17, 18, 22, 27, 28, and 29.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 2, 3, 5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 4: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 4, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the words and figures in such amendment "during the fiscal year 1936" insert the following: *until December 2, 1935;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 16: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 16, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment, amended to read as follows:

: Provided, That the use of the annex by the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, is hereby continued until July 1, 1936; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 1 and 26.

ALVA B. ADAMS,
CARTER GLASS,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
FREDERICK HALE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
J. P. BUCHANAN,
EDWARD T. TAYLOR,
WILLIAM W. ARNOLD,
JOHN TABER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Schall, inserting at the proper place therein the following:

All corporations organized for any purpose by officials or agencies of the United States for its use since March 4, 1933, shall be liquidated within ninety days; and no other or like corporations shall be organized for any purpose by or in behalf of the United States except by express authorization of Congress.

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas ---------- 10 / Nays ---------- 69 }

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Barbour, Carey, Dickinson, Gibson, Hale, Metcalf, Schall, Steiwer, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Schall's amendment was not agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 5, was, by unanimous consent, further amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings.

On motion by Mr. Hayden to further amend the joint resolution by inserting on page 3, after line 25, a provision relating to allocations for road construction,

Pending debate,

The amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Borah, and, as amended, agreed to.

The joint resolution was further amended on the motion of Mr. Robinson.

Mr. Costigan raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Neely to further amend the joint resolution by inserting on page 10, after line 3, the following:

Sec. 10. (a) Not less than $500,000,000 of the sum appropriated by this act shall be utilized for the construction, preservation, or improvement of schoolhouses and buildings used exclusively or principally for educational purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Reynolds in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Neely's amendment,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 33 / Nays 44 }

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bailey, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Burke, Capper, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Frazier, George, Hatch, Johnson, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Vandenberg, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Dickinson, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Sheppard, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

So Mr. Neely's amendment was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Cutting to further amend the joint resolution by inserting, on page 10, after line 3, a new section,

Pending debate,

Mr. Cutting modified his amendment.

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified, viz, on page 10, after line 3, insert the following:

Sec. —. Not to exceed $40,000,000 of the amount herein appropriated shall be made available to the States on the basis of demonstrated need to enable them to maintain their public schools for the remainder of the current school year.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 55 / Nays 25 }

On motion by Mr. Cutting,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Byrd, Byrnes, Coolidge, Dieterich, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hayden, Keyes, Lonergan, Maloney, McKellar, Minton, More, Radcliffe, Robinson, Sheppard, Smith, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

So Mr. Cutting's amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. La Follette to further amend the joint resolution by striking out on page 2, line 7, the numerals "$4,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$9,000,000,000,*

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAR. 21, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1 and 26 and agreed to the same.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 6644, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 6644) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington favoring a change of the name of Vancouver Barracks to Fort Vancouver; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Okolona, Miss., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the legislative committee of the farmers' union of Bloomer, Wis., and vicinity, favoring the enactment of legislation for the return of bushel for bushel in repayment to the Government of feed and seed loans; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of the charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Petitions of Pinkey Premitte, of Grand Junction, Tenn., and Mrs. Martha Mitchell, of Dillwyn, Va., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado favoring the adoption of the so-called "Hayden amendment" providing for the construction of highways by the States out of appropriations for relief purposes; and

A resolution adopted by the Council of Parma, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Bone presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington urging the appropriation of $50,000,000 to provide dental care for all pupils in the grade and high schools of the United States who desire to avail themselves of this service; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 659) for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 353) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 566) for the relief of George Yusko, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 354) thereon.

Mr. Bulkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2569) for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 355) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 102) to investigate the advisability of establishing additional national parks and revising the boundaries of other parks, reported it with amendments; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred, under the rule, to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2146) for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 356) thereon.

Mr. McNary, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1513) to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 357) thereon.

Mr. McNary, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1680) to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 358) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1787) to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 359) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 933) to provide for an investigation and report of losses resulting from the campaign for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruit fly by the Department of Agriculture, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 360), thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2322) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Townsend:

A bill (S. 2323) for the relief of Ida C. Buckson, executrix of E. C. Buckson, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2324) to incorporate the Military Order of the Purple Heart; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2325) granting a pension to Mary L. Robinson; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2326) authorizing the Secretary of War to lease or to sell certain lands and buildings known as "Camp Eagle Pass, Tex.", to the Eagle Pass & Piedras Negras Bridge Co.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2327) to provide for the Federal incorporation of the Veterans Club of America; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2328) for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2329) for the relief of Charles L. Kee; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings (by request):

A bill (S. 2330) authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 2331) for the relief of Sam Smith; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Pittman, Mr. Norbeck, Mr. Clark, Mr. Bailey, Mr. McNary, Mr. Byrd, and Mr. White:

A bill (S. 2332) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes; to the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2333) for the relief of John W. Dady; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2334) authorizing the appointment and retirement of William H. Kyle as a major, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Austin:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 89) directing the Comptroller General to readjust the account between the United States and the State of Vermont; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Bone and Mr. Schwellenbach:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 90) authorizing loans to fruit growers for rehabilitation of orchards during the year 1935; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 91) to ratify the compact entered into between the States of Wyoming and Montana for division of the waters of the Yellowstone River; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. La Follette, striking out on page 2, line 7, the numerals "$4,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$9,000,000,000,*

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 8 / Nays 77}

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bilbo, Costigan, Cutting, Frazier, La Follette, Neely, Nye, and Thomas of Utah.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment was not agreed to.

The joint resolution was further amended on the motion of Mr. Steiwer.

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The joint resolution was further amended on the motion of Mr. Walsh.

On motion by Mr. Borah to further amend the joint resolution by inserting, at the proper place therein, a provision relating to antitrust laws,

Pending debate,

Mr. Borah modified his amendment.

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Borah's amendment, as modified, viz, at the proper place in the bill insert the following:

Sec. —. That a portion of section 5 of the National Recovery Act, passed and approved June 16, 1933, reading as follows: "While this title is in effect (or in the case of a license, while section 4 (a) is in effect) and for sixty days thereafter, any code, agreement, or license approved, prescribed, or issued and in effect under this title, and any action complying with the provisions thereof taken during such period, shall be exempt from the provisions of the antitrust laws of the United States", be, and the same hereby is, repealed.

Provided, That nothing herein contained nor any law heretofore enacted shall be construed to prohibit nor to invalidate any agreement respecting child labor, hours of labor, or wages of employees.

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 33 / Nays 43}

On motion by Mr. Borah,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Barbour, Black, Borah, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Copeland, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hastings, King, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Norbeck, Nye, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Connally, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, George, Gerry, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Borah's amendment was not agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Glass, at 5 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MAR. 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of the charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Resolutions adopted by Bath Beach American League Against War and Fascism, the United Council of Working Class Women, Branch 12, both of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Starlight Youth Branch American League Against War and Fascism, of New York City, remonstrating against abrogation of civil liberties in the United States and suppressing of civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by Group No. 174, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Kalamazoo, Mich., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented resolutions adopted by the Vineland and South Jersey Cooperative Egg Auction & Poultry Association, Inc., and the Vineland-Landis Township Chamber of Commerce, of Vineland, N. J., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness and for the cost of production to farmers for their products; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Ira Lou Spring Post 149, American Legion, of Jamestown, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the spread of communism, to make it a crime to advocate or promote the overthrow of government by force or violence, and to provide for the exclusion and expulsion of alien Communists; and

A resolution adopted by the Finnish Workers Club of New Rochelle, N. Y., remonstrating against legislation penalizing mere utterances in the absence of overt acts, increasing the powers of censorship over the mails, creating any agency to deal with any activities because of their political or economic character, or adding to restrictions on political opinions in controlling immigration and deportation; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Farmers and Gardeners Association, of Wantagh, L. I., N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation making potatoes a basic agricultural commodity; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Parent-Teachers Association of Creek Locks, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to create a national film institute in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Chautauqua County Pomona Grange, of Westfield, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the Baldwin and Freeport (N. Y.) units of the National Supreme Body of the Fralman favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the conscription of property and the control of the manufacture and sale of munitions in time of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by representatives of the Parent-Teacher Associations, civic associations, and American Legion posts in the eastern section of Queens County, N. Y., favoring the construction as a Public Works project of Andrew Jackson High School, at St. Albans, N. Y.;

A communication from the executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce of the Borough of Queens, of Long Island City, N. Y., remonstrating against intrusion into local affairs by the Federal Government in the construction of public works by the Public Works Administration; and

A resolution adopted at Washington, D. C., by the National Council on Schoolhouse Construction favoring increased appropriations for the Public Works Administration to permit more extensive construction of schoolhouses with Federal aid.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Neely presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of West Virginia favoring a national colonial celebration annually for the purpose of financing the proposed George Washington Foundation at Bath, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., as a national shrine; which was referred to the Committee on the Library.

Mr. Schall presented a communication addressed to him by the president of the National Farmers' Holiday Association, of Des Moines, Iowa, and a communication addressed to the Secretary of Agriculture by the editor of Wallace Farmer and Iowa Homestead, of Des Moines, Iowa, relative to the treatment of cattle for Bang's disease; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 3) favoring the designation and appropriate observance of American Conservation Week,

reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 362) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1988) to revive and reenact section 5 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and for completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States", approved March 4, 1933, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 363) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2156) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 364) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Byrd, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Library be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2073) to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2335) authorizing the Bureau of Indian Affairs to erect a monument and construct a replica of old Fort Hall on the Fort Hall Indian Agency Reserve, Idaho; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2336) granting compensation to Mary Weller; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 2337) granting a pension to Jessamine L. Benson (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2338) granting a pension to Frederick L. Long (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2339) granting a pension to Lottie Whetstone (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2340) to authorize the Attorney General to determine the fees to be paid in connection with the taking of depositions on behalf of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2341) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to flaxseed, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2342) to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Albert T. Lipford; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2343) for the relief of Maj. Edwin F. Ely, Finance Department, Capt. Reyburn Engles, Quartermaster Corps, and others (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2344) to amend the act entitled "An act relating to direct loans for industrial purposes by Federal Reserve banks, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1934, as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2345) to provide for a survey of the manganese are resources of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2346) for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 2347) for the relief of Rose M. Callaghan; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2348) to amend section 6 of the Naval Appropriation Act approved March 3, 1931, to regulate the distribution and promotion of commissioned officers of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2349) to provide for the promotion of janitors, cleaners, elevator operators, watchmen, and firemen helpers in the Post Office Department of the United States; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

ARMY DAY

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 13), which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That Saturday, April 6, 1935, be recognized by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America as Army Day, and that the President of the United States be requested, as Commander in Chief, to order military units throughout the United States to assist civic bodies in appropriate celebration to such extent as he may deem advisable.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 24) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and a joint resolution, as follows:

On March 19, 1935:

H. R. 3266. An act authorizing the maintenance and use of a banking house upon the United States military reservation at Fort Lewis, Wash.

On March 21, 1935:

H. R. 5322. An act authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a Medal of Honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely; and

H. R. 6644. An act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 134. Joint resolution to continue the commission for determining the boundary line between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed 9 additional months, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses.

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma to further amend the joint resolution by adding at the end thereof a provision relating to expansion of the currency,

Pending debate,

AMENDMENT OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, referred to the Committee on Commerce, and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

Every enterprise in the United States should be able to adhere to the simple principle of honesty without fear of penalty on that account. Honesty ought to be the best policy, not only for one individual or one enterprise but for every individual and every enterprise in the Nation. In one field of endeavor there is an obvious means to this end which has been too long neglected: the setting up and careful enforcement of standards of identity and quality for the foods we eat and the drugs we use, together with the strict exclusion from our markets of harmful or adulterated products.

The honor of the producers in a country ought to be the invariable ingredient of the products produced in it. The various qualities of goods require a kind of discrimination which is not at the command of consumers. They are likely to confuse outward appearance with inward integrity. In such a situation as has grown up through our rising level of living and our multiplication of goods, consumers are prevented from choosing intelligently, and producers are handicapped in any attempt to maintain higher standards. Only the scientific and disinterested activity of government can protect this honor of our producers and provide the possibility of discriminating choice to our consumers.

These principles have long been those on which we have founded public policy. But we have fallen behind in their practical application. No comprehensive attempt at reform in the regulation of commerce in food and drugs has been made since 1906. I need not point out to you how much has happened since that time in the invention of new things and their general adoption, as well as in the increase of advertising appeals. Because of these changes loopholes have appeared in the old law which have made abuses easy.

It is time to make practical improvements. A measure is needed which will extend the controls formerly applicable only to labels to advertising also; which will extend protection to the trade in cosmetics; which will provide for a cooperative method of setting standards and for a system of inspection and enforcement to reassure consumers grown hesitant and doubtful; and which will provide for a necessary flexibility in administration as products and conditions change.

I understand this subject has been studied and discussed for the last 2 years and that full information is in the possession of the Congress.

No honest enterpriser need fear that because of the passage of such a measure he will be unfairly treated. He would be asked to do no more than he now holds himself out to do. It would merely make certain that those who are less scrupulous than I know most of our producers to be cannot force their more honest competitors into dishonorable ways.

The great majority of those engaged in the trade in food and drugs do not need regulation. They observe the spirit as well as the letter of existing law. Present legislation ought to be directed primarily toward a small minority of evaders and chiselers. At the same time even-handed regulation will not only outlaw the bad practices of the few but will also protect the many from unscrupulous competition. It will, besides, provide a bulwark of consumer confidence throughout the business world.

It is my hope that such legislation may be enacted at this session of the Congress.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 22, 1935.*

FOREIGN SERVICE RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY FUND

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith a report by the Secretary of State showing all receipts and disbursements on account of refunds, allowances, and annuities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934, in connection with the Foreign Service retirement and disability system as required by section 26 (a) of an act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor, approved February 23, 1931.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 22, 1935.*

(Enclosure: Report concerning retirement and disability fund, Foreign Service.)

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on the amendment proposed by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Mr. Frazier raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

REPORT OF DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 110); which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Thirty-seventh Annual Report of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution for the year ended April 1, 1934, be printed with illustrations, as a Senate document.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 6 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, MAR. 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a telegram from Edward I. Dunn, of San Francisco, Calif., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Boston (Mass.) Branch of the National Association of Gardeners favoring adequate appropriations to eradicate the Dutch elm disease; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A petition of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Hingham, Mass., praying the passage of legislation to enable banks to join in the activities of title II of the Federal Housing Act; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Massachusetts State Council United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America remonstrating against certain rules promulgated by the Federal Emergency Administration governing the classification

of labor on public-works construction; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Lawrence, Mass., remonstrating against any tariff or trade agreement that will adversely affect the textile industry of that or any other city in the New England States;

A petition of citizens of Pittsfield, Mass., praying the discontinuance of the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A petition of Eugene Chatelle, of Everett, Mass., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico and favoring the recall of Josephus Daniels as Ambassador to Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Memorials of citizens of Brookline and Norwood, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A memorial of citizens of Attleboro, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for governmental regulation of the production and distribution of bituminous coal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Resolutions adopted by the Eastern Leatherboard Conference and the Fibre Board Manufacturers Association, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of Elizabeth L. McNamara Auxiliary, No. 23, United Spanish War Veterans, of Maiden, Mass., praying the passage of House bill 100, providing for the restoration of pensions to Spanish War veterans; to the Committee on Pensions.

A petition of the St. Brendan Society, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry, of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Shipstead presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring an immediate tariff on pulpwood and newsprint paper; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McKellar presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the legislature favoring the enactment of legislation to control and regulate the butter exchanges of the principal markets of the country, to adopt uniform standards and grades of the Department of Agriculture, and to stabilize the daily market quotations for exchange or open-market sales of butter; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the general assembly favoring the enactment of legislation granting the consent of Congress to the States to levy and collect taxes on gasoline and other motor-vehicle fuels when sold on United States military and other reservations;

A joint resolution of the legislature favoring the inclusion in old-age pension legislation of a provision to cover persons of 40 years of age and over who by reason of total disability on account of physical handicap or otherwise are in need of such assistance; and

A joint resolution of the legislature favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-compensation certificates, with remittance of interest and other charges against the principal sum of such certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution of the legislature favoring an adjustment of freight rates between rate-making or geographical sections; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Dickinson presented a communication addressed to him by H. Fontaine Little, of Sheffield, Ala., favoring direct relief appropriations but not to include provision for the payment of prevailing wages.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1307) to establish a national park on the Daniel Freeman Homestead, in Gage County, Nebr., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 365) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 13) to recognize April 6, 1935, as Army Day, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 366) thereon.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 87) to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 367) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2350) granting an increase of pension to Clara Prentis Bullard; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. La Follette and Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2351) to amend section 66 of the Judicial Code to provide for the enforcement of the lien of State and local taxes against property in the possession of receivers and other officers of the United States courts without leave of such courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2352) for the relief of Alfred Truitt; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2353) for the relief of C. J. Dumbolton; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2354) to authorize preliminary examination and survey of the Columbia River at Rainier, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2355) for the relief of Robert E. McNeff; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2356) to amend the act entitled "An act for the relief of contractors and subcontractors for the post offices and other buildings and work under the supervision of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes", approved August 25, 1919, as amended by act of March 6, 1920; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2358) for the relief of the Farmers Educational and Cooperative State Union of Nebraska, of Omaha, Nebr.;

A bill (S. 2359) for the relief of the Farmers Union Cooperative Association of Wisner, Nebr.; and

A bill (S. 2360) for the relief of the Farmers Union Cooperative Co., of Guide Rock, Nebr.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hayden and Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2361) to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2362) authorizing the erection of a memorial to John D. Orear; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2363) to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the Post Office when appointed as regular laborer; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2364) relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2365) to authorize the President to enter into agreements with foreign governments to readjust the obligations of such governments held by the United States and to secure payments on such readjusted obligations to retire the adjusted-service certificates now outstanding, and to authorize the President to make payment of the adjusted-service certificates whenever he shall find it not incompatible with the public interest, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2366) to authorize the President to make payments of the adjusted-service certificates under certain conditions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

F. A. Hoffman; steamship *Boxley;* Sallie S. Twilley; and Western Construction Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

Migratory-bird refuges; to the Committee on Conservation and Wild Life Resources.

Camp Eagle Pass, Tex.; Emergency Officers' Retirement Act of May 24, 1928; James W. Emison; William H. Kyle; and Albert T. Lipford; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Raymond Nelson Hickman; and Thomas A. Sears; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Maud Brindle; Birdie Brugh; Frederick L. Long; Annie R. C. Owen; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 3896, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INDEPENDENCE OF THE PHILIPPINES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

I have pleasure in informing the Congress that I have today certified to the Governor General of the Philippine Islands that the proposed constitution of the Philippines as adopted by the Philippine Constitutional Convention conforms substantially with the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 24, 1934 (U. S. L., vol. 48, pp. 456–465).

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 23, 1935.*

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the following amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, viz. on page 10, after line 3, insert the following:

Part II—Financing—Expansion of currency thereby making it possible for the people to secure funds for payment of taxes necessary to balance the Budget and to meet the interest and principal of the bonds made necessary by the appropriation made in section 1 of this act

Sec. 12. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed—

(1) To issue silver certificates against all silver bullion now held or hereafter acquired at its monetary value, and such silver certificates shall be placed in circulation immediately through the payment of maturing obligations.

(2) All silver certificates issued and outside the Treasury, and all silver certificates which may be hereafter issued, shall, upon receipt by the Secretary of the Treasury, be reissued and paid out again and kept in circulation as provided for legal-tender notes in chapter 146 of the United States Statutes at Large, Forty-fifth Congress, and approved May 31, 1878.

Sec. 13. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to purchase silver bullion at the rate of not less than fifty million ounces per month wherever silver shall be procurable at a price to be fixed by him from time to time, and the silver so purchased shall be paid for, held, and deposited as provided by law: Provided, That such purchase of silver shall continue until the proportion of silver to gold in the monetary stocks of the United States shall equal one-fourth of the monetary value of such stocks, or until the price of silver in the world markets, based upon international exchange, shall reach the value of $1.29 per fine ounce, whereupon such purchases shall cease: Provided, further, That (a) at any time the price of silver in such world markets reaches the value of $1.29 per fine ounce, the mint is hereby opened to the free acceptance of silver upon the basis of three hundred and seventy-one and one-quarter grains of fine silver to the dollar as provided in section 9 of chapter 16 of the First Statutes of 1792; (b) that payment for all silver accepted, as provided herein, shall be made in standard silver dollars or in silver certificates at the option of the person, firm, association, or corporation tending silver for coinage; (c) that to the end that the necessary proportion of silver may be acquired for our metallic monetary stocks, the Secretary of the Treasury may, in his discretion, exhange gold or silver on a fair and equitable basis of price and silver certificates shall be issued immediately against all silver thus acquired by such exchange as provided in paragraph 1 of section 12 hereof; (d) that the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to accept silver at an agreed price in settlement and adjustment of any balance due the United States; and (e) that the Secretary of the Treasury shall make all needful rules and regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of this title.

On motion by Mr. Robinson to lay the amendment on the table,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative { Yeas 40 / Nays 33 }

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Clark, Coolidge, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, Minton, Norris, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Borah, Capper, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Murray, Norbeck, Nye, Pope, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Wheeler, and White.

So the amendment of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma to further amend the joint resolution by inserting on page 10, after line 3, a further provision relating to currency expansion,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Buckley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dietrich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma was agreed to.

The joint resolution was further amended on the motion of Mr. McCarran, the motion of Mr. King, and the motion of Mr. George.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Stelwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the joint resolution read a third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the joint resolution pass?

It was determined in the affirmative { Yeas---------- 68 / Nays---------- 16

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Barbour, Bulkley, Byrd, Dickinson, Donahey, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the joint resolution pass.

On motion by Mr. Clark to reconsider the vote whereby the said joint resolution was passed,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The motion of Mr. Clark was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said joint resolution and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Glass, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Keyes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR TREASURY AND POST OFFICE DEPARTMENTS

On motion by Mr. Glass,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MAR. 26, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, March 23, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and expenditures of the Corporation for the month of February 1935, together with a statement of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

USELESS PAPERS IN VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of papers and documents in the Veterans' Administration which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Administration and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison and Mr. Couzens as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AT HOWARD UNIVERSITY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 107, agreed to March 16, 1935, a report relating to an investigation of alleged irregularities at Howard University, Washington, D. C., during the latter part of 1934 and to date; which, with the accompanying papers, was ordered to lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, of Jackson, Miss., and the Rotary Club of Ruleville, Miss., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota favoring the enactment of legislation imposing an immediate tariff on pulpwood and newsprint paper; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to provide a comprehensive plan for the deporting of undesirable aliens and aliens who are illegally within this country, and memorializing Congress to enact proper legislation providing for the deportation of aliens who are dependent upon public relief;

Petitions numerously signed by citizens of various States praying the immediate passage of legislation designed to halt the activities of individuals and organizations within our country seeking to overthrow our Government by force and violence; and

Resolutions adopted by various organizations in the State of New York remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing of civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring a protective tariff on barley and other farm products, and requesting the national administration not to make further reciprocal tariff or trade agreements by which the interests of the American farmers are sacrificed; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the repeal or modification of the long- and short-haul provisions of section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of the Citizens' Joint Committee on Fiscal Relations Between the United States and the District of Columbia favoring an increase in the amount appropriated on the part of the United States toward the support of the government of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

Resolutions adopted by the Common Councils of Buffalo, N. Y., and the Borough of Sayreville, N. J., and the City Council of Monterey Park, Calif., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. King presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the repeal or modification of the long-and-short-haul provisions of section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Fletcher presented a communication addressed to him by the executive secretary of the Envelope Manufacturers Association of America, of New York City, relative to the effect of codes under the National Industrial Recovery Act on the envelope manufacturing industry; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey favoring the enactment of legislation providing relief to depositors in closed national banks; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska, which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

A resolution of the senate favoring the enactment of legislation requiring all motor-vehicle fuels to contain ethyl alcohol in a volume of not less than 10 percent of the mixture; and

A resolution of the house of representatives remonstrating against the passage of any additional legislation imposing processing taxes upon livestock.

Mr. Duffy presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide a protective tariff on barley and other farm products, and requesting the national administration not to make further reciprocal tariff or trade agreements by which the interests of the American farmers are sacrificed; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Wagner presented the following telegrams, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A telegram from the treasurer of the Brack Container Corporation, of Rochester, N. Y., favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years; and

A telegram from the Endicott Johnson Corporation, of Endicott, N. Y., favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years, and remonstrating against the enactment of legislation arbitrarily setting the hours of labor in industry to 30 per week.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Wilmington, Del., by the Electrical Contractors Association of Delaware favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years, with certain necessary changes to make the same more effective;

A resolution adopted by the Polish American Democratic Club, of Chicopee, Mass., favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation, unemployment insurance, and a 30-hour work week for industry; and

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Fitchburg, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Finnish Federation of Lowell, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation penalizing mere utterance in the absence of overt acts, increasing the powers of censorship over the mails by the Post Office Department, creating any agency to deal with activities because of their political or economic character, or adding restrictions on political opinion in controlling immigration and deportation; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Holy Name Society of St. Laurence O'Tooles' Church, of Lawrence, Mass., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Lincoln Council, No. 10, of Brooklyn, and Oceanside Council No. 114, of Oceanside, of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, in the State of New York, favoring the passage of legislation reducing immigration 40 percent, and creating in the Department of Justice a Bureau of Alien Deportations;

A resolution adopted by the Women's Auxiliary of Syracuse (N. Y.) Post No. 41, American Legion, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing that religious views or philosophical opinions against war or the bearing of arms in defense of this country shall not debar aliens otherwise qualified from citizenship; and

A resolution adopted by the King's Highway Youth Branch of the American League Against War and Fascism, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the People's Open Forum, of Jamestown, N. Y., favoring the enactment of unemployment insurance, old-age pensions, and social-security legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Long Island Chamber of Commerce, of New York City, and the Lions Club, of Brewster, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies;

A resolution adopted by the Greece Central Parent-Teacher Association, of Greece, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a national film institute in the Department of the Interior; and

Resolutions adopted by the Warsaw Village Board, of Warsaw, and Seneca Grange, No. 284, Patrons of Husbandry, of Stanley, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation to regulate motor vehicles engaged in interstate commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Syracuse (N. Y.) Association of Credit Men favoring amendments to the present bankruptcy act as relating to credit matters; and

A resolution adopted by the United Spanish War Veterans Samuel M. Porter Camp, No. 45, of Jamestown, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation making it a crime to advocate or promote the overthrow of the Government by force or violence, and providing for the exclusion and expulsion of alien Communists; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Resolutions adopted by Stanley B. Pennock Post, No. 2893, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Solvay, Wolfe Tone Council of the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, of New York City, and a petition of citizens of New York City, all in the State of New York, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry, of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE ON COMMERCE

Mr. Robinson presented a communication from the Secretary of State, with an accompanying copy of a letter from the American Ambassador at Brussels, transmitting a copy and translation of a letter to the Ambassador by the Secretary General of the International Parliamentary Conference on Commerce, inviting participation by the American Government in the twentieth plenary assembly of the Conference at Westminster Palace in London on October 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, submitted a report (No. 361) to accompany the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes, heretofore reported.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3071) for the relief of Second Lt. Charles E. Upson, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 368) thereon.

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2117) for the relief of Cora A. Snyder, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 369) thereon.

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1575) to correct the military record of John S. Cannell, deceased, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 370) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2333) for the relief of John W. Dady, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 371) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 395) relative to the qualifications of practitioners of law in the District of Columbia, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 372) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 983) for the relief of Grady D. Coleman, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 373) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2149) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 2368) to promote safety of life and property at sea and to aid in preventing marine disasters; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2369) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the repatriation of certain insane American citizens", approved March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1495); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2370) for the relief of Okaloosa County, Fla.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2371) for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 2372) for the relief of Chase, Leavitt & Co., of Portland, Maine (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2373) for the relief of Harry Jarrette; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2374) for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2375) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Osage Tribe of Indians on account of their lands sold by the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2376) granting a pension to Effie Welsh; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2377) for the relief of W. J. DuRant; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2378) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2379) making it unlawful to use the mails to solicit or effect insurance or collect insurance premiums in any State without complying with the insurance laws thereof, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 2380) for the relief of Wilbur N. Fisher; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2381) for the relief of Harry V. Snyder; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2382) granting a pension to Ella Beagle; and

A bill (S. 2383) granting an increase of pension to Samuel L. Haynes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2384) to provide for cooperation with the States in the promotion of conservation education in the public elementary schools, high schools, colleges, and universities; to provide for cooperation with the States in the preparation of teachers, supervisors, and directors of conservation subjects on the natural resources; and to appropriate money and regulate its expenditure; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 2385) granting a pension to Alice E. Pillsbury; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2386) granting a pension to Helen M. Crowley; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2387) for the relief of Jonathan L. Whitney (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2388) authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2389) granting a pension to Martha Ross (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2390) granting a pension to James T. Lanpher (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2391) to amend section 4 of the United States Grain Standards Act of 1916 as relating to the use of the official grain standards of the United States on grain moved in interstate commerce from shipping points to destination points without official grade determination; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2392) to promote the public health, safety, and welfare by providing for the elimination of insanitary and dangerous housing conditions, to relieve congestion areas, to aid in the construction and supervision of low-rental dwelling accommodations, and to further national industrial recovery through the employment of labor and materials; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2393) for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2394) to authorize the transfer of certain military reservations to other departments of the Government, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2395) to authorize exchange of lands at military reservations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2396) to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933, enacted to safeguard the interests and welfare of Indians of the Taos Pueblo, N. Mex., in certain lands within the Carson National Forest; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2397) authorizing the retirement of First Lt. Lucius L. Handly, Medical Corps, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Cutting:

A bill (S. 2398) authorizing extensions of time on oil- and gas-prospecting permits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Robinson:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 92) making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 93) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934; to the Committee on Commerce.

IMPORTS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 111):

Whereas it is publicly recorded that within the last 12 months there has been an influx into the United States of a large volume of agricultural products, of a kind and nature produced in the United States, which are displacing markets of our American farmers in meats, grains, and other items; and

Whereas Secretary of State Hull, in a public address on March 24, 1935, stated that we are confronting a crisis in our foreign trade, and suggests a continuation of further importations of farm products and a general lowering of our tariff restrictions; and

Whereas this country has been paying out of public funds millions of dollars to compensate farmers and stock raisers for limiting crops and reducing and destroying stock, with the object of eliminating national surpluses and thereby raising the price of the products of American farmers and stock raisers; and

Whereas the unhampered importation of competing agricultural products cannot do otherwise than injure the farmers and stock raisers by increasing our surpluses and using up our American markets, which traditionally belong to American farmers by natural law; and

Whereas it is of vital public interest, especially to Congress, that the status of the alleged imports be made known: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Treasury be requested to transmit to the Senate full and detailed information regarding the imports of agricultural products into the United States from January 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935, by countries of origin, dates of importation, the kinds, volume, and value in dollars of such imports, the names of the transporting ships, and the United States ports of entry; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretaries of Commerce and Agriculture and Special Foreign Trade Adviser Hon. George N. Peek

be requested to transmit to the Senate any information available in their departments covering the calendar or fiscal years from 1904 to December 31, 1934, showing the cotton acreage, annual production and consumption, and annual import and export, in volume and dollar value of the cotton produced and consumed by the separate countries of the world, together with the annual world surplus; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretaries of Commerce and Agriculture and Special Foreign Trade Adviser Hon. George N. Peek be requested to transmit to the Senate any information available in their Departments covering the calendar and/or fiscal years from 1904 to December 31, 1934, showing the wheat acreage, annual production and consumption, and annual import and/or export, and volume and dollar value of the wheat produced and consumed by the separate countries of the world, together with the annual world surplus.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 24, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 24) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

Mr. Copeland submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 5, 9, 19, 24, 27, 30, and 34.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 3, 4, 6, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 23, and 33, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$87,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 8: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 8, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment amended to read as follows: *seven retired officers on active duty, $9,600*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$161,063,594*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 12: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 12, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$160,778,594*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$297,155*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 21: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 21, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$10,549,104*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$500,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 29: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$4,452,304*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 31: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 31, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$2,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

On amendments numbered 7, 10, 17, 25, 26, 28, and 32 the committee of conference have been unable to agree.

ROYAL S. COPELAND,
CARL HAYDEN,
MORRIS SHEPPARD,
PETER NORBECK,
JOHN G. TOWNSEND, Jr.,
Managers on the art of the Senate.
TILMAN B. PARKS,
THOMAS L. BLANTON,
THOMAS S. MCMILLAN,
J. BUELL SNYDER,
JOHN F. DOCKWEILER,
CHESTER C. BOLTON,
D. LANE POWERS,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6511, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR TREASURY AND POST OFFICE DEPARTMENTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Glass, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray,

Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Bankhead.

On motion by Mr. Steiwer, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 16, line 6, was reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes to amend the said amendment by striking out, on lines 16 and 17, on page 17, the words "have passed an appropriate open competitive examination" and inserting in lieu thereof certain words, and by striking out on lines 17 and 18 the words "after June 19, 1934,",

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Byrnes was agreed to; and

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. McAdoo, the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, the motion of Mr. Glass, and the motion of Mr. Murray.

On motion by Mr. McKellar to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 57, line 8, after the numerals "$28,850,000" the following:

Provided, That no part of the moneys shall be paid on any contract which, after examination by the Comptroller General, is found to be invalid or illegal:

Mr. McNary raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was not a limitation on the pending bill, but was legislation and not in order under rule XVI.

The President pro tempore sustained the point of order, stating: In the opinion of the present occupant of the chair an amendment limiting an appropriation is always in order, but if coupled with any provision imposing a duty upon another officer of the Government it is in the nature of general legislation and is subject to a point of order.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Glass, Mr. McKellar, Mr. McAdoo, Mr. Trammell, Mr. Steiwer, and Mr. Norbeck.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Arnold, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Taber, and Mr. Bacon managers at the same on its part.

PUBLICITY OF INCOME-TAX RETURNS

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. La Follette to amend the bill by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Harrison, at 5 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 27, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 174) to permit articles im-

ported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed without amendment the bill (S. 935) to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

ORDER FOR CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the consideration of the unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income, is completed the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on yesterday they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 24) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

USELESS PAPERS IN DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, lists of papers in various offices of the Department and in the Public Works Administration which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Department and the Administration and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Useless Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Wagner and Mr. Norbeck as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

QUINCENTENARY OF SWEDISH RIKSDAG

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State relative to a celebration of the five hundredth anniversary of the Swedish Riksdag, to be held from May 27 to May 30, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska remonstrating against the enactment of any additional legislation imposing processing taxes upon livestock; and

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska favoring the enactment of legislation to require all motor-vehicle fuels to contain ethyl alcohol in a volume of not less than 10 percent of the mixture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of Herbert Moscow, of New York City, remonstrating against increasing appropriations for the building up of the Army and Navy; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by Local No. 31, International Hod Carriers' Building & Common Laborers' Union of America, of Union City, N. J., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to abrogate civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A communication from Dr. Frank G. Atwood, of New Haven, Conn., challenging the fitness of Hon. Huey P. Long as United States Senator and praying his expulsion from the Senate; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by the Woodrow Wilson Democratic Ex-Service Men's Club, of Camden, N. J., and a petition of Pomona Post 2018, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Pomona, Calif., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A resolution adopted by the San Diego Townsend Club No. 3, of San Diego, Calif., favoring the passage of legislation providing for old-age pensions under the so-called "Townsend plan";

A petition of Walter Gray, of Norfolk, Va., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Gilpin Street Branch Unemployment Councils, of Denver, Colo., favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the council of the city of Los Angeles, Calif., favoring the passage of legislation providing a 6-hour day for employees of carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce and a 30-hour work week in industry; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Costigan presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado favoring the payment to producers of silver the full value thereof, deducting only a fair and reasonable charge for the cost of refining and minting; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Costigan presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado favoring the enactment of legislation providing a 6-hour day and a 5-day week for labor in industry; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Robinson presented a communication from the secretary-treasurer of the J. M. Bryant & Sons Co., of Clarksville, Ark., remonstrating against the restrictions on bulk sales in the liquor code as affecting the cooperage and stave and heading manufacturing industries and granting a monopoly to glass bottle manufacturers; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide a protective tariff on barley and other farm products, and requesting the national administration not to make further reciprocal tariff or trade agreements by which the interests of the American farmers are sacrificed; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of war veterans' organizations in the State of Kansas praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Maloney presented a petition of citizens of Hartford, Conn., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; which was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Bone presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington favoring a raising of the present rule of tolerance for spray residue of lead per pound of fruit to a higher rate to enable the apple industry of the State of Washington to destroy pests attacking it without barring their fruit from interstate and foreign markets; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Pope presented a resolution adopted by the City Council of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1990) to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 374) thereon.

Mr. Russell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 375) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2399) to permit citizens of the Philippine Islands to receive instruction at the United States Military Academy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2400) amending title II, section 202 (b), of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 38, sec. 613); to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2401) granting a pension to Emma Williams (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 2402) for the relief of Josephine M. Scott; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2403) authorizing the President to promote Charles T. S. Gladden to the grade of commander, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2404) to grant the consent of Congress to George Washington Memorial Bridge Public Corporation, a corporation, to construct a bridge across the Potomac River; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 2405) to provide a special clerk and liaison officer; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2406) for the relief of Nancy Jordan; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 2407) for the relief of Gordon McGee; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2408) granting an increase of pension to Frank C. Nelson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2409) for the relief of Lottie May Bolin;

A bill (S. 2410) for the relief of Bessie B. Hurd, formerly Bessie B. Fowlkes;

A bill (S. 2411) for the relief of Mae C. Tibbett, administratrix; and

A bill (S. 2412) for the relief of Daniel N. Farnell; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2413) for the relief of W. B. Fountain; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2414) to amend an act entitled "An act to extend the functions of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for 2 years and for other purposes", approved January 31, 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2415) granting a pension to James L. Sloan (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2416) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 2417) to establish the Shoshone Ice Caves National Park of Idaho; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2418) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2419) granting a pension to Hector J. Robitaille; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2420) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Maloney:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 94) establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 95) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes incident to said encampment; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

CALIFORNIA PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 174) to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

An objection to a request of Mr. McAdoo for the consideration of the said joint resolution having been interposed by Mr. McNary,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be, under rule XIV, placed on the calendar.

PUBLICITY OF INCOME-TAX RETURNS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. La Follette, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke,

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Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Couzens raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Bone in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette modified his amendment.

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. La Follette's amendment, as modified, viz., Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That section 55 of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 55. Publicity of returns.

"(a) Returns made under this title upon which the tax has been determined by the Commissioner shall constitute public records and shall be open to public examination and inspection under rules and regulations promulgated by the Secretary and approved by the President.

"(b) (1) The Secretary and any officer or employee of the Treasury Department, upon request from the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives, the Committee on Finance of the Senate, or a select committee of the Senate or House specially authorized to investigate returns by a resolution of the Senate or House, or a joint committee so authorized by concurrent resolution, shall furnish such committee sitting in executive session with any data of any character contained in or shown by any return.

"(2) Any such committee shall have the right, acting directly as a committee, or by or through such examiners or agents as it may designate or appoint, to inspect any or all of the returns at such times and in such manner as it may determine.

"(3) Any relevant or useful information thus obtained may be submitted by the committee obtaining it to the Senate or the House, or to both the Senate and the House, as the case may be.

"(c) The proper officers of any State may, upon the request of the Governor thereof, have access to the returns of any person, or to an abstract thereof showing the name and income of any person, at such times and in such manner as the Secretary may prescribe.

"(d) The Commissioner shall as soon as practicable in each year cause to be prepared and made available to public inspection in such manner as he may determine, in the office of the collector of each internal-revenue district and in such other places as he may determine, lists containing the name and the post-office address of each person making an income-tax return in such district.

"(e) No person shall obtain, divulge, or circulate, or offer to obtain, divulge, or circulate for compensation any information derived from an income-tax return: Provided, That this subsection shall not be construed to prohibit publication by any newspaper of information derived from income-tax returns for purposes of argument nor to prohibit any public speaker from referring to such information in any address. Any person violating any of the provisions of this subsection shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than $100 or more than $500, or by imprisonment for not less than one month or more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 25 / Nays 51 }

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Capper, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Hatch, La Follette, Long, McCarran, McKellar, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Trammell, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hayden, King, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment, as modified, was not agreed to.

The bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Costigan.

A further amendment thereto, dealing with tax rates, having been proposed by Mr. La Follette,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Harrison, at 5 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Architect of the Capitol, transmitting, pursuant to law, his annual report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and ordered to be printed.

DECEMBER CORNER IN SUGAR

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 41, agreed to January 14, 1935, a report relative to a so-called "corner" in sugar futures in December 1934 on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange; which, with the accompanying papers, was ordered to lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of various States praying an investigation of the charges against Senators Long and Overton filed by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A petition of the Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Club, No. 1, of Findlay, Ohio, praying the passage of legislation providing old-age pensions under the so-called "Townsend plan"; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by the city council of Campbell, Ohio, and the village board of Madison, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Moore presented an article in the March 1935 issue of the National Republic by Hon. Edward A. Kenney, entitled "Camp Merritt, National Shrine"; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4016. An act to repeal section 16 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the distribution, promotion, retirement, and discharge of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps, and for other purposes", approved May 29, 1934;

H. R. 5576. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5577. An act to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve; and

H. R. 5599. An act to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 4016, H. R. 5576, H. R. 5577, and H. R. 5599, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1994) to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 376) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 93) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 377) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 448. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 378);

S. 449. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 379); and

S. 1317. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods (Rept. No. 380).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 865) authorizing a survey of the Willamette River and its tributaries, in the State of Oregon, with a view to controlling floods, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 381) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1533) to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District, No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 382) thereon.

Mr. Pope, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2881) authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 383) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1571) granting the consent of Congress to the States of Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming to negotiate and enter into a compact or agreement for division of the waters of the Little Missouri River, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 384) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1077) to further extend the time in which the States of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, and Wyoming may enter into a compact or agreement respecting the disposition and apportionment of the waters of the Columbia River and its tributaries, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 385) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2421) to amend the act entitled "An act forbidding the transportation of any person in interstate or foreign commerce, kidnaped, or otherwise unlawfully detained, and making such act a felony", as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2422) for the relief of Harry C. Anderson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2423) granting a pension to Mary A. Williams (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2424) to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a central research and experiment station of the Bureau of Mines at Salt Lake City, Utah; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2425) for the relief of Alice Markham Kavanaugh; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2426) to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as the "Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2427) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to erect and lease or operate custom mills for the treatment of gold and silver ore; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2428) to amend the Revenue Act of 1934 to allow as deductions from gross income contributions to unemployment benefit funds; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2429) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at Park Falls, Wis.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2430) to amend "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States', approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto", approved June 7, 1934 (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PUBLICITY OF INCOME-TAX RETURNS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. La Follette, inserting at the end of the bill the following:

Sec. 2. (a) Section 11 of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to the normal tax on individuals, is amended by striking out "4 per centum" and inserting in lieu thereof "6 per centum."

(b) Section 12 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to rates of surtax, is amended to read as follows:

"(b) Rates of surtax: There shall be levied, collected, and paid for each taxable year upon the surtax net income of every individual of surtax as follows:

"Upon a surtax net income of $4,000 there shall be no surtax; upon surtax net incomes in excess of $4,000 and not in excess of $8,000, 6 per centum of such excess.

"$240 upon surtax net incomes of $8,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $8,000 and not in excess of $10,000, 7½ per centum in addition of such excess.

"$390 upon surtax net incomes of $10,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $10,000 and not in excess of $12,000, 9 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$570 upon surtax net incomes of $12,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $12,000 and not in excess of $14,000, 10½ per centum in addition of such excess.

"$780 upon surtax net incomes of $14,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $14,000 and not in excess of $16,000, 12 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,020 upon surtax net incomes of $16,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $16,000 and not in excess of $18,000, 15 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,320 upon surtax net incomes of $18,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $18,000 and not in excess of $20,000, 18 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,680 upon surtax net incomes of $20,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $20,000 and not in excess of $22,000, 21 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$2,100 upon surtax net incomes of $22,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $22,000 and not in excess of $26,000, 24 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$3,060 upon surtax net incomes of $26,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $26,000 and not in excess of $32,000, 27 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$4,680 upon surtax net incomes of $32,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $32,000 and not in excess of $38,000, 31½ per centum in addition of such excess.

"$6,570 upon surtax net incomes of $38,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $38,000 and not in excess of $44,000, 36 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$8,730 upon surtax net incomes of $44,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $44,000 and not in excess of $50,000, 40½ per centum in addition of such excess.

"$11,160 upon surtax net incomes of $50,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $50,000 and not in excess of $56,000, 45 per centum in addition of such excess.

$13,860 upon surtax net incomes of $56,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $56,000 and not in excess of $62,000, 48 per centum in addition of such excess.

$16,740 upon surtax net incomes of $62,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $62,000 and not in excess of $68,000, 51 per centum in addition of such excess.

$19,800 upon surtax net incomes of $68,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $68,000 and not in excess of $74,000, 54 per centum in addition of such excess.

$23,040 upon surtax net incomes of $74,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $74,000 and not in excess of $80,000, 57 per centum in addition of such excess.

$26,460 upon surtax net incomes of $80,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $80,000 and not in excess of $90,000, 60 per centum in addition of such excess.

$32,460 upon surtax net incomes of $90,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $90,000 and not in excess of $100,000, 63 per centum in addition of such excess.

$38,760 upon surtax net incomes of $100,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $100,000 and not in excess of $150,000, 65 per centum in addition of such excess.

$71,260 upon surtax net incomes of $150,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $150,000 and not in excess of $200,000, 66 per centum in addition of such excess.

$104,260 upon surtax net incomes of $200,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $200,000 and not in excess of $300,000, 67 per centum in addition of such excess.

$171,260 upon surtax net incomes of $300,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $300,000 and not in excess of $400,000, 68 per centum in addition of such excess.

$239,260 upon surtax net incomes of $400,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $400,000 and not in excess of $500,000, 69 per centum in addition of such excess.

$308,260 upon surtax net incomes of $500,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $500,000 and not in excess of $1,000,000, 70 per centum in addition of such excess.

$658,260 upon surtax net incomes of $1,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,000,000, 71 per centum in addition of such excess.

(c) Section 143 of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to withholding of tax at the source, is amended by striking out "4 per centum" wherever appearing in such section and inserting in lieu thereof "6 per centum."

(d) Section 25 (b) (1) of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to personal exemption, is amended by striking out "$1,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$800"; and by striking out "$2,500" wherever appearing in such subsection and inserting in lieu thereof "$2,000."

(e) Section 213 of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to personal exemption of nonresident aliens, is amended by striking out "$1,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$800."

(f) Section 51 of the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to individual returns, is amended by striking out "$1,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$800"; and by striking out "$2,500" wherever appearing in such section and inserting in lieu thereof "$2,000."

(g) The provisions of this section shall apply only to taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1935. Income taxes for taxable years beginning prior to January 1, 1935, shall be levied, collected, and paid as if this section had not been enacted.

Mr. Harrison raised a point of order, viz, that the pending bill is not, in a strict sense, a revenue bill, and to put a tax provision on this bill is contrary to the provision of the Constitution that all bills for raising revenue should originate in the House of Representatives.

Pending debate,

Mr. Neely raised a question of order, viz, that debate on a question of order, unless the question has been referred to the Senate by the Presiding Officer, is out of order under rule XX.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

The Vice President, after making the following statement, submitted to the Senate the question, Shall the point of order raised by Mr. Harrison be sustained?

The present occupant of the chair has at no time declined to construe the rules of the Senate; and if this were a matter of the rules of the Senate, he would not hesitate for a moment to express his opinion about it and make a ruling.

It seems to the Chair, however, that this is purely a constitutional question; and under the rulings and under the precedents for more than a hundred years, where constitutional questions are involved as to the right of the Senate to act, the Chair has universally submitted the question to the Senate.

The Chair thinks the logic of that rule is correct, the reasoning of it is good, because the Chair might undertake to interpret the Constitution when a majority of the Senators would have a different viewpoint. So the Chair is going to follow a long line of precedents and submit to the Senate the question whether or not it is constitutional for the Senate to propose this amendment; and it occurs to the Chair that the only question involved is, Is this a bill to raise revenue?

So the Chair is going to submit to the Senate of the United States the question as to whether or not the Senate, under the Constitution, has a right to propose this amendment.

The point of order has been made by the Senator from Mississippi [Mr. Harrison] to the amendment of the Senator from Wisconsin [Mr. La Follette].

The question before the Senate is whether or not the point of order shall be sustained. That question is debatable.

The Vice President, in connection with the submission to the Senate of the point of order, cited the following precedents:

[From the Constitution of the United States, as revised and annotated, 1924]

ARTICLE 1, SECTION 7, CLAUSE 1, REVENUE BILLS

All bills for raising revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives; but the Senate may propose or concur with amendments as on other bills.

"All bills for raising revenue."

"The construction of this limitation is practically settled by the uniform action of Congress confining it to bills to levy taxes in the strict sense of the word, and it has not been understood to extend to bills for purposes which incidentally create revenue."

U. S. v. *Norton* (91 U. S. 566).

Twin City Bank v. *Nebeker* (167 U. S. 196).

Millard v. *Roberts* (202 U. S. 429).

QUESTIONS INVOLVING CONSTITUTIONALITY OF BILLS ARE SUBMITTED TO SENATE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1924

The Senate, in a call of the calendar under rule VIII, reached the bill (S. 120) to provide for a tax on motor-vehicle fuels sold within the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

Mr. McKellar made a point of order against the bill on the ground that it was a revenue measure and that under the Constitution of the United States all revenue-raising measures must originate in the House of Representatives, and that the bill had no place on the Senate Calendar.

The question was argued, and Mr. Lenroot made the contention that it was not the function of the Chair to pass upon the question of whether bills are or are not in violation of the Constitution.

After further argument, the President pro tempore (Albert B. Cummins, of Iowa) made the following ruling:

"The Chair is of the opinion that he has no authority to declare a proposed act unconstitutional. The only precedent which the Chair has been able to find since the question arose was presented to the Senate in 1830, and the Vice President then in the chair ruled in accordance with the suggestion which the Chair has just made, holding that it was a question which must be submitted to the Senate and one which could not be ruled upon by the Chair, which entirely concurs with the views of the present occupant of the chair in the matter. The question before the Senate, therefore, is, Shall the point of order which is made by the Senator from Tennessee [Mr. McKellar], which is that the bill now under consideration is unconstitutional and should have originated in the House of Representatives, be sustained? [Putting the question.] The ayes have it, and the point of order is sustained. The bill will be indefinitely postponed."

JANUARY 22, 1925

The Senate had under consideration the bill (S. 3674) reclassifying the salaries of postmasters and employees of the Postal Service, readjusting their salaries and compensation on an equitable basis, increasing postal rates to provide for such readjustment, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Swanson raised a question of order, viz, that that portion of the bill dealing with increased postal rates proposed to raise revenue, and, under the Constitution, must originate in the House of Representatives, and was therefore in contravention of the Constitution.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Jones of Washington) held that the Chair had no authority to pass upon the constitutionality of a bill, and submitted to the Senate the question, Shall the point of order be sustained?

On the following day the Senate, by a vote of 29 yeas to 50 nays, overruled the point of order.

The bill was subsequently passed and transmitted to the House of Representatives. On February 3 the House returned the bill to the Senate with the statement that it contravened the first clause of the seventh section of the first article of the Constitution and was an infringement of the privileges of the House.

The message and bill were referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, and no further action taken. A House bill, H. R. 11444, of an identical title, was subsequently passed by both Houses and became a law.

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MARCH 2, 1931

Mr. Capper moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 5818) to regulate commerce between the United States and foreign countries in crude petroleum and all products of petroleum, including fuel oil, and to limit the importation thereof, and for other purposes.

Mr. Ashurst made the point of order that the bill was a revenue-raising measure, and, under the Constitution, should originate in the House of Representatives.

The Vice President submitted the point of order to the Senate.

Mr. Capper's motion was subsequently laid on the table, and the point of order was not passed upon.

DECEMBER 17, 1932

The Senate had under consideration the bill (H. R. 7233) to enable the people of the Philippine Islands to adopt a constitution and to provide a government for the Philippine Islands, to provide for the independence of the same, and for other purposes.

Mr. Dickinson offered an amendment imposing on imports of pearl buttons or shells, in excess of 800,000 gross in a year, the same rates of duty imposed on like articles imported from foreign countries.

Mr. Walsh of Montana raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment proposed to raise revenue and could not, under the Constitution, originate with the Senate.

The Vice President submitted to the Senate the question, Is the point of order well taken? and

It was determined in the affirmative.

Subsequently, Mr. Dickinson stated that the amendment above indicated was identical, except as to the commodity, with the language in the bill dealing with sugar and coconut oil; when

The President pro tempore ruled that in view of the language contained in the House text, the amendment was in order.

Pending debate,

Mr. Reynolds raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Barkley in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The point of order raised by Mr. Harrison was sustained by the Senate.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 53 / Nays---------- 16

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Duffy, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, King, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bilbo, Black, Bone, Capper, Clark, Couzens, Cutting, Donahey, Frazier, La Follette, Long Murray, Norris, Schwellenbach, Trammell, and Wheeler.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The title thereof was amended to read as follows: "An act to amend certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income."

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. Couzens, and Mr. Keyes.

Mr. Couzens resigned as a conferee on the part of the Senate on the foregoing bill.

The Vice President appointed Mr. La Follette to fill the vacancy in the conference committee.

Mr. La Follette also resigned as a conferee; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Metcalf to fill the vacancy.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of its action with respect to the said bill.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 935, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 935) to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

CALIFORNIA PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

On motion by Mr. McAdoo, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 174) to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 1990) of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MAR. 29, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF A QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 403. An act to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections numbered 5 and 6; and

S. 406. An act to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes."

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 404. An act to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes; and

S. 408. An act to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Montana favoring an investigation of the activities and affairs of smelters and favoring adequate appropriations for the Bureau of Mines; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Montana favoring the enactment of legislation providing that oil, gas, and other mineral rights in any land purchased by the Government in the Western States under the program for the purchase of submarginal lands be reserved to the vendor; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A resolution adopted by the Third Ward Democratic Club of Camden, N. J., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by the Universal Peace League, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to abrogate civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolutions:

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Montana favoring the passage of Senate bill 266, providing for the erection of a public historical museum in the Custer Battlefield National Cemetery in Montana;

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Montana urging the enactment of legislation to restore the assay office at Helena, Mont., and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania favoring the enactment of legislation to enable the Federal Government to assist in the prevention of the crime of lynching and punish offenders against the Federal law.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Maloney presented a resolution adopted by Group No. 820, Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America, of Bridgeport, Conn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the States of New Jersey and Rhode Island, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey favoring the enactment of legislation providing relief to depositors in closed national banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution of the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island endorsing and favoring a continuance of the investigation of munitions manufacturers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Stephen F. Rutledge Post, No. 864, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Brookline, Mass., favoring ample appropriations for the Naval Reserve for increasing aviation divisions and training of the volunteer classes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by the Chicopee (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce urging the enactment of legislation which will restrict the importation of any textile article from any country in a greater volume than the average volume annually of that article from such country during the period 1930 to 1934, inclusive; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Mission Hill Boston College Club, of Boston, and a memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico and asking for the recall of the American Ambassador to that country; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of directors of the Barnstable County National Bank, of Hyannis, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of members of the Chelsea Soldiers' Home, of Chelsea, Mass., remonstrating against any action that will place the home under Federal control; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorial:

A petition of the Holyoke Central Labor Union, of Holyoke, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; and

A memorial of the Somerville (Mass.) Chapter, International Society of Master Painters and Decorators, Inc., remonstrating against the passage of said legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Long Beach (N. Y.) Board of Trade favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of star-route carriers in the State of New York praying the passage of Senate bill 1590, to provide for the issuance of route certificates to carriers on star routes and fixing the compensation of such carriers; and

A petition of citizens of Rochester, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by Rockaway Branch, American League Against War and Fascism, of Rockaway Park, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Building Trades Civic League, of Bronx, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation that will interfere with the collective-bargaining provisions of the National Recovery Act; which was ordered to lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted the views of the minority on the bill (S. 87) to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act; which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 367.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1726. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal in the State of Texas (Rept. No. 386);

S. 2394. A bill to authorize the transfer of certain military reservations to other departments of the Government, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 387); and

S. 2395. A bill to authorize exchange of lands at military reservations, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 388).

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 98) providing for an investigation of the administration of the government of the Virgin Islands, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1402) providing payment to employees, Bureau of Reclamation, for mileage traveled in privately owned automobiles, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 389) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2013) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Pak Chue Chan, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 390) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2153) to provide for the prevention of blindness in infants born in the District of Columbia, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 391) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2197) to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 392) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2100) to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 393) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 394) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 81) to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of peanuts by the Department of Agriculture, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 395) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary (for Mr. Johnson):

A bill (S. 2431) to correct the military record of Phillip Burris;

A bill (S. 2432) for the relief of Edmund N. Hebert;

A bill (S. 2433) for the relief of Joseph C. Taren;

A bill (S. 2434) for the relief of George W. Hallowell, Jr.;

A bill (S. 2435) for the relief of Charley Mullikin;

A bill (S. 2436) for the relief of Samuel B. Lewis;

A bill (S. 2437) for the relief of Robert Lee Cannon; and

A bill (S. 2438) for the relief of Joseph Duncan Smedberg; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2439) granting a pension to Irene A. Ambrose;

A bill (S. 2440) granting an increase in pension to James Hogan;

A bill (S. 2441) granting a pension to Mrs. John Mockley; and

A bill (S. 2442) granting an increase of pension to Anna L. Sweet; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2443) to correct the naval record of Milo Curd; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2444) relative to consolidation of rural mail routes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2445) to amend title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2446) conferring a military status upon certain civilian employees of the Engineer Department, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Moore and Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2447) for the relief of Standard Oil Co. for losses sustained by payment of discriminatory excess tonnage taxes and light moneys; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2448) to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2449) for the relief of T. Brooks Alford; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2450) for the relief of William E. Smith; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2451) granting a pension to Sarah M. Waugh; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2452) for the relief of Harry Gordon; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 2453) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2454) to amend the Air Mail Act of June 12, 1934; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2455) to authorize the erection of a Veterans' Administration Hospital in the State of Nevada; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2456) to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the northern and southern districts of West Virginia; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2457) authorizing the appointment of William C. Lucas as a captain, Medical Corps, United States Army, and to provide for his retirement, effective as of July 1, 1933; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ADJUSTMENT OF FOREIGN DEBTS

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 112), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Resolved, That the Senate approves any action taken by the President of the United States looking to an adjustment and settlement of the debts due the United States by debtor countries and specifically looking to a method and time, or times, of payment in money; and expressed the confidence that the President will submit in due and proper form to Congress for its action such terms and provisions of proposed settlement by the debtors as the act of Congress existing would call for.

BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

Mr. Sheppard announced that, pursuant to the provisions of the act approved May 17, 1928, he, as Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, had appointed Mr. Coolidge, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Duffy, Mr. Carey, and Mr. Barbour as the members on the part of the Senate of the Board of Visitors to the United States Military Academy.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

W. J. DuRant; and Josephine M. Scott; to the Committee on Claims.

Victoria Arconge; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Harry Gordon; Lucius L. Handly; and Joseph Duncan Smedberg; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Frank C. Nelson; Alice E. Pillsbury; Hector J. Robitaille; Anna L. Sweet; and Effie Welsh; to the Committee on Pensions.

Air Mail Laws, to revise; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of the 27th instant, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills were thereupon considered; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 170. A bill for the relief of Alva A. Murphy;

S. 794. A bill for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co.;

S. 780. A bill for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.;

S. 1041. A bill for the relief of Cohen, Goldman & Co., Inc.;

S. 1051. A bill for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 1073. A bill for the relief of Louis Finger;

S. 1290. A bill for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.;

S. 1099. A bill for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;

S. 1548. A bill for the relief of Douglas B. Espy;

S. 560. A bill for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.;

S. 908. A bill for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

S. 1864. A bill for the relief of the State of Nebraska;

S. 82. A bill to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work;

S. 2205. A bill for the relief of Thomas F. Cooney;

S. 538. A bill for the relief of H. Kaminski & Co., Kaminski Hardware Co., and the Carolina Hardware Co.;

S. 951. A bill for the relief of Mrs. Guy A. McConoha;

S. 2218. A bill for the relief of Elsie Segar;

S. 276. A bill for the relief of Harry Layman;

S. 728. A bill for the relief of Elton Firth;

S. 1872. A bill for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck;

S. 1566. A bill for the relief of Carl C. Christensen;

S. 814. A bill for the relief of John Mulhern;

S. 208. A bill for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;

S. 2024. A bill to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller;

S. 371. A bill for the relief of G. Elias & Bro., Inc.;

S. 1713. A bill to further amend section 6, act of March 4, 1923, so as to make better provision for the recovery and disposition of bodies of members of the civilian components of the Army who die in line of duty, and for other purposes;

S. 952. A bill for the relief of Zelma Halverson;

S. 884. A bill for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning;

S. 659. A bill for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

S. 2146. A bill for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park;

S. 1513. A bill to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 1680. A bill to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof;

S. 933. A bill to provide for an investigation and report of losses resulting from the campaign for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruit fly by the Department of Agriculture;

S. 395. A bill relative to the qualifications of practitioners of law in the District of Columbia; and

S. 1571. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the States of Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming to negotiate and enter into a compact or agreement for division of the waters of the Little Missouri River.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1065) to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead entrymen; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead and desert-land entrymen."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 997) to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry; and,

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 104) authorizing the United States Tariff Commission to investigate differences in the costs of production of cotton manufactures, under paragraphs 903 and 904 of the Tariff Act of 1930; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 3) favoring the designation and appropriate observance of American Conservation Week; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The preamble was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 5032. An act for the relief of the dependents of Carl Lindow, known also as "Carl Lindo";

H. R. 340. An act for the relief of Louis Zagata;

H. R. 2678. An act for the relief of Carl L. Bernau;

H. R. 83. An act to provide for the conservation and settlement of estates of absentees and absconders in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4538. An act to change the designation of Leffler Place to Second Place;

H. R. 3477. An act relating to the incorporation of Trinity College of Washington, D. C., organized under and by virtue of a certificate of incorporation pursuant to the incorporation laws of the District of Columbia, as provided in subchapter 1 of chapter 18 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 816. An act for the relief of Logan Mulvaney;

H. R. 829. An act granting 6 months' pay to Hester Hamilton;

H. R. 2569. An act for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat; and

H. R. 2117. An act for the relief of Cora A. Snyder.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1307) to establish a national park on the Daniel Freeman Homestead, in Gage County, Nebr.; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to establish The Homestead National Monument of America in Gage County, Nebraska."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 13) to recognize April 6, 1935, as Army Day; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 1575) to correct the military record of John S. Cannell, deceased; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "An act for the relief of John S. Cannell, deceased."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 865) authorizing a survey of the Willamette River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to controlling floods; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Willamette River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to controlling floods."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 883. A bill directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 64 years;

S. 438. A bill for the relief of Roy Chandler;

S. 724. A bill for the relief of James T. Moore;

S. 708. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Velie Motors Corporation;

S. 1432. A bill to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally known as the "War Minerals Relief Statutes";

S. 881. A bill for the relief of Leo James McCoy;

S. 1821. A bill for the relief of Frank White and others;

S. 37. A bill authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and material men for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office and courthouse building at Rutland, Vt.;

S. 1987. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.;

S. 1431. A bill for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga.;

S. 1855. A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing H. C. Brenner Realty & Finance Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Cherokee and Osage Streets, St. Louis, Mo.", approved February 13, 1931;

S. 1410. A bill for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin;

S. 1024. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.;

S. 1210. A bill authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths;

S. 1606. A bill to prohibit the unauthorized wearing, manufacture, or sale of medals and badges issued by the Navy Department;

S. 93. A bill to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

S. 613. A bill to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation;

S. 380. A bill to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah;

S. 654. A bill authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands:

S. 1142. A bill to reserve certain public-domain lands in Nevada and Oregon as a grazing reserve for Indians of Fort McDermitt, Nev.;

S. 1498. A bill for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;

S. 1499. A bill for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;

S. 1502. A bill for the relief of Charles L. Graves;

S. 1520. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett;

S. 1814. A bill to authorize the creation of an Indian village within the Shoalwater Indian Reservation, Wash., and for other purposes;

S. 1831. A bill transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex.;

S. 1942. A bill to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927;

S. 1414. A bill for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton;

S. 156. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.;

S. 1885. A bill to authorize turning over to the Indian Service vehicles, vessels, and supplies seized and forfeited for violation of liquor laws;

S. 95. A bill to provide for the carrying at reduced rates of officers and enlisted men of the military and naval forces while on leave of absence or furlough at their own expense;

S. 1494. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota to submit claims to the Court of Claims", approved May 14, 1926 (44 Stat. L. 555);

S. 2145. A bill extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians;

S. 1787. A bill to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina;

S. 2156. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.;

S. 2333. A bill for the relief of John W. Dady;

S. 983. A bill for the relief of Grady D. Coleman;

S. 448. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of the Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 449. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 1317. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 1533. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District, No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 1077. A bill to further extend the time in which the States of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, and Wyoming may enter into a compact or agreement respecting the disposition and apportionment of the waters of the Columbia River and its tributaries; and

S. 1994. A bill to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3. 1924, as amended.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 3071. An act for the relief of Second Lt. Charles E. Upson; and

H. R. 2881. An act authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber in the national forests, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

IMPORTS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 111) calling for certain information regarding imports of agricultural products, and cotton and wheat production and consumption; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The preamble was stricken out.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 10, 17, 26, 28, and 32 to the said bill, and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 7 and 25 to the said bill and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Doughton, Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 403 and S. 406, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 174, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 403. An act to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections numbered 5 and 6;

S. 406. An act to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes"; and

H. J. Res. 174. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

On motion by Mr. Russell,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendment on page 32, beginning in line 12, was amended on the motion of Mr. Norris, and, as amended, agreed to; the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison, the motion of Mr. Russell, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, the motion of Mr. Murray, and the motion of Mr. Thomas of Utah.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes to further amend the bill by inserting on page 91, after line 13, the following:

Sec. 3. That the processing tax authorized by Public Act No. 10, Seventy-third Congress, when levied upon cotton, shall be assessed and collected at the time that the goods are invoiced for sale by the processor.

Mr. Russell raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was legislation on a general appropriation bill and was not in order under rule XVI.

Mr. Byrnes, conceding that the point of order was applicable, asked and obtained unanimous consent that rule XVI be suspended so that the amendment might be in order.

Mr. Byrnes thereupon proposed the said amendment; and After debate,

The amendment was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Steiwer, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Russell,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Russell, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Smith, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. Nye.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 404) to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY OF MOTOR-VEHICLE OWNERS OR OPERATORS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibiilty of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the said bill, and ask a con-

ference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. King, Mr. Copeland, and Mr. Capper.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendments of the Senate numbered 7 and 25 to the bill (H. R. 5913) making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, APR. 1, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, March 29, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 488. An act for the relief of Michael Ilitz;

S. 747. An act for the relief of Joe G. Baker; and

S. 1856. An act for the relief of Arthur Smith.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 231. An act for the relief of Thomas M. Bardin;

H. R. 373. An act for the relief of the American Surety Co. of New York;

H. R. 419. An act for the relief of Ruth Relyea;

H. R. 607. An act for the relief of Florence Overly;

H. R. 617. An act to correct the military record of Lake B. Morrison;

H. R. 760. An act for the relief of John L. Hoffman;

H. R. 805. An act for the relief of Luther M. Turpin and Amanda Turpin;

H. R. 923. An act for the relief of Theresa M. Shea;

H. R. 972. An act for the relief of John Costigan;

H. R. 1442. An act for the relief of Clifford N. Raymond;

H. R. 1637. An act for the relief of Harrison Brainard, alias Harry White;

H. R. 1846. An act for the relief of Daniel W. Seal;

H. R. 2431. An act for the relief of James R. Davis, Jr.;

H. R. 3533. An act for the relief of Joseph J. McMahon;

H. R. 3547. An act for the relief of Thomas Lee Mitchum;

H. R. 3787. An act for the relief of Robert D. Hutchinson; and

H. R. 5133. An act for the relief of Nellie Oliver.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on March 29, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 403. An act to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections numbered 5 and 6;

S. 406. An act to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes"; and

S. 935. An act to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America.

ANNUAL REPORT OF BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chief scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, transmitting, pursuant to law, the twenty-fifth annual report of said organization for the year 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the incorporation in legislation providing old-age pensions of the so-called "Townsend revolving plan"; and

Petitions of the Executive Council of Townsend Clubs and the Townsend Club No. 14, of San Diego, Calif., and citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the International Jewelry Workers Union Local No. 23, of Los Angeles, Calif., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and providing for a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota urging the enactment of legislation which will take the profits out of war and providing for the conscription of capital and industry as well as man power in time of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the National Society United States Daughters of 1812 of the State of Pennsylvania, favoring the enactment of legislation to make communism and the dissemination of Communist literature a crime punishable by imprisonment or fine, or both;

A petition of members of the Western Illinois State Teachers College, of Macomb, Ill., with an accompanying communication from James Ernst, of the college, and a reply to it from the president of the college, praying the enactment of legislation providing penalties to those seeking or planning the overthrow of our Government by force or violence; and

Resolutions adopted by several organizations of New York City, Chicago, Ill., and Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Oklahoma favoring the enactment of legislation providing an appropriation of $40,000,000 for the maintenance of public schools during the current school year; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Guffey presented a resolution adopted by the Council of the Borough of Derry, Pa., favoring the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McCarran presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, favoring the creation of a

Department of Education; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Gerry presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Rhode Island urging the immediate repeal of the cotton processing tax; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Tydings presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Maryland requesting an investigation by Congress into the activities of the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers of New York and its Subsidiaries; which was referred to the Committee on Patents.

Mr. George presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Georgia, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate condemning communism and urging the immediate deportation of alien enemies; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution of the general assembly favoring the establishment of a fish hatchery in McIntosh County, Ga.; and

A concurrent resolution of the legislature favoring the development of the Chattahoochee River in Georgia and Alabama as a Public Works project; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A petition of the Service Men's League, of Kansas City, Kans., praying the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A petition of the Shawnee Chapter International Society of Master Painters and Decorators, Inc., of Topeka, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation continuing the National Industrial Recovery Administration.

Mr. Maloney presented resolutions adopted by the Common Council of Middletown and the Polish Central Council, of New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which were ordered to lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2128) for the relief of Rossetta Laws, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 396) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1469) to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 397) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3105) for the relief of Samuel Kaufman, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 398) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1305) to further extend the operation of the act entitled "An act to further extend the operation of the act entitled 'An act for the temporary relief of water users on irrigation projects constructed and operated under the reclamation law', approved April 1, 1932", approved March 27, 1934, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1789) to retire Walter L. Rosasco with the rank of second lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 399) thereon.

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, appointed pursuant to Senate Resolution 206 (73d Cong., 2d sess.), submitted a preliminary report (No. 400) pursuant to the proviso in Senate Resolution 8 (74th Cong., 1st sess.); which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2045) for the relief of Stephen Sowinski, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 401) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 993) directing the Comptroller General to adjust the account between the United States and the State of Connecticut, reported it without amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2458) for the relief of Mary M. Wade; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2459) authorizing adjustment of the claim of Francis B. Kennedy; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2460) to amend the act of June 6, 1924, entitled "An act to amend in certain particulars the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2461) to amend the Securities Act of 1933; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2462) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Worley, Idaho, in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children in the town of Worley and county of Adams, Idaho; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2463) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment in any claim which the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians may have against the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2464) for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2465) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 2466) to require the manager of the cotton pool and the Secretary of Agriculture to immediately replace the spot cotton sold by them from the pool cotton and for which future contracts are held; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 2467) for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2468) for the relief of Arthur O. Anderson; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 2469) for the relief of E. L. Hice and Lucy Hice; to the Committee on Claims.

CASE OF UNITED STATES V. WILLIAM ELBERT BELCHER

Mr. Clark (for Mr. Hastings and himself), by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 113), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Whereas there is pending in the Supreme Court of the United States, October term, 1934, no. 628, entitled "*United States of America, appellant,* v. *William Elbert Belcher, alias W. E. Belcher,* being an appeal from the United States District Court for the Northern District of Alabama"; and

Whereas the following information appears from an examination of the papers in said case, to wit:

Belcher was indicted for violation of the National Industrial Recovery Act, the indictment being filed on August 24, 1934. In the said indictment he was charged with the violation of the said act and the violation of the terms and provisions of the Code of Fair Competition for the Lumber and Timber Products Industries.

Among other things, Belcher was charged with violating the code in transactions affecting interstate and foreign commerce by permitting certain persons employed by him to work more hours than the code prescribed and for less wages than the code prescribed. Belcher is alleged to have been engaged in interstate commerce in that he was shipping lumber out of Alabama and into other States.

On October 13, 1934, a demurrer was filed on behalf of Belcher. The substance of said demurrer is hereinafter set forth in the Solicitor General's assignments of error.

On October 31, 1934, the demurrer was sustained, and the indictment dismissed.

On November 26, 1934, the district attorney for the northern district of Alabama filed his assignment of errors, and on November 28, 1934, served notice of appeal.

On January 4, 1935, the Solicitor General and the United States attorney for the northern district of Alabama filed a statement, showing the basis of the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to entertain the appeal.

On January 9, 1935, the Solicitor General, pursuant to rule 13 of the Supreme Court, stated that he intended to rely on all of the points set out in the assignment of errors. These points, he states, may be summarized and grouped as follows:

"1. The district court erred in holding that the National Industrial Recovery Act is invalid and unconstitutional—

"(a) Because it is not within the powers conferred upon Congress to regulate interstate and foreign commerce;

"(b) Because it delegates legislative power in violation of section 1 of article I of the Constitution;

"(c) Because it encroaches upon powers reserved to the States, in violation of the tenth amendment;

"(d) Because the provisions of the act authorizing the President to regulate minimum wages paid to and maximum hours worked by persons employed in the production of lumber are invalid under the fifth amendment;

"(e) Because section 3 (f) of the act is invalid under the sixth and eighth amendments;

"(f) Because it delegates judicial power to the President, contrary to the Constitution;

"(g) Because the act, as applied to the defendant under the facts charged in each count of the indictment, is not within the powers conferred upon Congress to regulate interstate and foreign commerce.

"2. The district court erred in holding that the Code of Fair Competition for the Lumber and Timber Products Industry is invalid and unconstitutional—

"(a) Because the code provisions which the defendant is charged with having violated are not within the powers conferred upon Congress to regulate interstate and foreign commerce.

"(b) Because the code contains an invalid delegation of legislative power, in violation of section 1 of article I of the Constitution.

"(c) Because the code provisions which the defendant is charged with having violated encroach upon powers reserved to the States, in violation of the tenth amendment.

"(d) Because the code provisions which the defendant is charged with having violated are in conflict with the fifth amendment.

"(e) Because the code, as applied to the defendant under the facts charged in each count of the indictment, is not within the powers conferred upon Congress to regulate interstate and foreign commerce.

"(f) Because the code, as applied to the defendant under the facts charged in each count of the indictment, deprives the defendant of his property without due process of law, in violation of the fifth amendment.

"3. The district court erred in holding that the indictment, and each count thereof, does not charge an offense under the laws of the United States.

"The appellant deems the entire record, as filed in the above-entitled cause, necessary for the consideration of the above points."

The time fixed for the argument of the said case in the Supreme Court is Monday, the 8th day of April 1935; and

Whereas it has been announced through the public press during the past few days that the Government will not prosecute the said appeal, but will ask that the case be dismissed; and

Whereas the questions involved in said case are the constitutionality of the National Industrial Recovery Act and the codes made in accordance with the provisions of said act; and

Whereas the Congress has been urged by the President to extend the said act for another period of 2 years; and

Whereas the Finance Committee of the Senate is now conducting hearings for the purpose of ascertaining whether the said act should be extended and, if so, what changes should be made in it; and

Whereas a decision by the Supreme Court on the questions involved in the case above referred to would be of great assistance to the Senate in determining what changes are necessary, or whether a constitutional act could be passed to accomplish the purposes desired: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Attorney General of the United States be, and he is hereby, respectfully requested and urged to prosecute the said appeal and to oppose any delay in the argument, with the hope that the Supreme Court will render a decision in time to be of service to the Senate in its consideration of the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 231, H. R. 617, H. R. 972, H. R. 1442, H. R. 1637, H. R. 1846, H. R. 2431, H. R. 3533, H. R. 3547, H. R. 3787, and H. R. 5133 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; and that the bills H. R. 373, H. R. 419, H. R. 607, H. R. 760, H. R. 805, and H. R. 923 be referred to the Committee on Claims.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

On motion by Mr. Copeland that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Copeland's motion,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to the motion.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The order for the yeas and nays was rescinded; and

Mr. Copeland's motion was agreed to.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has recommitted to the committee of conference the report on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed 15 enrolled bills, viz, S. 404, S. 488, S. 747, S. 1856, H. R. 83, H. R. 340, H. R. 816, H. R. 829, H. R. 2117, H. R. 2569, H. R. 2678, H. R. 3477, H. R. 4538, H. R. 5032, and H. R. 5913, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 404. An act to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes;

S. 488. An act for the relief of Michael Ilitz;

S. 747. An act for the relief of Joe G. Baker;

S. 1856. An act for the relief of Arthur Smith;

H. R. 83. An act to provide for the conservation and settlement of estates of absentees and absconders in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 340. An act for the relief of Louis Zagata;

H. R. 816. An act for the relief of Logan Mulvaney;

H. R. 829. An act granting 6 months' pay to Hester Hamilton;

H. R. 2117. An act for the relief of Cora A. Snyder;

H. R. 2569. An act for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat;

H. R. 2678. An act for the relief of Carl L. Bernau;

H. R. 3477. An act relating to the incorporation of Trinity College of Washington, D. C., organized under and by virtue of a certificate of incorporation pursuant to the incorporation laws of the District of Columbia, as provided in subchapter 1 of chapter 18 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 4538. An act to change the designation of Leffler Place to Second Place;

H. R. 5032. An act for the relief of the dependents of Carl Lindow, known also as Carl Lindo; and

H. R. 5913. An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

INVESTIGATION OF VIRGIN ISLANDS ADMINISTRATION

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 98) providing for an investigation of the administration of the government of the Virgin Islands; and the reported amendment of the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, striking out on page 2, line 8, the sum "$25,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$12,000*, having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Arnold, Mr. Ludlow, Mr. Boylan, Mr. Granfield, Mr. O'Neal, Mr. Taber, and Mr. McLeod managers at the same on its part.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 21) authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

The House has passed the bill (S. 619) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the bill (S. 1068) to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 59. An act to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 2045. An act to set aside certain lands for the Leech Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota;

H. R. 2739. An act to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes;

H. R. 3612. An act to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to

correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended;

H. R. 4760. An act to increase the statutory limit of expenditure for repairs or changes to naval vessels;

H. R. 5540. An act extending the period during which no demurrage is charged on collect-on-delivery parcels and excepting the imposition of demurrage charged on collect-on-delivery parcels exchanged between the continental and island possessions;

H. R. 6290. An act to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark.;

H. R. 6323. An act to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof;

H. R. 7054. An act to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 146. Joint resolution to authorize the several States to negotiate compacts or agreements to promote greater uniformity in the laws of such States affecting labor and industries; and

H. J. Res. 147. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 19), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in accordance with paragraph 3 of section 2 of the Printing Act approved March 1, 1907, the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives be, and is hereby, empowered to have printed for its use 2,000 copies of the hearings held before said committee relative to the bill (H. R. 4120) to alleviate the hazards of old age, unemployment, illness, and dependency, to establish a social insurance board in the Department of Labor to raise revenue, and for other purposes, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, favoring the erection of a monument at Virginia City, Nev., to the memory of the pioneer miners of Nevada; to the Committee on the Library.

Mr. Pittman presented an identical joint resolution, which was referred to the Committee on the Library.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Monterey Park, Calif., and a petition of John Mesry, of Proctor, Ark., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Common Council of Manitowoc, Wis., favoring the prompt ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; and

A memorial of Cumberland Council, No. 586, Knights of Columbus, of Cumberland, Md., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Memorials of the Cli-Grand Youth Club and the Associated Workers Clubs, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii urging that the Territory of Hawaii be included in the benefits of any unemployment-insurance legislation that may be enacted; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona favoring the improvement as public-works projects of the Santa Cruz and Sonoita Rivers for the purpose of flood control, soil conservation, and improvements of the water table.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Reynolds presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina urging the enactment of legislation to restrict the importation of any textile article from any country in a greater volume than the average annual volume of that article from such country during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the mayor and Common Council of the Borough of Alpha, N. J., remonstrating against the passage of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of war veterans' organizations of the State of Kansas praying the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Lodge No. 325, Slovene National Benefit Society, of Gowanda, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the American League Against War and Fascism, of Jamaica, Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Dairymen's League Cooperative Association, Inc., of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of citizens of Baltimore, Md., praying the continuance of the investigation into munitions manufactures; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Pittman presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada favoring the enlargement of the Dixie National Forest and the creation of a game preserve and a public park and playground therein; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Memorials of the New Bedford Retail Grocers and Provision Dealers' Association and several business organizations of Fall River, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of Joseph Leantt, of the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and to establish a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of Local No. 11, Masters, Mates, and Pilots of America, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of House bill 6591, relating to the licensing of officers navigating certain classes of vessels; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the New Bedford (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce urging the enactment of legislation to restrict the importation of any manufactured article in a greater volume than the average annual volume of that article from such country during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive;

A resolution adopted at Boston, Mass., at a conference of the Governor of the State of Massachusetts and council with representatives of the fishing and allied interests and citizens of the State favoring the adoption of such tariff schedules and other limitations as will exclude the fish products of other countries where health, wage, and other standards are disregarded, rendering it impossible for Americans to compete;

A petition of Local No. 43, United Textile Workers of America, of Adams, Mass., praying a continuance of the National Industrial Recovery Administration and the enactment of certain legislation favorable to labor;

A memorial of citizens of Wilbraham, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A resolution adopted by Branch No. 110, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, Inc., of Holyoke, Mass., favoring the enactment of unemployment and social-insurance legislation; and

A petition of citizens of Beverly, Mass., praying the enactment of the so-called "national insurance plan" of social insurance; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorial:

A petition of Local Union No. 12, United Association of Journeymen Plumbers and Steamfitters, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry; and

A memorial of the Massachusetts Society of Master Painters and Decorators, Inc., remonstrating against the passage of said legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1589) authorizing the purchase of United States Supreme Court Decisions and Digest, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5577) to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 402) thereon.

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 946) to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana", reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 403) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2470) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2471) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Long:

A bill (S. 2472) to pay an annuity to Frances Agramonte, the widow of Dr. Aristides Agramonte, member of the Yellow Fever Commission; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Reynolds:

A bill (S. 2473) for the relief of Capt. Percy Wright Foote, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2474) granting a pension to Dave Perry; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2475) authorizing the appointment and retirement of David A. Henkes as a captain, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 2476) granting a pension to G. E. Sandbach;

A bill (S. 2477) granting a pension to Mary Hart (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2478) granting a pension to Ada Hooker (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2479) to place George K. Shuler on the retired list of the United States Marine Corps; and

A bill (S. 2480) for the relief of Mrs. Hugh J. Finn (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2481) to stabilize the bituminous-coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2482) relating to the tribal and individual affairs of the Osage Indians of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2483) to amend an act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes", approved May 22, 1920; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 2484) to amend the military record of William E. Bennett, Jr.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2485) amending section 112 of the United States Code, Annotated (book 28, subtitle "Civil suits; where to be brought"); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2486) for the relief of Moses White Horse; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2487) for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.; and

A bill (S. 2488) for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, killed in line of duty; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2489) to amend the laws relating to the Postal Savings Depository System; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2490) to improve the health of the people of Puerto Rico by providing for an adequate meat supply; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 96) to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

HEARINGS ON ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 19) authorizing the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives to have printed for its use additional copies of the hearings on the Economic Security Act, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was referred to the Committee on Printing.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the foregoing concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 19), subsequently reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said concurrent resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they today presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 404. An act to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes;

S. 488. An act for the relief of Michael Ilitz;

S. 747. An act for the relief of Joe G. Baker; and

S. 1856. An act for the relief of Arthur Smith.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

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Ordered, That the bill H. R. 59 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bill H. R. 2045 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bill H. R. 2739 be referred to the Committee on Immigration; that the bills H. R. 3612 and H. R. 5540 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; that the bill H. R. 4760 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; that the bill H. R. 6290 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 6323 and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 146 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bill H. R. 7054 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 147 be referred to the Committee on the Library.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETICS ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

The reported amendments in part were agreed to, and the reported amendment on page 2, line 12, was disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher to reconsider the vote whereby the reported amendment, inserting on page 2, line 12, after the word "the", the word *diagnosis,* was disagreed to,

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 46 / Nays---------- 29}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present.

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Glass, Harrison, Hayden, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Borah, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, George, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, King, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Radcliffe, Schwellenbach, Townsend, Truman, and White.

So Mr. Fletcher's motion was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the amendment,

CLEARING OF THE PUBLIC GALLERIES

During a colloquy between certain Senators, Mr. Borah made a point of order that there was not order in the Chamber, and that it was impossible to hear the debate.

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That the Sergeant at Arms be summoned and that he be directed to preserve order in the Senate Chamber.

The President pro tempore directed the order to be carried out.

Pending debate,

Confusion having arisen in the galleries, and it having continued after admonition to the occupants to preserve order, the President pro tempore ordered the public galleries to be cleared and the doors closed.

The order was executed by the doorkeepers.

Subsequently,

On motion by Mr. McNary that the foregoing order of the President pro tempore be revoked, and that the galleries be opened to visitors,

After debate,

The motion was agreed to; and

The doors were thereupon opened.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Copeland raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the reported amendment,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 45 / Nays---------- 22}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Harrison, Hayden, Logan, Lonergan, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bailey, Borah, Burke, Byrnes, Clark, Cutting, Dickinson, Frazier, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hastings, Hatch, King, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Schwellenbach, Wheeler, and White.

So the reported amendment was agreed to.

The residue of the reported amendments were in part agreed to; in part disagreed to; and in part amended, and, as amended, agreed to; and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, the motion of Mr. Vandenberg, and the motion of Mr. Fletcher.

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the bill be printed as amended.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 2 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, APR. 3, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ADMINISTRATION OF GOVERNMENT OF VIRGIN ISLANDS

The Vice President appointed Mr. Tydings, Mr. King, Mr. Clark, Mr. Metcalf, and Mr. White as the members of the special committee to investigate the administration of the government of the Virgin Islands, pursuant to Senate Resolution 98.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation establishing a seafood distributing and marketing bureau for the protection and encouraging the fisheries of the Atlantic coast, subsidizing the sea-food industry and promoting the sale and consumption of sea food; to the Committee on Commerce.

A petition of Lizzie Skinner, of Williamsburg, N. Dak., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Gibson presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont remonstrating against the negotiation of a trade agreement with Canada to allow Canadian lumber to come into the United States free or at a reduced rate of duty; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation establishing a seafood distributing and marketing bureau for the protection and encouraging the fisheries of the Atlantic coast, subsidizing the seafood industry and promoting the sale and consumption of seafood; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Warsaw (N. Y.) Board of Trade favoring the Federal regulation of motor vehicles; and

A resolution adopted by the Otisville (N. Y.) Parent-Teacher Association favoring the establishment of a National Film Institute in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of citizens of East Syracuse, N. Y., praying the passage of House Joint Resolution 167 providing for a referendum on the declaration of war and the conscription of property in time of war; and

A memorial of the faculty and counsellors of the Industrial Department of the Young Women's Christian Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation that will in any way interfere with freedom of speech, press, and political liberty; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Lodge, No. 89, South Slavonic Catholic Union, of Gowanda, N. Y., favoring the enactment of unemployment and social-insurance legislation; and

A resolution adopted at New York City by the Coat and Suit Code Authority favoring an extension for 2 years of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day, which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. McCarran presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to increase the National Guard units within the State of Nevada and appropriate funds for the building of suitable armories for the housing of same; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A joint resolution favoring a detail on temporary duty of enlisted men from the naval ammunition depot at Hawthorne, Nev., on the occasion of the holding of the annual State rifle contest; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A joint resolution favoring the creation of a separate railway mail district to be located at Reno, Nev.; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide for the purchase of certain lands adjacent to Lake Tahoe, Nev., for the establishment of a recreational park and an emergency aviation field; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of the Central Labor Union, of Kansas City, and Subordinate Lodge No. 708, International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers of America, of Coffeyville, in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; and

A petition of employees of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co., at Hoisington, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of organizations of war veterans in the State of Kansas praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Association of Mechanics, Helpers and Laborers, of Newton, Kans., favoring the passage of legislation providing for the regulation of public-utility holding companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Mercantile Affairs Committee of the Fitchburg (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A communication from Henry S. C. Cummings, of Boston, Mass., advocating the decentralization and revitalization of surplus gold stocks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; and

A memorial of the Worcester Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Co., of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 1958, providing for the settlement of labor disputes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of tobacco dealers and jobbers in the State of Massachusetts praying an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for at least 2 years; and

A resolution adopted by the Lions Club of Miami, Ariz., favoring protection for the domestic copper industry; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of Braintree, Mass., remonstrating against naval maneuvers in the Pacific and favoring world peace; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A petition of the Great Barrington (Mass.) Stamp Club praying the passage of House bill 1411, relating to the illustrating of United States postage stamps; and

A petition of Division 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Rockland, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor

of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented a memorial of the Merchants Division of the Springfield (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry; which was ordered to lie on the table.

CONSTITUTION OF THE PHILIPPINES

Mr. Tydings presented an authenticated copy of the constitution of the Philippine Islands adopted at the city of Manila, P. I., on February 8, 1935, recently approved by the President of the United States; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

FLOOD-CONTROL AND OTHER PROJECTS AND SURVEYS

Mr. Long presented a map showing certain flood-control, navigation, irrigation, and power projects planned by the Army Engineers, and a record dealing with snow surveys in the North and West; which were referred to the Committee on Printing.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 405) for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 404) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 477) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the southern district of New York and two additional judges for the southern district of California, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 405) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 406) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5576) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 407) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 880. A bill for the relief of Dominick Edward Maggio (Rept. No. 408); and

S. 882. A bill for the relief of Albert Lawrence Sliney (Rept. No. 409).

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1531. A bill to credit the Fort Belknap Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Fort Belknap Reservation, Mont. (Rept. No. 410); and

S. 1532. A bill to credit the Crow Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Crow Reservation, Mont. (Rept. No. 411).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 2491) authorizing preliminary examination and survey of Shark River, N. J.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2492) to provide further for membership on the Board of Visitors, United States Military Academy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2493) for the relief of John Hamilton; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2494) for the relief of the heirs of George Spybuck, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2495) to provide for signs on the roofs of certain railroad stations; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 2496) to amend the Railway Labor Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2497) to control and regulate the discharge or emission of smoke, soot, noxious gases, cinders, or fly ash into open air in the District of Columbia, and to provide for the inspection, control, and regulation of steam boilers and unfired pressure vessels in the District of Columbia; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 97) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate;

S. 255. An act for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton;
S. 274. An act for the relief of Charles C. Floyd;
S. 906. An act for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers;
S. 1391. An act for the relief of William Lyons;
S. 1520. An act for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett;
S. 1621. An act for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed; and
S. 1694. An act for the relief of C. B. Dickinson.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 285. An act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Halpin;
H. R. 615. An act for the relief of Meta De Rene McLoskey;
H. R. 1291. An act for the relief of the Muncy Valley Private Hospital;
H. R. 1487. An act for the relief of H. A. Taylor;
H. R. 1488. An act for the relief of Rose Burke;
H. R. 1492. An act for the relief of Harbor Springs, Mich.;
H. R. 1965. An act for the relief of William E. Fossett;
H. R. 2126. An act for the relief of Hugh G. Lisk;
H. R. 2132. An act to extend the provisions of the United States Employees' Compensation Act to Frank A. Smith;
H. R. 2157. An act for the relief of Howard Donovan;
H. R. 2185. An act for the relief of the estate of Marcellino M. Gilmette;
H. R. 2204. An act for the relief of Robert M. Kenton;
H. R. 2353. An act for the relief of the Yellow Drivurself Co.;
H. R. 2422. An act for the relief of James O. Greene and Mrs. Hollis S. Hogan;
H. R. 2439. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.;
H. R. 2443. An act for the relief of Milton Hatch;
H. R. 2449. An act for the relief of Floyd L. Walter;
H. R. 2464. An act for the relief of C. H. Hoogendorn;
H. R. 2473. An act for the relief of William L. Jenkins;
H. R. 2487. An act for the relief of Bernard McShane;
H. R. 2501. An act for the relief of Mrs. G. A. Brannan;
H. R. 2606. An act for the relief of the estate of Paul Kiehler;
H. R. 2679. An act for the relief of Ladislav Cizek;
H. R. 2680. An act for the relief of Mary F. Crim;
H. R. 2683. An act for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith;
H. R. 2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson;
H. R. 2708. An act for the relief of James M. Pace;
H. R. 3090. An act for the relief of Mayme Hughes;
H. R. 3098. An act for the relief of Bertha Ingmire;
H. R. 3167. An act for the relief of Louis Alfano;
H. R. 3180. An act for the relief of Ruth Nolan and Anna Panozza;
H. R. 3219. An act for the relief of Joseph Walter Gautier;
H. R. 3275. An act for the relief of Fred L. Seufert;
H. R. 3370. An act for the relief of Carrie K. Currie, doing business as Atmore Milling & Elevator Co.;
H. R. 3506. An act for the relief of George Raptis;
H. R. 3512. An act for the relief of H. B. Arnold;
H. R. 3556. An act for the relief of Sophie Carter;
H. R. 3911. An act for the relief of Sarah J. Hitchcock;
H. R. 3959. An act for the relief of the National Training School for Boys and others;
H. R. 5882. An act for the relief of Claude Cyril Langley; and
H. R. 6453. An act to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of waters of the Rio Grande", etc., as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 285, H. R. 615, H. R. 1291, H. R. 1487, H. R. 1488, H. R. 1492, H. R. 1965, H. R. 2126, H. R. 2132, H. R. 2157, H. R. 2185, H. R. 2204, H. R. 2353, H. R. 2422, H. R. 2439, H. R. 2443, H. R. 2449, H. R. 2464, H. R. 2473, H. R. 2487, H. R. 2501, H. R. 2606, H. R. 2679, H. R. 2680, H. R. 2683, H. R. 2690, H. R. 2708, H. R. 3090, H. R. 3098, H. R. 3167, H. R. 3180, H. R. 3219, H. R. 3275, H. R. 3370, H. R. 3506, H. R. 3512, H. R. 3556, and H. R. 3959 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bills H. R. 3911 and H. R. 6453 be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; and that the bill H. R. 5882 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, the motion of Mr. Copeland (for Mr. Johnson), and the motion of Mr. McNary (for Mr. Johnson).

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Schwellenbach.

Mr. McKellar raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Austin.

A further amendment to the bill having been proposed by Mr. Bailey,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed seven enrolled bills, viz, S. 255, S. 274, S. 906, S. 1520, S. 1391, S. 1621, and S. 1694, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 21, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 255. An act for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton;
S. 274. An act for the relief of Charles C. Floyd;
S. 906. An act for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers;
S. 1520. An act for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett;
S. 1391. An act for the relief of William Lyons;
S. 1621. An act for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed;
S. 1694. An act for the relief of C. B. Dickinson; and
S. J. Res. 21. Joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 28 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the following bills of the Senate:

S. 857. An act to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes; and

S. 1605. An act authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 2689. An act for the relief of Mary Ford Conrad;
H. R. 6372. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the Cabeza de Vaca Expedition and the opening of the Old Spanish Trail; and
H. R. 6457. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 2689 be referred to the Committee on Claims; and that the bills H. R. 6372 and H. R. 6457 be referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of San Fernando, Calif., favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Paper Plate & Bag Workers Union, Local 107, and International Pocketbook Workers Union, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring an investigation of certain improvements in the Missouri River in North and South Dakota; to the Committee on Commerce.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate resolutions adopted by the City Council of Muskegon Heights, Mich., and the Board of Aldermen of Derby, Conn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented memorials of citizens of Beaver and Clearwater, in the State of Kansas, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act and the passage of the so-called "commodities exchange" bill; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Maloney presented a petition of citizens of Waterbury, Conn., praying an investigation of the alleged denial of justice to tenant farmers and share-croppers of the South by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, and demanding release and full publicity of the so-called "Myers" report on violations of the acreage contracts; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Neely presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of West Virginia urging an allotment of $20,000,000 from Federal funds for the construction and improvement of non-Federal roads in that State; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of travel pay to certain Spanish-American War troops who served in the Philippine Islands after the expiration of their term of enlistment; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the New England Anti-Vivisection Society, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of Senate bill 1737, to exempt dogs from vivisection in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A resolution adopted by the Manufacturers' and Employers' Association of Taunton, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to restrict importation into this country of any textile article from any country in a greater volume than the average annual volume from such country during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of Melrose, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented a memorial of the Arcade Malleable Iron Co., of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 30-hour workweek in industry; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Wheeler presented editorials from the Standard Railway Brotherhoods paper Labor and the Washington Daily News, relative to an appropriation for the maintenance of public schools during the current school year; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. McCarran presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to erect a memorial at Virginia City, Nev., to the memory of the pioneer miners of Nevada; to the Committee on the Library.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the enlargement of the Dixie National Forest in Clark County, Nev., for the purpose of creating a game preserve and a public park and playground therein; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 885) to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 412) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1723) to authorize payment to the Sac and Fox (of Missouri) Tribe of Indians of certain tribal funds to their credit in the United States Treasury, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 413) thereon.

Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 506) to credit the Klamath Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Klamath Reservation, Oreg., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 414) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1209) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 415) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2088. A bill to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark. (Rept. No. 416); and

S. 2356. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act for the relief of contractors and subcontractors for the post offices and other buildings and work under the supervision of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes", approved August 25, 1919, as amended by act of March 6, 1920 (Rept. No. 417).

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1783) for the relief of John F. Patterson, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 418) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1023) to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 419) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1522. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children (Rept. No. 420);

S. 1524. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children (Rept. No. 421);

S. 1525. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with joint school district no. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation (Rept. No. 422);

S. 1526. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation (Rept. No. 423); and

S. 1530. A bill to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont. (Rept. No. 424).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, submitted the views of the minority of the Committee on Commerce on the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes; which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 361.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 2498) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownsville, Nebr.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2499) for the relief of Eddie B. Black; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2500) to create and establish a national United States Educational Peace Commission to promote peace by means of education; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 2501) for the relief of Shafer Schwartz; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2502) granting an increase of pension to Anna L. Sweet; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2503) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to credit certain sums of money to the account of Henry McReynolds; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2504) to incorporate the Marine Corps League; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 2505) authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2506) repealing section 9 (processing tax) of title I of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2507) to amend Public Law, No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver, issue silver certificates, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 2508) to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2509) granting relief to Joseph M. Burr; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 2510) authorizing the western bands of the Shoshone Tribe of Indians, as defined herein, to sue in the Court of Claims; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2511) to promote the safety of employees and travelers on railroads by providing for the inspection and investigation of conditions prevailing in train-dispatching offices and for the promulgation of necessary rules and regulations governing the working conditions of train dispatchers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 2512) to define lobbyists, to require registration of lobbyists, and provide regulation thereof; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2513) to provide for a change in the judicial districts of North Carolina with respect to Durham County; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

NATIONAL ECONOMIC COUNCIL

Mr. Bulkley, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 114), which was referred to the Committee on Manufactures:

Resolved, That the Committee on Manufactures, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate the desirability of establishing a national economic council and to make recommendations with respect to the functions and duties which might be assigned to such council. The committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the result of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act as such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses, and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

CLAIMS OF NATIONALS OF UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1068) to establish a commission for the settlement of the

special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF MERCHANT MARINE ACT, 1920

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 619) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they this day presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 255. An act for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton;

S. 274. An act for the relief of Charles C. Floyd;

S. 906. An act for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers;

S. 1320. An act for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett;

S. 1391. An act for the relief of William Lyons;

S. 1621. An act for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed;

S. 1694. An act for the relief of C. B. Dickinson; and

S. J. Res. 21. Joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

DECEMBER CORNER IN SUGAR

On motion by Mr. Costigan, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the communication of the Secretary of Agriculture, with the accompanying report and illustration, relative to a so-called "corner" in sugar futures in December 1934 on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, transmitted to the Senate on March 28, 1935, in response to Senate Resolution 41, be printed as a Senate document.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETICS ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the three related amendments yesterday proposed by Mr. Bailey on page 45, line 7; page 13, line 19, and on page 16, after line 2,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 16, beginning in line 25, was reconsidered; and

The reported amendment was disagreed to.

The reported amendment on page 30, beginning in line 19, included under subdivision (d), was amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, by inserting after the word "paragraphs" in line 24, the letter *d* in parentheses.

Pending debate,

The vote agreeing to the foregoing amendment was reconsidered by unanimous consent.

Pending further debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland by striking out on page 30, beginning in line 18, subdivision (d), as amended.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The reported amendment on page 28, beginning in line 20, was reconsidered, and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Long.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Bailey.

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 12 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 13) relative to the recognition of Army Day.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

INVESTIGATION OF DAIRY INDUSTRY

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, in response to House Concurrent Resolution 32 (73d Cong., 2d sess.), a report of its investigation with respect to the sale and distribution of milk and other dairy products covering the Connecticut and Philadelphia milk sheds; which, with the accompanying documents, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

EMPLOYMENT FOR GRADUATES OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 67, agreed to February 4, 1935, a report relative to aiding graduates of educational institutions in the matter of securing employment; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado favoring an embargo on importations of certain grains, livestock, and meat products until prices shall cover the cost of their production; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine favoring the dredging of the Chandler River in that State so that the channel will be clear from obstruction as far as it is navigable; to the Committee on Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada memorializing Congress to increase National Guard units within the State of Nevada and appropriate funds for the building of armories for the housing of same; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Twelfth Ward Democratic Club, of Camden, N. J., favoring the immediate payment of adjusted-compensation certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Rugby Branch, American League Against War and Fascism, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Common Council of New Albany, Ind., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented memorials of citizens of Galatia and Lebanon, in the State of Kansas, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act and the so-called "commodities exchange" bill; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Burns-McCauliffe Post 465, American Legion, of Homer, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of motor carriers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by So-Cul Club, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals;

A resolution adopted by the American Council, No. 61, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to create in the Department of Justice a bureau of alien deportation and to reduce immigration quotas to 40 percent of the number now admitted; and

A resolution adopted by the same organization favoring the enactment of legislation prescribing penalties to those who advocate the overthrow of our Government by force or violence; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by Joe McKelvey Council, American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, of Yonkers, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Fletcher presented telegrams and petitions of citizens and organizations of the United States praying the passage of the Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetic Act; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Pope presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the manufacture of a blended motor fuel containing 10 percent of grain alcohol derived from distilling wheat, corn, and potatoes grown on American farms; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5599) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submit a report (No. 425) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2287) to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 426) thereon.

Mr. Gerry, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1208) authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 427) thereon.

Mr. Schall, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1492) to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 428) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1535. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District, No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation (Rept. No. 429); and

S. 1536. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif. (Rept. No. 430).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2514) granting a pension to Crooked Face Child; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2515) to create a commission to make recommendations to the Congress with respect to the use of the bequest to the United States by the late Oliver Wendell Holmes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2516) for the relief of Anthony J. Constantino; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2517) to provide for the advancement on the retired list of the Navy of Walter M. Graesser, a lieutenant (junior grade), United States Navy, retired; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2518) granting double pensions to widows and dependents of officers and enlisted men who died in the airships *Shenandoah, Akron, J–3,* and *Macon* disasters; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2519) directing the Court of Claims to adjudicate the claims of the F. Mansfield & Sons Co. and others for compensation for injuries to oyster beds; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2520) for the relief of T. D. Randall & Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2521) amending section 5 of Public, No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to

the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 2522) for the relief of Erick Keck; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 2523) authorizing payment to the San Carlos Apache Indians for the lands ceded by them in the agreement of February 25, 1896, ratified by the act of June 10, 1896; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2524) amending section 112 of the United States Code, Annotated (title 28, subtitle "Civil suits; where to be brought"); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2525) to amend the act approved June 16, 1934, entitled "An act to provide relief to Government contractors whose costs of performance were increased as a result of compliance with the act approved June 16, 1933, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Joseph M. Burr; Mose White Horse; and George Spybuck; to the Committee on Claims.

National United States Educational Peace Commission; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Eddie B. Black; to the Committee on Finance.

Frances Agramonte; William E. Bennett, Jr.; Anthony J. Constantino; and John Hamilton; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Copyright acts, to amend; to the Committee on Patents.

Crooked Faced Child; to the Committee on Pensions.

ATTENDANCE OF SENATOR FROM LOUISIANA

Mr. John H. Overton, from the State of Louisiana, attended.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to certain amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Bailey on page 45, line 7, on page 13, line 19, and on page 16, after line 2,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed four enrolled bills, viz, S. 619, S. 857, S. 1068, and S. 1605, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 619. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

S. 857. An act to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

S. 1068. An act to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934; and

S. 1605. An act authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Glass submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 10, 11, 12, 16, 20, 25, and 28.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, 17, 21, 22, and 24, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 1: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 1, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment, insert the following: *provide relief, work relief, and to increase employment by providing for useful projects;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 3: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *: Provided, That except as to such part of the appropriation made herein as the President may deem necessary for continuing relief as authorized under the Federal Emergency Relief Act of 1933, as amended, or for restoring to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works any sums which after December 28, 1934, were, by order of the President, impounded or transferred to the Federal Emergency Relief Administration from appropriations heretofore made available to such Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works (which restoration is hereby authorized), this appropriation shall be available for the following classes of projects, and the amounts to be used for each class shall not, except as hereinafter provided, exceed the respective amounts stated, namely: (a) Highways, roads, streets, and grade-crossing elimination, $800,000,000; (b) rural rehabilitation and relief in stricken agricultural areas, and water conservation, transmountain water diversion, and irrigation and reclamation, $500,000,000; (c) rural electrification, $100,000,000; (d) housing, $450,000,000; (e) assistance for educational, professional, and clerical persons, $300,000,000; (f) Civilian Conservation Corps, $600,000,000; (g) loans or grants, or both, for projects of States, Territories, possessions, including subdivisions and agencies thereof, municipalities, and the District of Columbia, and self-liquidating projects of public bodies thereof, where, in the determination of the President, not less than twenty-five per centum of the loan or the grant, or the aggregate thereof, is to be expended for work under each particular project, $900,000,000; (h) sanitation, prevention of soil erosion, prevention of stream pollution, sea-coast erosion, reforestation, forestation, flood control, rivers and harbors, and miscellaneous projects, $350,000,000: Provided further, That not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount herein appropriated may be used by the President to increase any one or more of the foregoing limitations if he finds it necessary to do so in order to effectuate the purpose of this joint resolution: Provided further, That no part of the appropriation made by this joint resolution shall be expended for munitions, warships, or military or naval matériel; but this proviso shall not be construed to prevent the use of such appropriation for new buildings, reconstruction of buildings, and other improvements in military or naval reservations, posts, forts, camps, cemeteries, or fortified areas, or for projects for nonmilitary or nonnaval purposes in such places;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 5: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by the said amendment insert the following:

Except as hereinafter provided, all sums allocated from the appropriation made herein for the construction of public highways and other related projects (except within or adjacent to national forests, national parks, national parkways, or other Federal reservations) shall be apportioned by the Secretary of Agriculture in the manner provided by section 204 (b) of the National Industrial Recovery Act for expenditure by the State highway departments under the provisions of the Federal Highway Act of November 9, 1921, as amended and supplemented, and subject to the provisions of section 1 of the act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 993): Provided, That any amounts allocated from the appropriation made herein for the elimination of existing hazards to life at railroad grade crossings, including the separation or protection of grades at crossings, the reconstruction of existing railroad grade crossing structures, and the relocation of highways to eliminate grade crossings, shall be apportioned by the Secretary of Agriculture to the several States (including the Territory of Hawaii and the District of Columbia), one-half on population as shown by the latest decennial census, one-fourth on the mileage of the Federal-aid highway system as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture, and one-fourth on the railroad mileage as determined by the Interstate Commerce Commission, to be expended by the State highway departments under the provisions of the Federal Highway Act of November 9, 1921, as amended and supplemented, and subject to the provisions of section 1 of such act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 993); but no part of the funds apportioned to any State or Territory under this joint resolution for public highways and grade crossings need be matched by the State or Territory: And provided further, That the President may also allot funds made available by this joint resolution for the construction, repair, and improvement of public highways in Alaska, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, and money allocated under this joint resolution to relief agencies may be expended by such agencies for the construction and improvement of roads and streets: Provided, however, That the expenditure of funds from the appropriation made herein for the construction of public highways and other related projects shall be subject to such rules and regulations as the President may prescribe for carrying out this paragraph and preference in the employment of labor shall be given (except in executive, administrative, supervisory, and highly skilled positions) to persons receiving relief, where they are qualified, and the President is hereby authorized to predetermine for each State the hours of work and the rates of wages to be paid to skilled, intermediate, and unskilled labor engaged in such construction therein: Provided further, That rivers and harbors projects, reclamation projects (except the drilling of wells, development of springs and subsurface waters), and public buildings projects undertaken pursuant to the provisions of this joint resolution shall be carried out under the direction of the respective permanent Government departments or agencies now having jurisdiction of similar projects.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 7: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 7, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the last word in the matter inserted by said amendment, insert the following: *joint resolution;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 13: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 13, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Any administrator or other officer, or the members of any central board, or other agency, named to have general supervision at the seat of government over the program and work contemplated under the appropriation made in section 1 of this joint resolution and receiving a salary of $5,000 or more per annum from such appropriation, and any State or regional administrator receiving a salary of $5,000 or more per annum from such appropriation (except persons now serving as such under other law), shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate: Provided, That the provisions of section 1761 of the Revised Statutes shall not apply to any such appointee and the salary of any person so appointed shall not be increased for a period of six months after confirmation.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 14: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 14, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment, amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4. In carrying out the provisions of this joint resolution the President is authorized to establish and prescribe the duties and functions of necessary agencies within the Government.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 1, of the matter inserted by said amendment, strike out "4" and insert 5; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 18: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Sec. 7. The president shall require to be paid such rates of pay for all persons engaged upon any project financed in whole or in part, through loans or otherwise, by funds appropriated by this joint resolution, as will in the discretion of the President accomplish the purposes of this joint resolution, and not affect adversely or otherwise tend to decrease the going rates of wages paid for work of a similar nature.

The President may fix different rates of wages for various types of work on any project, which rates need not be uniform throughout the United States: Provided, however, That whenever permanent buildings for the use of any department of the Government of the United States, or the District of Columbia, are to be constructed by funds appropriated by this joint resolution, the provisions of the act of March 3, 1931 (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 40, sec. 276a), shall apply but the rates of wages shall be determined in advance of any bidding thereon.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 19: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 19, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 1 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike

out "7" and insert in lieu thereof *8*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 23: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 23, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 6 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out the words "upon such department" and insert in lieu thereof the word *thereupon*; and in line 7 of such matter, after the word "this", insert the word *joint*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 26: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 26, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 1 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "14" and insert in lieu thereof *13*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 27: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 27, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Sec. 14. The authority of the President under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act for the relief of unemployment through the performance of useful public work, and for other purposes", approved March 31, 1933, as amended, is hereby continued to and including March 31, 1937.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 29: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the number proposed insert *15*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 30: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 30, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the number proposed insert *16*; and the Senate agree to the same.

CARTER GLASS,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
FREDERICK HALE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
J. P. BUCHANAN,
EDWARD T. TAYLOR,
WILLIAM W. ARNOLD,
W. B. OLIVER,
ROBERT L. BACON,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report.

On the question of agreeing to the same,

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 66 / Nays---------- 13

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Barbour, Bulkley, Byrd, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Metcalf, Schall, Steiwer, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So the conference report was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION 117

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That the Vice President be, and he is hereby, authorized to sign, after the recess or adjournment of the Senate today, the enrolled joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Bailey on page 45, line 7, on page 13, line 19, and on page 16, after line 2,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, April 5, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

SIGNING OF ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION DURING RECESS

The Vice President announced that, under authority heretofore granted by the Senate, he signed, on Saturday, April 6, 1935, the enrolled joint resolution (H. J. Res. 117) making appropriations for relief purposes, said bill having been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and previously reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on Friday, April 6, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 619. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

S. 857. An act to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

S. 1068. An act to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934; and

S. 1605. An act authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, memorials, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring an increase in the quota of sukar production in Puerto Rico to 1,000,000 tons a year; and

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Idaho favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the manufacture of a blended motor fuel containing 10 percent of alcohol obtained through distilling wheat, corn, and potatoes grown on American farms; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine urging the dredging of the Long Cove Channel, in the State of Maine, so as to clear it of obstruction as far as the docks;

A resolution adopted by the Republican County Committee of the Third Assembly District, Queens County, Ill., favoring an investigation of the destruction by fire of the steamship *Morro Castle* off the coast of New Jersey in September 1934 and favoring an appropriation for the care and assistance of passengers on said steamship; and

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine favoring an investigation of the interstate and international commerce of the port of Portland, Maine, and the enactment of legislation to assist in regaining its lost commerce; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the immediate enactment of suitable legislation creating a national compulsory unemployment insurance plan to be made up of contributions by employer and employee;

Petitions of Jerry Barbour, of Wood Ridge, Va., and Mathew Moore, of Port St. Joe, Fla., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

A petition of the Townsend Club, of Escondido, Calif., praying the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A resolution adopted by the Council of the Borough of Malvern, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 2-percent tax on municipally owned water and light plants; and

A petition of citizens of the State of New Mexico praying the enactment of legislation providing security for all persons suffering 50 percent disability, including persons suffering from blindness, by providing pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Georgia favoring the enactment of legislation to require marble, granite, ornamental architectural terra cotta, and natural building stone be used in the construction of public buildings erected under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A petition of the American Federation of Teachers, of Chicago, Ill., praying a full investigation of war propaganda in newspapers, radio, and schools, and the enactment of legislation to reduce the likelihood of the United States engaging in war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the construction of a deep waterway to connect Lake St. Francis on the St. Lawrence River with the Hudson River at Albany by way of Lake Champlain, and an examination and report with respect to any feasible canal route from the Harbor of Montreal, Canada, south to Lake Champlain; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oregon favoring the enactment of legislation requiring the registration of all aliens within the United States;

A resolution adopted by the German Workers' Club, of Newark, N. J., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; and

A resolution adopted by the Union Labor Club of Illinois, of Chicago, Ill., urging the enactment of rigid antisedition legislation prohibiting the advocacy of violent overthrow of the Government; to the Committee on Immigration.

A telegram from the Speaker of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico favoring an investigation of the Emergency Relief Administration in Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Metcalf presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Rhode Island remonstrating against any change in the home port of the frigate *Constellation* at Newport, R. I.; which was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Gerry presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Rhode Island; which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the legislature remonstrating against the enactment of legislation changing the rate-making powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution of the house of representatives urging the immediate repeal of the cotton processing tax; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the legislature urging the enactment of legislation restricting the importation of certain textile articles from any country in a greater volume than the average annual volume during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Council of Shoe Manufacturers of Greater New York, Inc., of New York City, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A communication from Norman Thomas, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation guaranteeing the right to agricultural workers to organize; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the immediate enactment of suitable legislation creating a national compulsory unemployment insurance plan to be made up of contributions by employer and employee;

A resolution adopted by Everett Townsend Club No. 1, of Everett, and a petition of citizens of Dorchester, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A petition of the Lithuanian Alliance of America, of South Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by Fairhaven (Mass.) Post 166, American Legion, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A memorial of citizens of Lawrence, Mass., remonstrating against the allowance of foreign-made goods entering this country through unfair competition with American manufacturers; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Taunton (Mass.) Independent Grocers' and Provision Dealers' Association remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the New England Regional Conference on the Cause and Cure of War, of Boston, Mass.,

remonstrating against the approaching naval maneuvers in the Pacific Ocean; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A petition of William F. Kearns, of Dorcester, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing increased pensions for Indian War veterans; and

Petitions of Gen. Henry W. Lawton Camp, No. 11, United Spanish War Veterans, of Springfield, and the Medford Veterans' Council, of Medford, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the restoration of pensions to Spanish-American War veterans; to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Walsh presented memorials of business organizations in Worcester and Spencer, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Costigan presented memorials of citizens of Colorado remonstrating against the enactment of legislation restricting freedom of speech and the press; which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of Lodge No. 1308, International Association of Mechanics, of Wichita, and the Straw Board Workers' Union No. 19367, of Hutchinson, in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of citizens of Courtland, Kans., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of Barton County and Clearwater, in the State of Kansas, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act and the passage of the so-called "commodities-exchange" bill; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the City-Wide Democratic Woman's Club of Baltimore, Md., favoring an amendment to the Constitution granting equal rights to women; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of citizens of Salisbury, Md., and vicinity, praying the enactment of legislation extending the National Industrial Recovery Act for at least 2 years; and

A resolution adopted by the City-Wide Democratic Woman's Club of Baltimore, Md., opposing section 213 of the economy act and urging its repeal; to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Bachman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1426) providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 431) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1932) for the relief of the State of California, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 432) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 71) authorizing an investigation of interstate railroads and affiliates with respect to financing, reorganizations, mergers, and certain other matters, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 434) thereon.

Ordered, That the resolution be referred, under the rule, to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1129) to provide for the extension and completion of the United States Capitol, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 435) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 215) to establish uniform requirements affecting Government contracts, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 433) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the convention (Executive H, 69th Cong., 1st sess.) for the supervision of the international trade in arms and ammunition and in implements of war, signed at Geneva, Switzerland, on June 17, 1925, reported it with a reservation.

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Agnes O. Harrison to be postmaster at Frisco City, Ala., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred, as follows:

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2526) relative to the disposition of public lands of the United States situated in the State of Oklahoma between the Cimarron base line and the north boundary of the State of Texas; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2527) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide more effectively for the national defense by increasing the efficiency of the Air Corps of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes", approved July 2, 1926, as amended, to provide additional airplanes for the use of the National Guard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2528) for the relief of Samuel V. West; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2529) granting an increase of pension to Anzina L. Harper; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2530) to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2531) granting an increase of pension to Blaine E. Davis; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schall (by request):

A bill (S. 2532) to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2533) for the relief of the rightful heirs Tiwastewin or Anna; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Townsend:

A bill (S. 2534) authorizing the appropriation of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to refund payments made to the Collector of Taxes of the District of Columbia for illegally assessed taxes for paving roadways or laying curbs or gutters in the District of Columbia, including penalties charged and paid; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Bone (by request):

A bill (S. 2535) to amend the act entitled "An act to reclassify terminal railway post offices", approved June 14, 1934; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2536) providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 2537) for the relief of the Morgan Decorating Co.; to the Committee on Claims:

By Mr. Sheppard:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 98) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital, to be known as the Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION FUND ALLOTMENTS

Mr. Couzens, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 115), which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

Whereas in the appropriation acts of 1932, 1933, 1934, and 1935, in the National Industrial Recovery Act of 1933, and through allotment of funds from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, there have been placed under the administration of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration total funds as follows: Federal Emergency Relief Administration, $1,745,055,000; Civil Works Administration, $863,965,000; allotment from Reconstruction Finance Corporation, $300,000,000; and

Whereas there is no adequate information had by the Congress as to how these funds have been allotted to the various States, counties, cities, and other subdivisions, and what rules or procedure have been adopted for the expenditure of these funds: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate is hereby authorized and directed to inquire of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration and to report to the Senate at the earliest date possible—

(a) The distribution of these funds to the several States.

(b) What data was required of the States before allotments were made to the States by the Federal Emergency Relief Administration.

(c) What cooperation or assistance was required of the several States to which appropriations or allotments were made.

(d) What funds were loaned to the several States and what agreement was demanded before the loans were made.

(e) Any other information which would give to the Congress complete information as to the methods of distribution of the funds, the amounts allotted to States, counties, cities, and other subdivisions, the assistance or cooperation required of States, counties, cities, and other subdivisions, the methods by which an accounting was made or required to be made by States, counties, cities, and other subdivisions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2881) authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes.

INVESTIGATION OF VIRGIN ISLANDS

Mr. Clark at his own request was excused from further service as a member of the special committee to investigate the administration of the government of the Virgin Islands; and

The Vice President thereupon appointed Mr. Reynolds to fill the vacancy.

FEDERAL FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETIC ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes.

The question being on the three amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Bailey,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The votes agreeing to the reported amendments beginning on page 13, line 17, and page 45, line 7, respectively, were reconsidered.

Mr. Bailey proposed an additional amendment, striking out, in the reported amendment beginning on page 45, line 7, certain words.

On motion by Mr. Bailey, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the vote be taken in gross on his four amendments.

The question being taken on agreeing to the said amendments, as follows:

On page 13, strike out, in the reported amendment beginning on line 17, the following (being parts of lines 19, 20, and 21):

"(1) If it is dangerous to health under the conditions of use prescribed in the labeling or advertising thereof; or (2) if" and insert *If;*

On page 16, after line 2, insert the following:

(b) If it is dangerous to health under the conditions of use prescribed in the labeling or advertising thereof.

On page 45, line 7, after the word "found", insert a colon and the following:

Provided, however, That not more than one seizure action shall be instituted in cases of alleged misbranding, except upon order to show cause, and then upon a showing by the Secretary that such article is misbranded in manner or

degree as to render such article imminently dangerous to health, or that such alleged misbranding has been the basis of a prior judgment in favor of the United States in a criminal prosecution or libel for condemnation proceeding respecting such article under this act: And provided further, That said single seizure action shall, on motion, be removed for trial to a jurisdiction of reasonable proximity to the residence of the claimant of such article.

On page 46, in the reported amendment beginning on page 45, line 7, strike out, in lines 3 and 4, the words " so adulterated as to be imminently ".

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 44 / Nays---------- 29

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Donahey, Duffy, George, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, King, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Metcalf, Minton, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, McNary, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Robinson, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Bailey's amendments were agreed to.

The reported amendments beginning on page 13, line 17, and page 45, line 7, respectively, as amended, were agreed to.

Mr. Copeland subsequently entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the four amendments proposed by Mr. Bailey.

On motion by Mr. Clark to recommit the bill to the Committee on Commerce with instructions to report it back on or before Monday, April 15, 1935.

Pending debate,

THIRTY-HOUR WEEK WORK BILL

On motion by Mr. Black that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 87) to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Black's motion,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas ---------- 21 / Nays---------- 56

On motion by Mr. Black,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Capper, Costigan, Frazier, La Follette, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Trammell, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Black's motion was not agreed to.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendment on page 11, line 16, was disagreed to, the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, and the motion of Mr. Copeland.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. McKellar, at 4 o'clock and 31 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and Rev. Harry Lee Doll, of Washington, D. C., offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend,

Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as follows:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the construction of a dam in the Missouri River and diverting the waters for the benefit of North and South Dakota; to the Committee on Commerce.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Dakota favoring the adoption by the Government as a permanent policy of sharing the cost of education of all school children; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana favoring the construction with Federal aid of the Buffalo Rapids reclamation project; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

Communications from the Secretary of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico, transmitting copies of memorials of citizens of Puerto Rico addressed to the Legislature of Puerto Rico, remonstrating against the administration of the Puerto Rican Relief Administration; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A petition of the California Cosmetic Association, Inc., praying an extension of code regulation of the perfume, cosmetic, and other toilet preparations industry under the National Industrial Recovery Act; and

A petition of citizens of Ludlow, Ky., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Office Workers Union and Branch 165, I. W. O., of the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Gibson presented a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont favoring the construction of a deep waterway to connect Lake St. Francis on the St. Lawrence River with the Hudson River at Albany by way of Lake Champlain, and an examination and report by the Board of Engineers with respect to any feasible canal route from the harbor of Montreal, Canada, south to Lake Champlain; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2213) to define the exterior boundaries of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 436) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney (for Mr. Wagner), from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1776) granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 437) thereon.

Mr. Bulkley, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 438) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORT

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nominations of William J. Beadle to be postmaster at Alhambra, Calif., and Thomas J. Caffery to be postmaster at El Monte, Calif., reported them favorably.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Ashurst, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof, and that it be referred to the Committee on the Library.

On motion by Mr. Steiwer, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 491) for the relief of Fred Herrick and that it be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2538) granting an increase of pension to Jerry S. Fish; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 2539) to amend sections 1, 8, and 15 of, and to add section 17 to, the act of June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269), commonly known as the "Taylor Grazing Act"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. White (by request):

A bill (S. 2540) for the relief of the F. P. Weaver Coal Co., Ltd.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 2541) to prohibit statements and publications advocating overthrow of the Government by violence, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2542) to authorize the prompt deportation of criminals and certain other aliens, to guard against the separation from their families of certain law-abiding aliens, to further restrict immigration into the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Nye (for himself and Mr. Clark):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 99) to regulate the issuance of passports to American citizens in time of war; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 100) to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans under certain conditions; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS ON OCEAN-MAIL CONTRACTS

Mr. Black submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 116):

Whereas the report of Honorable James A. Farley to the President of the United States, dated January 11, 1935, as published in Senate Document Numbered 118, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, refers to detailed reports made on 43 ocean-mail contracts by Mr. Farley, which detailed reports are necessary in order for the Senate to consider and pass upon legislation regarding an American merchant marine: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Postmaster General Farley be requested to send a copy of such detailed reports to the United States Senate.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

PUERTO RICAN SUGAR ACTIVITIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 105) calling upon the Secretary of Agriculture for certain information respecting Puerto Rican sugar activities.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and having been modified by Mr. Vandenberg,

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture is requested to inform the Senate regarding contemplated plans, if any, for loans, grants, or subsidies to sugar producers in Puerto Rico or for supporting or reorganizing sugar production by the so-called "Chardon Plan" or otherwise in Puerto Rico with public money drawn from the sugar-processing tax or any other source.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President appointed Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, Mr. Glass, Mr. Copeland, Mr. King, Mr. Nye, and Mr. Keyes as the conferees on the part of the Senate on the amend-

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ments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the Government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of the action of the Senate with respect to the said bill.

CONSTRUCTION OF NAVAL PUBLIC WORKS

On motion by Mr. Trammell,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5576) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Frazier raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard. Smith. Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

No amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense; and the reported amendments having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 2105. A bill to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy;

S. 1817. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island;

Ordered, That they be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1162) to regulate the business of making small loans in the District of Columbia, and to amend an act to regulate the business of loaning money, and so forth, approved February 4, 1913; and the reported amendments having been agreed to in part,

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the further consideration of the bill be temporarily postponed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2241) to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484); and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Frazier (for Mr. Norbeck),

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 925. A bill to carry into effect the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of William W. Danenhower;

S. 553. A bill to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 612) for the benefit of the Omaha and Winnebago Indians of Nebraska; and,

On motion by Mr. Norris,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

CONTINUATION OF CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived,

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the calendar be proceeded with until it shall have been completed.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 566. A bill for the relief of George Yusko;

S. 1726. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal in the State of Texas;

S. 2394. A bill to authorize the transfer of certain military reservations to other departments of the Government, and for other purposes;

S. 2395. A bill to authorize exchange of lands at military reservations, and for other purposes;

S. 2013. A bill to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Pak Chue Chan;

S. 1469. A bill to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona;

S. 993. A bill directing the Comptroller General to adjust the account between the United States and the State of Connecticut;

S. 880. A bill for the relief of Dominick Edward Maggio;

S. 882. A bill for the relief of Albert Lawrence Sliney;

S. 1209. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii;

S. 1783. A bill for the relief of John F. Patterson;

S. 1208. A bill authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award; and

S. 1129. A bill to provide for the extension and completion of the United States Capitol.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1988) to revive and reenact section 5 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and for completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States", approved March 4, 1933; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to extend the time for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebraska."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1789) to retire Walter L. Rosasco with the rank of second lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Walter L. Rosasco."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1305) to further extend the operation of the act entitled "An act to further extend the operation of the act entitled 'An act for the temporary relief of water users on irrigation projects constructed and operated under the reclamation law', approved April 1, 1932", approved March 27, 1934; and the reported amendment having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Hayden,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1402. A bill providing payment to employees, Bureau of Reclamation, for mileage traveled in privately owned automobiles;

S. 2197. A bill to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia;

S. 2035. A bill to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. 81. A bill to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of peanuts by the Department of Agriculture;

S. 2045. A bill for the relief of Stephen Sowinski;

S. 946. A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana";

S. 405. A bill for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

S. 885. A bill to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin;

S. 1723. A bill to authorize payment to the Sac and Fox (of Missouri) Tribe of Indians of certain tribal funds to their credit in the United States Treasury, and for other purposes; and

S. 1023. A bill to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1589) authorizing the purchase of United States Supreme Court Decisions and Digest; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

On motion by Mr. King,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1531) to credit the Fort Belknap Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Fort Belknap Reservation, Mont.; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Hayden,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to credit certain Indian tribes with sums heretofore expended from tribal funds on Indian irrigation works."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the following bills be postponed indefinitely:

S. 1532. A bill to credit the Crow Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Crow Reservation, Mont.; and

S. 506. A bill to credit the Klamath Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Klamath Reservation, Oreg.

The bill (S. 2088) to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark., having been reached,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds was discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 6290) of a similar title.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2088 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 2128. An act for the relief of Rosetta Laws; and

H. R. 5577. An act to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

LEAVE TO FILE REPORT FROM BANKING AND CURRENCY COMMITTEE

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That during the recess or adjournment of the Senate the Committee on Banking and Currency have leave to file a report or reports.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until Thursday next.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and Rev. Harry Lee Doll, of Washington, D. C., offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, April 9, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1308) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.

The House insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes; disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Palmisano, Mr. Patman, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Sandlin, Mr. Cannon of Missouri, Mr. Tarver, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Thurston, and Mr. Buckbee managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 65. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Virginia, at or near the north end of Hog Island, Northampton County;

H. R. 2015. An act for a Coast Guard station at the eastern entrance to Cape Code Canal, Mass.;

H. R. 3975. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach;

H. R. 5529. An act to prevent profiteering in time of war and to equalize the burdens of war and thus provide for the national defense, and promote peace;

H. R. 6732. An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7131. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7132. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.; and

H. R. 7205. An act to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons.

The Speaker of the House having signed five enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 2128, H. R. 2881, H. R. 5576, H. R. 5577, and H. R. 6290, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 2128. An act for the relief of Rossetta Laws;

H. R. 2881. An act authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5576. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5577. An act to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve; and

H. R. 6290. An act to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

IMPORTS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Special Adviser to the President on Foreign Trade (George N. Peek), transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, a report relating to wheat and cotton; which, with the accompanying papers, was ordered to lie on the table and be printed.

COLLECTION OF PROCESSING TAXES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Iowa favoring the enactment of legislation providing for a program of rehabilitation under which citizens may acquire and equip small farms of 40 to 80 acres on easy terms of payment at low interest rates; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring an amendment to the Constitution enabling Congress to grant Federal suffrage to residents of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation providing for complete and adequate antiaircraft equipment and personnel as defensive measures for the Pacific coast; and

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Texas favoring the passage of Senate bill 2294 providing for the erection of a statue of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals at an appropriate site within the Canal Zone; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation amending the organic act of Puerto Rico to the effect that the bonds issued in the name of the people of that Territory for self-liquidating projects such as certain irrigation systems shall not be included in computing the borrowing capacity of the insular government; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the construction of a veterans' hospital in White River Junction, Vt.; and

Resolutions adopted by the City Council of St. Helena, Oreg., and the Santa Cruz (Calif.) Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Civitan Club of Baltimore, Md., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the establishment of the frigate *Constellation* at Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Md., as a naval museum; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A petition of Liberty Council, No. 16, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Baltimore, Md., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the deportation of any alien convicted of any offense punishable by imprisonment for 1 year or more, to prevent illegal immigration by seamen deserting vessels, and to deport naturalized persons convicted of a felony; and

Resolution adopted by Bronx Young Women's Hebrew Association, of New York City, and the Brighton Beach (N. Y.) Parent-Teacher Students Committee, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States, and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation amending the organic act of Puerto Rico to the effect that the bonds issued in the name of the people of that Territory for self-liquidating projects such as certain irrigation systems shall not be included in computing the borrowing capacity of the insular government; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Utica (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce urging the repeal of the cotton-processing tax; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted at New York City at a meeting of the Coat and Suit Code Authority favoring the extension of the National Recovery Act for 2 years; and

Resolutions adopted by the Watkins Glen Chamber of Commerce, of Watkins Glen, and the Greater Cohoes Business Association, of Cohoes, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Keyes presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire favoring the exercise of authority by the President under the National Recovery Act to the end that the cotton-textile industry may proceed under conditions of economic equality and that the readily apparent burdens now laid upon the industry in New Hampshire be removed and that the New Hampshire manufacturers and operatives be assured that no discrimination is practiced against them; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented a memorial of citizens of McPherson, Kans., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Local Union No. 2382, United Textile Workers of America, of Warren, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the importation of strikebreakers from one State to another; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Memorials of the faculty and staff of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, of Worcester, and members of the Tufts Chapter of the American Association of University Professors, of Tufts College, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A petition of the Jamaica Plain (Mass.) Townsend Club No. 1 praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

Resolutions adopted by Branch 252, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Clinton, and Branch 176, of Pittsfield, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation;

A communication from the treasurer of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., of Boston, Mass., favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years with certain amendments to pending legislation relating thereto; and

A petition of Local No. 3, International Plate Printers, Die Stampers, and Engravers Union of North America, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation to reduce the tax on cigarettes; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Springfield, Mass., by the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Hampden County remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of citizens of Cambridge, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Barbara Fritchie Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Cambridge, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation to strengthen immigration laws with respect to deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Boston (Mass.) Fellowship of Reconciliation favoring the enactment of legislation to control within rigidly moderate limits private profits in war time by any and all manufacturers who furnish supplies to the Government; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

Mr. Walsh presented a memorial of John J. Adams, of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Wethered J. Boyd Council, No. 326, Knights of Columbus, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the deportation and prevention of entry into the United States of aliens, and the revocation of citizenship of naturalized aliens, who advocate the overthrow or change of our system of government by force or violence;

A petition of members of Wegwagonock Council, No. 64, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Sag Harbor, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation to reduce immigration quotas to 40 percent of the numbers now admitted;

A resolution adopted by Stars and Stripes Council No. 32, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Islip, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the deportation of aliens engaged in acts of lawlessness and the spreading of propaganda having for its object the overthrow of American ideals; and

Resolutions adopted by Clarte Circle of Travelers, of New York, and Flatbush Branch American League Against War and Fascism, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abro-

gating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the New York, Ontario & Western Railway Veterans' Association, of Norwich, N. Y., favoring regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of buses, trucks, waterways, pipe lines, and airplanes;

A petition of citizens of the Village of Fredonia, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation providing Federal regulation of motor-vehicle traffic; and

A resolution adopted by the board of trustees of the village of Attica, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of motor carriers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Resolutions adopted by Branch 69, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Troy, and Branch 198, of Jamaica, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions;

A resolution adopted at Troy, N. Y., by representatives of Set-Up Paper Box Manufacturers favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and a compulsory cost-finding system in the code governing paper-box manufacturing and its rigid enforcement;

Resolutions adopted by the United Infants' and Children's Wear Association and the National Building Granite Quarries' Association, of New York City, favoring the continuance of the National Industrial Recovery Act;

A resolution adopted at New York City by the Cup and Container Institute, Inc., urging the continuance of the National Industrial Recovery Act with provisions for an individual code for the cup and container industry;

A resolution adopted by the Broome County (N. Y.) Automobile Dealers' Association, of Binghamton, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation extending the National Industrial Recovery Act and the Motor Vehicle Retailing Trade Code and the actual enforcement of the code;

Resolutions adopted by Port Chester Post, No. 67, Jewish War Veterans, of Port Chester, and the J. W. K. Political and Social Club, of Buffalo, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A resolution adopted by the Young Men's Board of Trade, of New York City, remonstrating against the passage of said legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Franklin County, N. Y., favoring the elimination of all land taxes of farmers and the passage of a sales tax and a manufacturers' tax, with changes in the income-tax laws, to replace present land taxes on farm property; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the County Wexford Men and Women's Social, Patriotic, and Benevolent Association, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring recognition of the State of New York in the Government's program involving the purchase of farm lands for reforestation and other conservation purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3959) for the relief of the National Training School for Boys, and others, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 439) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2353) for the relief of the Yellow Drivurself Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 440) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2439) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 441) thereon.

Mr. Burke, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2312) for the relief of the Western Construction Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 442) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2487) for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 443) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2530) to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 444) thereon.

Mr. Austin, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 672) for the relief of the city of Baltimore, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 445) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 106) favoring an expression on Mother's Day of our love and reverence for motherhood, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Bankhead, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 446) thereon.

Mr. White, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 378) for the relief of Gerald Mackey, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 447) thereon.

Mr. White, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1446. A bill for the relief of Knud O. Flakne (Rept. No. 448);

S. 1447. A bill for the relief of Mary C. Moran (Rept. No. 449);

H. R. 240. An act for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle (Rept. No. 452); and

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased (Rept. No. 450).

Mr. White, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 684) for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 451) thereon.

Mr. Norris, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 453) thereon.

Mr Trammell, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1207. A bill to authorize trial by court martial of any person in the naval service charged with the crime of murder committed without the geographical limits of the States of the Union and the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 454);

S. 1211. A bill authorizing the assignment of two officers on the active list of the United States Marine Corps not below the rank of colonel to duty as assistants to the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps (Rept. No. 455);

S. 1212. A bill to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (Rept. No. 456);

S. 1609. A bill for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps (Rept. No. 457); and

S. 1611. A bill to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va. (Rept. No. 458).

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 211. A bill for the relief of John J. Moran (Rept. No. 459);

S. 1539. A bill relating to undelivered parcels of the first class (Rept. No. 460); and

S. 1541. A bill to punish persons knowingly causing the delivery by mail of certain nonmailable matter (Rept. No. 461).

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1439) amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 462) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6457) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 463) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2375) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Osage Tribe of Indians on account of their lands sold by the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 464) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1504) authorizing the Arapahoe and Cheyenne Indians to submit claims to the Court of Claims, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 465) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7054) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 466) thereon.

Mr. Schall, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2532) to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 467) thereon.

Mr. McNary, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 626) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 468) thereon.

Mr. King, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 97) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 469) thereon.

Mr. Neely, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2481) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 470) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2543) granting a pension to Elijah Stephens; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2544) granting a pension to Margaret D. Kaltz (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2545) to provide funds for the acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2546) for the relief of William E. Jones, of Newton, Mass., Walter M. Marston, of Newton, Mass., William Ellery, of Brookline, Mass., Richard P. Hallowell, 2d, and Malcolm Donald as executors under the will of Frank W. Hallowell, late of Newton, Mass., and Malcolm Donald as executor under the will of Gordon Donald, late of Wellesley, Mass., to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 2547) for the relief of John H. Blackburn; and

A bill (S. 2548) for the relief of the Carter County Commercial Bank; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2549) to recognize civilian service during period of construction of the Panama Canal in determining rights of officers of the Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2550) to incorporate the American National Institute (Prix de Paris) at Paris, France; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2551) to make immediately available the unexpended balances of certain appropriations for the construction or reconstruction of roads and bridges in the flood areas of Missouri, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Kentucky, and Alabama; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2552) for the relief of Alpha Vint; and

A bill (S. 2553) for the relief of C. C. Young; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2554) for the relief of M. E. Jennings (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2555) to amend section 4442 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended, United States Code, title 46, section 214, with respect to licenses of pilots of steam vessels; and

A bill (S. 2556) to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 2557) for the relief of Lee G. Mason; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2558) for the relief of Pettus H. Hemphill; and

A bill (S. 2559) authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Warrant Officer Albert A. Fensch (retired) as a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2560) conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to adjudicate the rights of the Otoe and Missouria Tribes of Indians to compensation on a basis of guardian and ward; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 2561) for the relief of Maj. Richard K. Smith; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2562) to establish a new judicial circuit of the United States, with a circuit court of appeals, hereafter to be called the tenth circuit; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2563) to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

ASSISTANT CLERK FOR COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Mr. Wheeler submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 117), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce is hereby authorized to employ for the remainder of the session of the Senate an assistant clerk, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at the rate of $1,800 per annum.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. Logan, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 215) to establish uniform requirements affecting Government contracts, and for other purposes, be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MICHAEL ILITZ

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without approval, Senate bill no. 488, entitled "An act for the relief of Michael Ilitz."

The bill provides that in the administration of the pension laws or any laws conferring rights, privileges, or benefits upon persons retired from the United States Army, Michael Ilitz, who served as master sergeant, Hospital Corps, shall be held and considered to have been retired as captain, military storekeeper, United States Army, on June 28, 1916.

An identical bill, S. 3499, was disapproved by me on June 27, 1934, with respect to which I stated that—

"In spite of this man's excellent record as a soldier and civil employee, this bill would single him out for special reward. It must, therefore, be disapproved."

The facts presented in substantiation of Senate bill no. 488 are to the same effect as those pertaining to the previous bill, no. 3499. I find no justification for a reversal of my previous action in this case.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE,
April 11, 1935.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Utah,

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and be printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 115) to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On March 22, 1935:

H. R. 5255. An act making appropriations for the Departments of State and Justice and for the Judiciary, and for the Departments of Commerce and Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On April 5, 1935:

H. R. 4538. An act to change the designation of Lefler Place to Second Place.

On April 8, 1935:

H. R. 83. An act to provide for the conservation and settlement of estates of absentees and absconders in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 816. An act for the relief of Logan Mulvaney;

H. R. 829. An act granting 6 months' pay to Hester Hamilton;

H. R. 2569. An act for the relief of the estate of R. A. Wallace Treat;

H. R. 3477. An act relating to the incorporation of Trinity College of Washington, D. C., organized under and by virtue of a certificate of incorporation pursuant to the incorporation laws of the District of Columbia, as provided in subchapter 1 of chapter 18 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia;

H. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution making appropriations for relief purposes; and

H. J. Res. 174. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the California Pacific International Exposition, San Diego, Calif., to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

On April 9, 1935:

H. R. 5913. An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department and for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On April 11, 1935:

H. R. 340. An act for the relief of Louis Zagata;

H. R. 2117. An act for the relief of Cora A. Snyder; and

H. R. 5032. An act for the relief of the dependents of Carl Lindow, known also as "Carl Lindo."

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1308, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1308) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PUBLICITY OF INCOME-TAX RETURNS

Mr. Harrison submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6359) to repeal certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the text of the bill, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

amended to read as follows:

"*(b) (1) All income returns filed under this title for any taxable year beginning after December 31, 1934 (or copies thereof, if so prescribed by regulations made under this subsection), shall be open to inspection by any official, body, or commission, lawfully charged with the administration of any State tax law, if the inspection is for the purpose of such administration or for the purpose of obtaining information to be furnished to local taxing authorities as provided in paragraph (2). The inspection shall be permitted only upon written request of the Governor of such State, designating the representative of such official, body, or commission to make the inspection on behalf of such official, body, or commission. The inspection shall be made in such manner, and at such times and places, as shall be prescribed by regulations made by the Commissioner with the approval of the Secretary.*

"*(2) Any information thus secured by any official, body or commission of any State may be used only for the administration of the tax laws of such State, except that upon written request of the Governor of such State any such information may be furnished to any official, body, or commission of any political subdivision of such State, lawfully charged with the administration of the tax laws of such political subdivision, but may be furnished only for the purpose of, and may be used only for, the administration of such tax laws. Any officer, employee, or agent of any State or political subdivision, who divulges (except as authorized in this subsection, or when called upon to testify in any judicial or administrative proceeding to which the State or political subdivision, or such State or local official, body, or commission, as such, is a party) any information acquired by him through an inspection permitted him or another under this subsection shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.*"

And the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the title of the bill, and agree to the same.

PAT HARRISON,
WM. H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
JESSE H. METCALF,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAM B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ISAAC BACHARACH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and, After debate,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 65, H. R. 115, H. R. 2015, H. R. 3975, H. R. 6732, H. R. 7131, H. R. 7132, and H. R. 7205 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; and that the bill H. R. 5529 be referred to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

HOME MORTGAGES AND HOME OWNERSHIP

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Bulkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Lewis in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Russell to amend the reported amendment by inserting on page 24, after line 13, the following:

Sec. 12. Subsection (j) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended, effective ninety days after the date of enactment of this act, by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence:

"No person shall be appointed or retained as an officer, employee, agent, or attorney at a fixed salary in any regional or State office of the Corporation who is an officer or director of any firm, corporation, or association engaged in lending money on real estate."

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 43, Nays 30

On motion by Mr. Russell,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bachman, Bankhead, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Couzens, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hatch, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Russell, Schwellenbach, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barkley, Bulkley, Burke, Carey, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Gerry, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, Logan, McKellar, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Russell's amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes to further amend the reported amendment by striking out section 3, beginning on page 17, line 15,

Pending debate,

Mr. Bulkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. La Follette in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Byrnes was not agreed to.

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Norris.

A further amendment to the reported amendment having been proposed by Mr. Robinson,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 6359, I am

directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 6359) to amend certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring recognition of the State of New York in the Federal program involving the purchase of farm lands for reforestation and other conservation purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the International Workers Order, Branch Y-1, of Bronx, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A telegram from the Rotary Club of San Juan, Puerto Rico, favoring the passage of legislation providing that the district judge of Puerto Rico be a resident of the Territory for one year before appointment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of citizens of the State of Kentucky praying an investigation of the charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the municipal council of Attleboro, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Utica (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce urging the repeal of the cotton-processing tax; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Allied Building Trades Council of Buffalo and vicinity, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation creating an independent semijudicial Federal agency with power to enforce labor laws, and subject to no review by the courts, to interpret and enforce the law dealing with collective bargaining and to guarantee to workers the right to strike and picket and the right to organize in labor unions; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Association of Licensed Plumbers of Eastern Queens, Inc., recommending the abolishment of the National Industrial Recovery Administration; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Crown Heights Branch, I. L. D., of Greater New York, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by Little York Grange No. 442, of Little York, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for Federal regulation of motor carriers; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey urging a more equitable distribution of relief funds to the State of New Jersey; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Norris presented resolutions of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the establishment in the State of Nebraska of a military air base; which were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Lonergan (for Mr. Maloney) presented petitions numerously signed by members of the Telephone Employees' Association of Connecticut praying an amendment to proposed legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes relating to the financial or other contribution to the support of employees' company unions; which were referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Lonergan (for Mr. Maloney) presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Derby, Conn., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Northeastern Dairy Conference favoring the amendment of the Agricultural Adjustment Act and the extension of authority to the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into joint marketing agreements or licenses with State control boards or other State agencies;

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Springfield, Mass., favoring the abolition of all processing taxes and if necessary to make payments for cotton crop control from emergency relief appropriations; and

Petitions of citizens of Adams and Fall River, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the repeal of cotton-processing taxes and an increase in the tariff on importations of cloth; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of the city council of Gardner, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of members of the staff of Clark University, of Worcester, and a memorial of citizens of West Medford, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the passage of said legislation; and

A petition of Local Union No. 1711, United Textile Workers of America, of Adams, Mass., praying an extension of

the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of Mabel L. Shumway Auxiliary, No. 34, Spanish War Veterans, of Worcester, Mass., praying the passage of the so-called "American Flag" bill; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of Local Union 29, United Hat, Cap, and Millinery Workers Union, of Fall River, and Local No. 11, Amalgamated Silver Workers' Union, of Taunton, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry and for the settlement of labor disputes; and

A memorial of the H. H. Brown Shoe Co., Inc., of Worcester, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1578) for the relief of Beryl M. McHam, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 471) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 373) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Robert A. Watson, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 472) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2252) for the relief of Henry Hilbun, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 473) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1534. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash. (Rept. No. 474);

S. 1537. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children (Rept. No. 475);

S. 2148. A bill to provide for the leasing of restricted Indian lands of Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma (Rept. No. 476);

S. 2214. A bill conferring jurisdiction on United States District Courts over Osage Indian drug and liquor addicts (Rept. No. 477); and

S. 2482. A bill relating to the tribal and individual affairs of the Osage Indians of Oklahoma (Rept. No. 478).

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2265) extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act of May 24, 1928, to provisional officers of the Regular Establishment who served during the World War, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 479) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1610) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 480) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 88) to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 481) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 482) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Lt.-Col. John Jennings Kingman to be colonel in the Regular Army and certain other nominations for appointment in the Regular Army, reported them favorably.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mr. Lonergan (for Mrs. Caraway), from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 11, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1308) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files, and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Morgan Decorating Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

Wild Rice Lake Indian Reserve in Minnesota; and Otoe and Missouria Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Maj. Richard K. Smith; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Blaine E. Davis; to the Committee on Pensions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 2564) to grant an honorable discharge to Charles L. Wymore; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2565) to create a central statistical committee and a central statistical board, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2566) to provide for the payment to veterans of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2567) for the relief of Nannie D. Harding;

A bill (S. 2568) for the relief of Thatch A. Lufsey; and

A bill (S. 2569) for the relief of William E. Smith; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2570) directing the Court of Claims to reopen certain cases and to correct the errors therein, if any, by additional judgments against the United States; and

A bill (S. 2571) directing the Court of Claims to reopen the case of William G. Maupin, Jr., et al., against United States, Docket No. 34681, and to correct the errors therein, if any, by an additional judgment against the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2572) to provide for the establishment of the Richmond National Battlefield Park, in the State of Virginia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Smith:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 101) to amend the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 to authorize grants to community hospitals; to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOME MORTGAGES AND HOME OWNERSHIP

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Robinson, inserting on page 24, after

line 13, a provision relating to levies of assessment on real property,

After debate,

The amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Bankhead to further amend the reported amendment by inserting on page 28, after line 4, the following new section:

Sec. —. All work at regional offices, except supervising the making of loans, shall be, within 60 days after the approval of this act, transferred to and performed by the State organizations, and thereafter all work of collecting and servicing loans shall be done by the State organizations.

Pending debate,

Mr. Bulkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Bankhead raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Bankhead's amendment,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 28 / Nays---------- 49}

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Donahey, Duffy, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Hatch, Hayden, McCarran, Murphy, Neely, Pittman, Pope, Russell, and Thomas of Oklahoma.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Barkley, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Carey, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murray, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

So Mr. Bankhead's amendment was not agreed to.

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Bulkley, and, as amended, agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Bulkley, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Barkley, Mr. McAdoo, Mr. Townsend, and Mr. Steiwer.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 2 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, April 12, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On April 1, 1935:

S. 935. An act to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America.

On April 5, 1935:

S. 403. An act to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections nos. 5 and 6;

S. 406. An act to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes";

S. 747. An act for the relief of Joe G. Baker; and

S. J. Res. 24. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital.

On April 8, 1935:

S. 1856. An act for the relief of Arthur Smith.

On April 10, 1935:

S. 1605. An act authorizing the President to present Distinguished Flying Crosses to Air Marshal Italo Balbo and Gen. Aldo Pellegrini, of the Royal Italian Air Force.

S. 1068. An act to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims comprehended within the terms of the convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934.

On April 11, 1935:

S. 255. An act for the relief of Margaret L. Carleton;

S. 404. An act to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes;

S. 619. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

S. 857. An act to authorize the Department of Labor to continue to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

S. 1391. An act for the relief of William Lyons;

S. 1694. An act for the relief of C. B. Dickinson;

S. 1621. An act for the relief of Mrs. Charles L. Reed; and

S. 1520. An act for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett.

On April 12, 1935:

S. 906. An act for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers; and

S. 1308. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GENERAL PULASKI'S MEMORIAL DAY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith Senate Joint Resolution 21, "Authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski", without approval.

I take special note that this proclamation would be made an annual event.

Every American should have the deepest appreciation of the brilliant and gallant services of General Pulaski in the Revolutionary War. His devotion to duty ended only when he fell in action in the service of the Republic; he is one of our heroes of that time and of all time.

General Pulaski was distinguished among the noble company of those who gave their all for that cause; some were Americans; some were from countries across the sea. I do not think that General Pulaski would have wished to be singled out from his fellows and comrades for more honor than we can give to them all. Our tributes to the memory of the officers who served on the staff of General Washington will be the more fitting and appropriate if we do not seek to legislate separate memorial days for each of them, however illustrious that may be.

For our own leader of the American Revolution, the greatest of Americans, and for him alone, have we as a people set apart one day each year.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 11, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and be printed.

CHARLES C. FLOYD

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, Senate bill no. 274, entitled "An act for the relief of Charles C. Floyd."

This bill provides that Charles C. Floyd shall hereafter be held and considered to have received an honorable discharge from the military service on December 10, 1930, the purpose being to give him, as to the future, the rights, privileges, and benefits conferred by any law upon honorably discharged soldiers.

The records of the War Department show that Charles C. Floyd was separated from the military service of the United States and an honorable discharge denied him because of habits and traits of character which rendered his retention in the service undesirable. The enactment of S. 274 into law would, in effect, constitute a legislative reversal of the considered action of the authorities charged with the execution of the laws enacted for the government and control of the military forces, and, as I am advised by the War Department, would single out for preferential treatment one individual of a large but undetermined number of former soldiers whose status is identical with that of the man under discussion. Moreover, it would place a man whose service was such as to necessitate his removal for the good of the service on a par with those whose service was honest and faithful.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 12, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and be printed.

INDEPENDENCE OF THE PHILIPPINES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying paper, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith for your information a copy, as received by radiogram from the Acting Governor General of the Philippine Islands, of Act No. 4200, enacted by the Tenth Philippine Legislature, first special session, on April 8, 1935, and approved on the same date, entitled:

"An act to submit to the Filipino people for ratification or rejection the Constitution of the Philippines, with the ordinance appended thereto, to appropriate funds therefor, and for other purposes."

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 11, 1935.*

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF MILITARY MEDICINE AND PHARMACY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State, with an accompanying memorandum, to the end that legislation may be enacted authorizing an appropriation of the sum of $8,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the expenses of participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy, to convene at Brussels in June 1935.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 15, 1935.*

(Enclosures: Report, memorandum.)

EMPLOYMENT FOR GRADUATES OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the Civil Service Commission, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 67, agreed to February 4, 1935, a report relative to aiding graduates of educational institutions in the matter of securing employment; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Civil Service and ordered to be printed.

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the Administration for the month of December, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas remonstrating against Federal encroachment upon the exclusive power of the State to control the production of oil and gas; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the establishment of a trans-Pacific airplane service; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Fellowship of Reconciliation, of Boston, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation to control within rigidly moderate limits private profits in war time by manufacturers who furnish supplies to the Government; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

A petition of S. R. Simmons, of Columbia, S. C., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by Escondido Lodge, No. 344, Independent Order Odd Fellows, of Escondido, Calif., favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Chelsea, Mass., remonstrating against the importation of Japanese-made merchandise in competition with American workmen; and

Resolutions adopted by Bois DeOrmont Post, No. 1795, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Ladies Auxiliary, of Bridgeton, N. J., and the Italian American World War veterans of Camden County, N. J., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate cash payment of World War veterans adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A telegram from the Denison University student body, of Granville, Ohio, remonstrating against war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Common Council of Racine, Wis., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Gerry presented a resolution of the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island remonstrating against an increase in the processing tax on cotton; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Costigan presented a joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado urging the establishment of shelter belts supplemental to the national shelter belt in eastern Colorado; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Gibson presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Vermont favoring an extension of the Civil Service Act to include postmasters of all classes; which was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Guffey presented a resolution adopted by Jesse W. Soby Post No. 148, American Legion, of Langhorne, Pa., favoring an investigation of alleged un-American activities of national officials of the American Legion; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Middleport, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation providing for an excise tax on eggs and egg products;

A resolution adopted by the New York Flour Club, of New York City, remonstrating against the processing tax on wheat; and

A memorial of Frank E. Pinney, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act to license processors of agricultural products; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Parent-Teacher Association of No. 38 School, of Rochester, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a national film institute in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Nassau-Suffolk Monument Dealers' Association, of the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation extending the National Industrial Recovery Act and to strengthen the operation and authority vested in the compliance boards and other governing authority;

A resolution adopted by the Independent Retail Tobacconists' Association of America, Inc., of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation continuing the National Industrial Recovery Act;

A resolution adopted by the Infants' and Children's Wear Industry, of New York City, favoring the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years; and

Resolutions adopted by Branch 57, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Schenectady, and Branch 139, of Tonawanda, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Columbia Council, No. 31, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Port Washington, Long Island, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation proposing to create a Bureau of Alien Deportation in the Department of Justice and providing for strict enforcement of deportation laws;

Resolutions adopted by Paul Revere Council, No. 102, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Manor Council, No. 112, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Woodhaven, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to strengthen present laws pertaining to deportation of aliens; and

A resolution adopted by Women of the Rockaways, of Far Rockaway, N. Y., remonstrating against large appropriations for armaments and national defense; and

A resolution adopted by the National Temple Hill Association, Inc., of Newburgh, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the proper display of the American flag on all public buildings; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying the enactment of legislation permitting full cuts of United States postage stamps to be printed in stamp catalogs; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions:

Resolutions adopted by Little York Grange, No. 442, of Little York, and Nassau County Farm Bureau, of Mineola, in the State of New York, favoring the passage of legislation providing for the Federal regulation of motor-vehicle carriers; and

A resolution adopted by the County Committee of the Bronx County Organization of the American Legion favoring the enactment of legislation making lynching a Federal crime.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Frazier, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 38) for the adjustment and settlement of losses sustained by the cooperative marketing associations, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 483) thereon.

Mr. McNary, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2185) to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 484) thereon.

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2215) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 485) thereon.

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1460) to fix standards for till baskets, Climax baskets, round-stave baskets, market baskets, drums, hampers, cartons, crates, boxes, barrels, and other containers for fruits or vegetables, to consolidate existing laws on this subject, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 486) thereon.

Mr. Murphy, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 12) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 487) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2306) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 488) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1523) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 489) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1528) for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 490) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 491) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 89) directing the Comptroller General to readjust the account between the United States and the State of Vermont, reported it without amendment.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Ashurst, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2542) to authorize the prompt deportation of criminals and certain other aliens, to guard against the separation from their families of certain law-abiding aliens, to further restrict immigration into the United States, and for other purposes, and that it be referred to the Committee on Immigration.

On motion by Mr. Pope, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Claims be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 423) for the relief of Lynn Brothers' Benevolent Hospital and that it be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2573) to provide for the creation of a corporation to be known as the "United States Railways"; to provide for the possession, control, and ownership of certain property of carriers by United States Railways; and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2574) to amend section 23 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1935; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2575) for the relief of Emma Gomez; and

A bill (S. 2576) for the relief of Manuel D. A. Otero as administrator of the estate of Teresita S. Otero, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2577) to repeal the provisions of the homestead laws requiring the cultivation of homestead entries; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2578) authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2579) to amend section 1, act of March 3, 1927, granting pensions to certain soldiers who served in Indian wars from 1817 to 1898, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2580) conferring a military status upon certain civilian employees of the Engineering Department, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. McKellar):

A bill (S. 2581) for the relief of Thomas Green; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2583) establishing certain commodity divisions in the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2584) to amend the act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, by including therein the name of Gustaf E. Lambert; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 2585) granting a pension to Annie E. Laurie; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2586) for the relief of John K. Jemison (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2587) authorizing the appointment of Corday W. Cutchin as a captain of Infantry, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Overton:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 102) to provide for the acquisition by the Government of the United States, in whole or part, of the Inner Harbor Canal and Lock connecting the Mississippi River with Lake Pontchartrain in the State of Louisiana, and now owned by the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans (an agency of the State of Louisiana), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 5914) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces

in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition, to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 5914, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REGULATION OF MOTOR CARRIERS

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That upon completion of the call of the calendar the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

CALENDAR UNDER RULE VIII

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 18) to amend section 1015 of the Revised Statutes; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 17) making it a felony to willfully fail to appear after having been admitted to bail; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2153) to provide for the prevention of blindness in infants born in the District of Columbia; and the reported amendment having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

S. 2100. A bill to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively;

S. 2029. A bill to authorize naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement;

S. 1522. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1524. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1525. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Joint School District No. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

S. 2287. A bill to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935;

S. 1526. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

S. 1530. A bill to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont.;

S. 1535. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District, No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation;

S. 1536. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.;

S. 1776. A bill granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935;

S. 2487. A bill for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.;

S. 1207. A bill to authorize trial by court martial of any person in the naval service charged with the crime of murder committed without the geographical limits of the States of the Union and the District of Columbia;

S. 1211. A bill authorizing the assignment of two officers on the active list of the United States Marine Corps not below the rank of colonel to duty as assistants to the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps;

S. 1212. A bill to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

S. 1609. A bill for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps;

S. 1611. A bill to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va.;

S. 211. A bill for the relief of John J. Moran;

S. 2375. A bill authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Osage Tribe of Indians on account of their lands sold by the United States;

S. 2532. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes;

S. 2252. A bill for the relief of Henry Hilbun;

S. 1534. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.;

S. 2148. A bill to provide for the leasing of restricted Indian lands of Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma;

S. 2214. A bill conferring jurisdiction on United States district courts over Osage Indian drug and liquor addicts;

S. 2482. A bill relating to the tribal and individual affairs of the Osage Indians of Oklahoma;

S. 1537. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children;

S. 1610. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina;

S. J. Res. 93. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934;

S. J. Res. 97. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia, June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive; and

S. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurrican Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 106) favoring an expression on Mother's Day of our love and reverence for motherhood; and

The resolution, together with the accompanying preamble, was agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 378) for the relief of Gerald Mackey; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. White,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1541) to punish persons knowingly causing the delivery by mail of certain nonmailable matter; and,

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3959. An act for the relief of the National Training School for Boys, and others; and

H. R. 2353. An act for the relief of the Yellow Drivurself Co.

Ordered, That they pass to a third reading.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 373) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Robert A. Watson; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6457) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y.; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Metcalf,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y., and of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the City of Providence, R. I., respectively."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1446. A bill for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;

S. 1447. A bill for the relief of Mary C. Moran;

S. 684. A bill for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.; and

S. 1578. A bill for the relief of Beryl M. McHam.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7054) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes.

The reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 8, was amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch, and, as amended, agreed to; and the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Secretary retain the bill in his possession temporarily.

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The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 626) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Secretary retain the bill in his possession temporarily.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 3105. An act for the relief of Samuel Kaufman;

H. R. 2439. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.; and

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased;

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2481) to stabilize bituminous coal mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States, and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Logan,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

On motion by Mr. Logan, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the reference of the foregoing bill was subsequently reconsidered; and

Ordered, That the bill be restored to the calendar.

REGULATION OF MOTOR CARRIERS

The call of the calendar having been completed,

The Senate, under its order of today, proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Couzens raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the Chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows: Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The reported amendments in part were agreed to, and the residue thereof amended, and, as amended, agreed to.

CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST WILLIAM P. M'CRACKEN, JR.

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That certain extracts from the Congressional Record relating to proceedings against William P. MacCracken, Jr., on charges of contempt of the Senate in connection with the investigation of ocean- and air-mail contracts be printed as a Senate document.

NOTICE OF MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE XVI

Mr. Hayden submitted the following notice:

Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraphs 1 and 4 of rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, the following amendment, viz:

On page 2, line 3, after the word "Interior", insert the following: "Under Secretary (which position is hereby established in the Department of the Interior with compensation at the rate of $10,000 per annum and with appointment thereto by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate)"; and

On page 2, line 5, strike out "$421,590" and insert "$431,590."

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 8 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

NON-INDIAN CLAIMANTS OF INDIAN LANDS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to non-Indian claimants who were found by the Pueblo Lands Board to have occupied and claimed land in good faith but whose claims were not sustained and whose occupation was terminated under the act of June 7, 1924; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Kiwanis Club, of Baltimore, Md., favoring the return of the frigate *Constellation* to Fort McHenry, Md., as a naval museum; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Petitions of the Democratic national committeewoman of Kentucky and the Republican national committeewoman of Virginia, praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A communication from Georgiana Arpin Buckley, of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., transmitting an old-age home insurance plan; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of the State of South Dakota remonstrating against war and favoring the enactment of legislation providing for taking the profits out of war; to the Special Committee on Investigation of Munitions Manufactures.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Senate of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation amending the organic act of Puerto Rico so that municipal bond issues to carry out self-liquidating projects be not charged against the borrowing capacity of the municipalities; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A petition of members of Snow Hill Council No. 167, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Snow Hill, Md., praying the enactment of legislation to reduce immigration quotas; to the Committee on Immigration.

Resolutions adopted by St. James Holy Name Society, Santa Maria Council No. 1733, Knights of Columbus, and a memorial of citizens, all of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of citizens of Baltimore, Md., praying an amendment to old-age pension legislation so as to permit employers to continue present annuity plans which are more favorable than those proposed;

A memorial of citizens of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A memorial of members of the Seafood Dealers' Association of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of the State of Maryland remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by members of the Holy Name Society of St. Cecilia's Church, of Walbrook, Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the enactment of birth-control legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Pittman presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nevada favoring the payment to miners of

silver in the United States of the profits of the Government received from the production of silver in the form of seigniorage charges on their respective current productions of silver; which was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Parent-Teacher Association of Public School No. 140, of Jamaica, N. Y., urging the immediate allocation of Public Works funds to New York City for the building of public elementary and high schools in the borough of Queens; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Resolutions adopted by the Independent Retail Tobacconists' Association and the infants' and children's wear industry, of New York, favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Administration; to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1379. A bill to amend section 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the Canal Zone and section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure for the Canal Zone (Rept. No. 492);

S. 1380. A bill to regulate the defense of alibi in criminal cases (Rept. No. 493); and

S. 1383. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to make persons charged with crimes and offenses competent witnesses in United States and Territorial Courts", approved March 16, 1878 (Rept. No. 494).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1572) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 495) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2467) for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 496) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2292) for the relief of Emanuel Wallin, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 497) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 115) relative to the distribution of funds placed under the administration of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, reported it with an amendment to the preamble.

Mr. Ashurst (for Mr. McCarran), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2416) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 498) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 499) thereon.

Mr. Hatch (for Mr. Dieterich), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2453) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Hatch (for Mr. Dieterich), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2471) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 500) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 2588) directing the issuance of patents to certain persons for homestead entries and for stock-raising homestead entries; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2589) to authorize the presentation of a Congressional Medal of Honor to Lewis Hazard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2590) for the relief of James E. McDonald; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2591) for the relief of Lyman C. Drake; and

A bill (S. 2592) to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters"; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2593) to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 2594) for the relief of Felix D. Houck; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2595) granting a pension to Minnie Clark; and

A bill (S. 2596) granting a pension to Edward H. Wolff; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2597) for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2598) to extend the benefits of the United States Public Health Service to fishermen, trapmen, net tenders, and other persons subject to the laws relating to American seamen; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2599) for the relief of Elijah W. Leonard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2600) for the relief of John T. Millan; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2601) granting a pension to John O. Pelto; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2602) to provide equipment for Hardin Post, No. 8, American Legion of Montana, to be used in conducting military funerals at Custer Battlefield National Cemetery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON AIR COMMERCE AND CIVIL AVIATION

Mr. Byrd (for himself, Mr. Adams, and Mr. Dickinson), by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 118), which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate be, and the same is hereby, amended by inserting, on page 30, after the third line of paragraph 1, the following: *Committee on Air Commerce and Civil Aviation, to consist of twelve Senators.*

HOPS—SOIL EROSION

Mr. King entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of each of the following bills:

S. 626. A bill to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity; and

H. R. 7054. An act to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes.

REGULATION OF MOTOR CARRIERS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 34, beginning in line 16, was reconsidered; and having been amended on his motion,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Wheeler, on behalf of the Committee on Interstate Commerce, the motion of Mr. Gore, and the motion of Mr. Austin.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 8 and 58 to the said bill and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 29 and 60 to the said bill and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Hayden, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, and the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma.

On motion by Mr. La Follette to further amend the bill by striking out on page 25, line 10, the figures " $2,500,000 " and inserting in lieu thereof *$5,000,000,*

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 19 / Nays 54}

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Black, Borah, Caraway, Costigan, Cutting, Frazier, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, McNary, Murray, Norris, Nye, Pope, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Vandenberg, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Metcalf, Moore, Murphy, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, and White.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment was not agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Hayden, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, Mr. Nye, and Mr. Steiwer.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Hatch to amend the bill by inserting the word *mortgage* on page 11, line 5, after the word " lease " and the comma, and on line 8, after the word " assignment " and the comma,

Pending debate,

The bill, by unanimous consent, was amended on the motion of Mr. Norris.

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, APR. 17, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 93) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 2353 and H. R. 3959, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 2353. An act for the relief of the Yellow Drivurself Co.; and

H. R. 3959. An act for the relief of the National Training School for Boys, and others.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

COMPENSATION OF OFFICIALS OF CERTAIN CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the acting chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 75 (73d Cong., 1st sess.) a report showing the salaries and other compensation paid to the executive officers and directors of the Continental Motors Corporation for the years 1928 to 1932, inclusive, and the salary rate as of September 1, 1933, together with schedules covering the years 1933 and 1934 as submitted by the corporation; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to award distinguished service medals to Tony Siminoff, Oliver F. Rominger, and Robert E. Beck, veterans of the Philippine Insurrection; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Pennsylvania memorializing Congress to reject any proposed legislation creating a branch banking system; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by the executive officials of the Creek National Council of the Muskogee Creek Nation, of Okmulgee, Okla., remonstrating against the enactment of any legislation that will deprive some of the members and citizens of their national rights and create special classes among the tribe, and asking for a per capita payment to the members of the tribe as provided by the agreement of 1901; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Townsend Old Age Pensions League of Maryland, of Baltimore, Md., favoring the enactment of the so-called " Townsend plan " of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the Holy Name Society of Annunciation Parish and the Mater Dolorosa Holy Name Society, of New Orleans, La., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions adopted by the Association Pro-Rehabilitation of Puerto Rico, District of Fajardo, P. R., and the Municipal Assembly of Corozal, P. R., endorsing the administration of the Puerto Rican Emergency Relief Administration and its officials; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted at Detroit, Mich., by the executive committee of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology endorsing the principles as embodied in Senate bill 5, known as the " Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetics Act."

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 918) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Union Iron Works, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 501) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 376) to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 502) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2505) authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 503) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2311) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 504) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1470) to provide a preliminary examination and survey of Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 505) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2371. A bill for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin (Rept. No. 506); and

H. R. 3911. An act for the relief of Sarah J. Hitchcock (Rept. No. 507).

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2597) for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2361) to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 508) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 159) to amend the provision in the act approved March 3, 1931, governing the computation of commissioned service of Naval Academy graduates who have been retired for age or service ineligibility for promotion, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 509) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1206) authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 510) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 158. A bill authorizing the President to present a medal in the name of Congress to John F. Jensen (Rept. No. 511); and

S. 616. A bill authorizing the removal of rock from the submarine and destroyer base reservation at Astoria (Tongue Point), Oreg. (Rept. No. 512).

EXECUTIVE REPORT

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nomination of Jay Pierrepont Moffatt to be a consul general, reported it favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2603) to authorize the Attorney General to determine and pay certain claims against the Government for damage to person or property, in sum not exceeding $500 in any one case; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2604) granting a pension to Rose D. Carleton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2605) declaring a policy relative to benefits for veterans of the World War, and providing for optional conversion of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 2606) making income from United States securities subject to the income-tax laws of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 2607) for the relief of Joe Rodmonovich; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch (by request):

A bill (S. 2608) to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2609) for the relief of Charles G. Johnson, State treasurer of the State of California; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2610) to foster American industry, promote education, and facilitate pursuit of the avocation of philately; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Russell submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 16, 17, 34, 44, 47, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, and 59.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 9, 10, 19, 21, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 52, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 12: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 12, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$376,755*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 13: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 13, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$11,308,419*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 14: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 14, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$61,635, of which $25,000 shall be expended in connection with State agricultural colleges for scientific investigation concerning control and eradication of bind weed.*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *, of which sum not exceeding $15,000 shall be used for experimenting in Sea Island cotton, including its hybridization with other varieties.*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 18: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$4,983,497*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$134,433*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$9,958,462*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 23: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 23, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$11,600,973*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 24: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 24, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$363,930*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 25: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 25, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$71,741*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 26: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 26, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,254,434*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 35: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 35, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 36: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 36, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 37: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 37, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *$7,793,921*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 38: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 38, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$600,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 39: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 39, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$222,978*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 40: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 40, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$89,096;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 41: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 41, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,413,992*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$321,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 50: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 50, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$385,669*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 51: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 51, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$423,269*; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference have been unable to agree on amendments numbered 8, 29, 58, and 60.

RICHARD B. RUSSELL, JR.,
CARL HAYDEN,
E. D. SMITH,
HENRY W. KEYES,
GERALD P. NYE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN N. SANDLIN,
CLARENCE CANNON,
M. C. TARVER,
J. P. BUCHANAN,
LLOYD THURSTON,
JOHN T. BUCKBEE,
Managers on the part of the House.

On motion by Mr. Russell,

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report.

On the question of agreeing thereto,

After debate,

It was determined in the negative,

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murphy in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment of the House of Representatives to the amendment of the Senate numbered 60 to the foregoing bill; and,

On motion by Mr. Russell,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of its action with respect to the said bill.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2439) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Cannon of Missouri, Mr. Blanton, and Mr. Ditter managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Steagall, Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Hollister, and Mr. Wolcott managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Jacobsen, Mr. Johnson of Oklahoma, Mr. Zioncheck, Mr. Scrugham, Mr. Lambertson, and Mr. Wigglesworth managers at the same on its part.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 1 o'clock and 37 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3071) for the relief of Second Lt. Charles E. Upson.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 93, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 93) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Henry D. Hatfield, of Huntington, W. Va., contesting the right of Rush D. Holt to a seat in the United States Senate from the State of West Virginia for the term beginning January 3, 1935.

Mr. McNary having asked unanimous consent that the petition be read,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma,

Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The said petition was read by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide for repayment of Federal relief loans to farmers in drought-stricken areas by work on highways and other public projects; and

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring Federal cooperation with the States in the acquisition of lands for State forests; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of Local Union No. 165, United Association of Journeymen Plumbers and Steam Fitters, of Topeka, and John Brown Lodge No. 523, Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America, of Osawagomie, in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and a 30-hour-work week in industry; which were referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to provide for repayment of Federal relief loans to farmers in drought-stricken areas by work on highways and other public projects; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Duffy presented an identical joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Trammell presented the following memorials of the Legislature of the State of Florida, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial favoring an appropriation for removing all sand bars and other obstructions from the channels of the Steinhatchee River, traversing the counties of Taylor, Lafayette, and Dixie, Fla., with its outlet in and to the Gulf of Mexico, and to maintain a clear channel; to the Committee on Commerce.

A memorial favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fletcher presented identical memorials, which were referred as above indicated.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Onondaga Farm Bureau, of Syracuse, N. Y., favoring additional appropriations for agricultural research and agricultural extension work; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by Harmony Council, No. 21, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Syracuse, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation strengthening present laws pertaining to the deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Western Union Stamp Club, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation permitting full illustrations of United States postage stamps for the purpose of identification and as an aid to philatelists; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Presbytery of Utica, of Utica, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to protect neutral trade in time of war against those who seek a profit from wars in other countries, and to remove the profits from war; to the Special Committee on Investigation of Munitions Manufacture.

A resolution adopted by the North Shore of Long Island Chapter of the Reserve Officers Association of the United States, of Manhasset, Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against discrimination in the status of members of the Officers Reserve Corps on active duty who suffer injury, illness, or death; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented a copy of a communication from the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, of New York City, denying responsibility for the distribution of certain leaflets sent out upon stationery bearing the inscription "New York Chamber of Commerce."

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented communications from George A. Sloan, chairman of the Cotton Textile Code Authority, of New York City; and Bertram H. Borden, president of the American Printing Co., of Fall River, Mass., relative to conditions in the cotton-textile industry; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3787) for the relief of Robert D. Hutchinson, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 513) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3370) for the relief of Carrie K. Currie, doing business as Atmore Milling & Elevator Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 514) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H R. 1488. An act for the relief of Rose Burke (Rept. No. 515);

H. R. 2464. An act for the relief of C. H. Hoogendorn (Rept. No. 516);

H. R. 2473. An act for the relief of William L. Jenkins (Rept. No. 517);

H. R. 3098. An act for the relief of Bertha Ingmire (Rept. No. 518); and

H. R. 3275. An act for the relief of Fred L. Seufert (Rept. No. 519).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1824) for the relief of Abraham Green, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 521) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1214. A bill for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston (Rept. No. 522); and

S. 2298. A bill for the relief of Sallie S. Twilley (Rept. No. 523).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 985) for the relief of Hudson Brothers, of Norfolk, Va., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 524) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1505) for the relief of William Edward Tidwell, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 525) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 377) providing for the sale of certain public lands to the Utah Gilsonite Co., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 520) thereon.

Mr. Bone, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6084) to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 526) thereon.

Mr. Bone, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1227. A bill to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 527);

S. 2315. A bill to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building, and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000, and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works (Rept. No. 528); and

S. 2317. A bill to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000 (Rept. No. 529).

Mr. Bone, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2316. A bill to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000 (Rept. No. 531).

H. R. 3808. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Seward, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction of an electric-generating station and electric-distribution systems, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $118,000 (Rept. No. 530).

Mr. Bankhead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2228) to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges and agricultural experiment stations, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 532) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5133) for the relief of Nellie Oliver, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 533) thereon.

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1565) for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 534) thereon.

Mr. Schall, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2045) to set aside certain lands for the Leech Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota, reported it with amendments.

EXECUTIVE REPORT

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Duffy, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the International Convention of the Copyright Union as revised and signed at Rome on June 2, 1928 (Executive E, 73d Cong., 2d sess.) reported it favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 2611) to authorize the Utah Pioneer Trails and Landmarks Association to construct and maintain a monument on the Fort Douglas Military Reservation, Salt Lake City, Utah; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2612) granting an increase of pension to Anzina L. Harper; and

A bill (S. 2613) granting a pension to John D. Licklider; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2614) granting an increase of pension to Mary E. Wooten (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 2615) to repeal the processing tax on cotton; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2616) for the relief of the estate of Joseph Y. Underwood; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2617) to amend the Judicial Code to permit defendants in criminal cases to waive trial by jury; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 2618) for the relief of James M. Montgomery; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 2619) for the relief of Stoy A. Fleshman; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Borah:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 103) to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they this day presented to the President of the United States the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 93) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Hatch, inserting the word *mortgage* on page 11, line 5, after the word "lease" and the comma, and on line 8 after the word "assignment" and the comma,

Pending debate,

Mr. Vandenberg raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Coolidge in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

HOPS AS A BASIC AGRICULTURAL COMMODITY

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by Mr. King to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 626) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity; and

The motion to reconsider was agreed to.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 97) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6457) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 2439 and H. R. 3071, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts, as follows:

On April 15, 1935:

H. R. 5576. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 5577. An act to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve.

On April 17, 1935:

H. R. 2881. An act authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes.

On April 18, 1935:

H. R. 6290. An act to authorize acquisition of land to provide appropriate means of access to the post-office building at Jonesboro, Ark.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 2439. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.; and

H. R. 3071. An act for the relief of Second Lieutenant Charles E. Upson.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the repeal of the charter of the North River Bridge Co. granted by acts of Congress of the Fifty-first and Sixty-seventh Congresses; and

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Florida favoring appropriations to be used in removing all sand bars and other obstructions from the channels of the Steinhatchee River, traversing the counties of Taylor, Lafayette, and Dixie, Fla., with its outlet in and to the Gulf of Mexico, and to maintain a clear channel in said river; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Florida favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A petition of J. T. Van Sten, Jr., of Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa., praying a continuance of the provisions of the National Industrial Recovery Ice Manufacturing Code relating to the establishment of new ice plants; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the North-West Side Tax Payers' Association, the Pulaski Improvement Club of the 30th Ward, Inc., and the Midwest Home Owners' Protective Association of Chicago, all of Chicago, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for an amendment to the bankruptcy laws to permit the refinancing of mortgage indebtedness on homes at low interest rates; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted at a student meeting at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, urging the enactment of legislation to bring the United States unreservedly into a collective security system which will provide legislative, executive, and judicial agencies adequate for world government to prevent war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolutions:

A resolution adopted at Detroit, Mich., by the American Society for Experimental Pathology indorsing the principles embodied in Senate bill 5, known as the "Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetics Act";

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania and a resolution adopted by the Town Council of South Kingstown, R. I., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by the fifty-fourth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor urging the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen, of New Bedford, and the City Council of Fall River, and petitions of various organizations, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of such measures as will protect the textile industry in the New England States; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of Joseph L. Stevens Auxiliary to Post, No. 1240, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Swampscott, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

Resolutions adopted by the City Council of Quincy, and the Board of Aldermen of Chelsea, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the flooding of American markets with goods made by cheap foreign labor which endanger American standards of living;

Petitions of the Commonwealth Rescue League, of Upton, Essex Court, No. 16, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, of Salem, and citizens, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the Haverhill (Mass.) Labor Conference favoring the reopening of the Shoe Code under the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation to prohibit compulsory block booking of motion pictures; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of Plymouth County Board, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Brockton, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by St. John's Council, No. 404, Knights of Columbus, of Attleboro, and memorials of citizens, all in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of Local Union No. 2056, United Textile Workers of America, of Uxbridge, Division No. 22, Amalgamated Association of Street & Electric Railway Employees of America, of Worcester, and Moving Picture Machine Operators, Local No. 186, of Springfield, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying for, and

Memorials of Kalashian Bros., Inc., of Worcester, and the Pittsfield Chamber of Commerce, of Pittsfield, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against, the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and a 30-hour work week in industry; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Thomas, of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2193) to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 536) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1495) authorizing the President to order Donald O. Miller before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his separation, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 537) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2225) authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 538) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1030) for the relief of the Mutual Savings & Loan Association, Wilmington, Del., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 539) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2620) to grant the consent of Congress to the George Washington Memorial Bridge Public Corporation, a corporation, to construct a bridge across the Potomac River; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2621) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2622) to restore to the Neill Grocery Co., of Wheeling, W. Va., the sum of $900, the amount of counsel fee paid by said Neill Grocery Co. in an action brought against them August 10, 1917; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2623) granting a pension to Charles E. Conner; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2624) authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2625) to extend the facilities of the Public Health Service to seamen on Government vessels not in the Military or Naval Establishments (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2626) to authorize the sale of Federal buildings; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2627) to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended; and

A bill (S. 2628) to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Cutting:

A bill (S. 2629) to extend the time for compliance with the drilling requirements of oil and gas prospecting permits; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2630) to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 2631) to authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by blind persons to enlarge the economic opportunities of the blind, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Thomas Green; Neill Grocery Co.; and Joseph Y. Underwood; to the Committee on Claims.

Economy Act of 1933; and taxation of Government securities; to the Committee on Finance.

Gustaf E. Lambert and Charles L. Wymore; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Charles E. Conner; John D. Licklider; and John O. Pelto; to the Committee on Pensions.

RELIEF OF MINING INDUSTRY

On motion by Mr. Pope, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 1476) to provide for unemployment relief through development of mineral resources; to assist the development of privately-owned mineral claims; to provide for the development of emergency and deficiency minerals, and for other purposes, be recommitted to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

REPORTS OF PUBLIC-UTILITY COMPANIES IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the annual reports of the following-named public-utility companies in the District of Columbia, heretofore transmitted to the Senate, be printed as a Senate document: Washington Interurban Railroad Co.; Potomac Electric Power Co.; Washington Railway & Electric Co.; Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co.; Washington Rapid Transit Co.; Georgetown Barge, Dock, Elevator & Railway Co.; the Georgetown Gaslight Co.; Washington Gas Light Co.; and the Capital Transit Co.

CONSERVATION OF PRECIPITATION IN SOILS

Mr. Gore presented a copy of a hearing held on April 17, 1914, before a subcommittee of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry on conservation of precipitation in soils,

together with a request to print 10,000 copies thereof; which was referred to the Committee on Printing.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Hatch, inserting the word *mortgage,* on page 11, line 5, after the word "lease" and the comma, and on line 8, after the word "assignment" and the comma,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its labors on today it take a recess until 12 o'clock noon Monday, and that after the meeting of the Senate on noon Monday until the hour of 3 o'clock, no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 30 minutes on the bill S. 2367 or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment or any motion that may be pending or that may be offered, and that after the hour of 3 o'clock no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the bill or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment or motion that may be pending or that may be offered.

PREVENTION OF SOIL EROSION

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by him to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 7054) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes; when,

After debate,

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, withdrew his motion to reconsider.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST WILLIAM P. M'CRACKEN, JR., AND OTHERS

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the matter contained in Senate Document No. 162, Seventy-third Congress, second session, relating to proceedings against William P. MacCracken, Jr., and others, for contempt of the United States Senate on account of the destruction and removal of certain papers during the course of an investigation of ocean- and air-mail contracts by a special committee of the Senate, together with the additional matter relating thereto presented by Mr. Hayden on the 15th instant, be printed as a Senate document.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business, at 2 o'clock and 53 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, pursuant to its order of today, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz H. R. 6457, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 97, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

H. R. 6457. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y., and of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city of Providence, R. I., respectively; and

S. J. Res. 97. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 7260, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, April 19, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar,, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CLAIM OF SUDDEN & CHRISTENSON, INC., AND OTHERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompany papers, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State and the enclosed decision rendered on December 22, 1934, by the arbitrator, John Clark Knox, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, to the end that legislation may be enacted authorizing an appropriation of the sum of $78,025.83 for the payment to Sudden & Christenson, Inc.; John A. Hooper, Emil T. Kruse, Edward Kruse, Gilbert Loken, and G. W. McNear, Inc., or their successors in interest, as recommended by the arbitrator, upon receipt by the Secretary of State of satisfactory releases from the respective claimants.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 22, 1935.*

(Enclosures: Report, decision, draft bill.)

USELESS PAPERS IN GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of papers in the files of the General Accounting Office which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Office and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Glass and Mr. Hale as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of New York favoring the enactment of legislation to restrict the importation of any textile article from any country in a greater volume than the average annual volume of that article from such country during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to reduce the present tax on beer and other liquor;

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

A petition of the Literature Association of Lithuanians, Branch 199, of Johnston City, Ill., praying the enactment of unemployment insurance and old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Antifascist Action of German Workers' Organizations, of Newark, N. J., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Federal Bar Association, of Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the acceptance of the bequest to the United States by the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes and setting aside as a trust fund for the endowment in the Library of Congress of a chair to be known as "The Oliver Wendell Holmes chair of research jurisprudence"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Palmetto, Fla., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; and

A resolution adopted at Detroit, Mich., by the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, Inc., remonstrating against the adoption of certain amendments to the Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetics Act which will render ineffective some important provisions of the measure, and urging that enforcement of all its provisions be entrusted to the Food and Drug Administration.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Lewis presented a communication from the National Guard Association of the United States, of Washington, D. C., favoring the allocation from emergency-relief funds of certain amounts for National Guard camps and construction of, repairs, alterations, and additions to armories for the National Guard and Naval Militia, which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Sheppard presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Texas, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the senate favoring the enactment of legislation for the erection of a statue of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals on a site within the Canal Zone; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the legislature remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of the production of oil and gas in the State of Texas; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Pratt Civic Association of Massachusetts urging the repeal of the processing tax on cotton, the amendment of the Agricultural Adjustment Act to eliminate all sections detrimental to the best interests of American industry, and to place restrictions on importations of materials; and

A resolution adopted by the city council memorializing Congress to abolish the cotton-processing tax and to place restrictions upon importations of Japanese cotton or cotton products, leather, shoes, toys, and machinery; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted at New Bedford, Mass., by the Massachusetts State Council of Carpenters remonstrating against the classification of carpenters under the Federal Emergency Administration as tending to destroy the relations existing between contractors and employees; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Walker-Rogers Post, No. 662, American Legion, of Lowell, Mass., and citizens of West Somerville, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A memorial of citizens of South Hadley, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of said legislation; and

A petition of Branch 195, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Taunton, Mass., praying the passage of unemployment insurance and old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Overseas Post, No. 240, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Lynn, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to make it a crime to advocate or promote the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force and violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of Polish Army Veterans' Association of America, Post No. 23, of Adams, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of the Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America, of Quincy, Mass., praying the amendment of proposed legislation providing for the regulation of holding companies to except all transportation companies owned by public utility holding companies; and

A resolution adopted by Local No. 717, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, of Boston, Mass., favoring the passage of legislation relating to public utility holding companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Belmont-Waverley Post, No. 165, American Legion, of Belmont, Mass., favoring the holding of naval maneuvers in the Pacific Ocean in 1935; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation to take the profits out of war; to the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of citizens of Lowell, Mass., praying the passage of the Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetics Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Sheppard (for Mr. Thomas of Utah), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 56) authorizing the publication as a public document of America Secure: Analytical Register of Regular Army Officers and Security Statistics, with graphs, 1775–1935, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 540) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2407) for the relief of Gordon McGee, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 541) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution

(S. J. Res. 42) to cede to the Commonwealth of Virginia jurisdiction over that portion of the Fort Monroe Military Reservation leased to the Old Point Comfort Hotel Corporation, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 542) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1689) for the relief of Frank Fisher, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 543) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2516) for the relief of Anthony J. Constantino, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 544) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 2632) to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice breaking and assistance work; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2633) for the relief of Katie Walter; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2634) authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Warrant Officer Albert Frensch (retired) as a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2635) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., et al.; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Gerry:

A bill (S. 2636) granting a pension to George W. Olney; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 2637) to provide or the sale of the Port Newark Army supply base to the city of Newark, N. J.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2638) to amend the law governing the leasing of unallotted Indian lands for mining purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2639) for the relief of C. Y. Webb, of Clarkdale, Ariz.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2640) for the relief of Josephine Matson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2641) to provide for the establishment of a national monument in Oconee County, S. C., to be known as the "General Andrew Pickens National Monument"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2642) to incorporate the American National Theater and Academy; and

A bill (S. 2643) to amend section 118 of the Judicial Code to provide for the appointment of law clerks to United States District Court judges; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Guffey (for Mr. Davis):

A bill (S. 2644) for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 2645) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of the Lake Charles Ship Channel, La.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2646) to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2647) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors, materialmen, and laborers for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office building at Hempstead, N. Y.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2648) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with respect to sugar beets and sugarcane; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 2649) to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT CONVENTION

On motion by Mr. Duffy, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, as in executive session, That the vote advising and consenting to the ratification of the International Convention of the Copyright Union, as revised and signed at Rome on June 2, 1928 (Ex. E, 73d Cong., 2d sess.), be reconsidered, and that the said convention be again placed on the Executive Calendar.

FARM-TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Hatch, inserting the word *mortgage* on page 11, line 5, after the word "lease" and the comma, and on line 8, after the word "assignment" and the comma,

After debate,

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 3, beginning in line 16, inserting, after the word "rehabilitation", the words *or under any power given him by said Act,*

Pending debate,

Mr. King raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was disagreed to.

The reported amendment on page 3, line 19, was also disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. Bailey to further amend the bill by striking out all after line 6, on page 4, down to and including the word "authority" on page 5, line 25, and page 6, line 1.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Byrd to refer the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrd withdrew his motion, and in lieu thereof moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2 to the said bill and agreed to the same; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 4, 33, and 34, and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate; and it insists upon its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 23, 24, and 25 to the said bill.

FARM-TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Byrd's motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry,

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 37 / Nays---------- 44}

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, McNary, Moore, Radcliffe, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Byrd's motion to recommit was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Bailey's amendment,

On motion by Mr. Hastings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing thereto.

Mr. Ashurst proposed the following preferential amendment, viz., in lieu of the following language proposed to be stricken out, beginning on page 5, line 20, namely:

"The bonds issued by the Corporation under this subsection shall be exempt, both as to principal and interest, from all taxation (except surtaxes, estate, inheritance, and gift taxes), now or hereafter imposed by the United States or any District, Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority."

Insert the following:

The interest on the bonds issued by the Corporation shall be subject to taxation as other income.

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Ashurst's amendment,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 32 / Nays---------- 47}

On motion by Mr. Dickinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Barbour, Borah, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Costigan, Dickinson, Duffy, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Steiwer, Townsend, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Donahey, Fletcher, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, King, Logan, Long, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Ashurst's amendment was not agreed to

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Bailey's amendment,

SALE OF PROPERTY UNDER COURT DECREES

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1572) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 50 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 93. An act to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

S. 1208. An act authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award;

S. 1210. An act authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths; and

S. 2197. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3462. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes;

H. R. 4708. An act for the relief of E. F. Droop & Sons Co.; and

H. R. 6192. An act to authorize the issue of certain automobile tags to certain employees of the House of Representatives.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 3462, H. R. 4708, and H. R. 6192, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

USELESS PAPERS IN WAR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of War, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of an accumulation of documents and files of papers in the Philadelphia depot of the Quartermaster Department which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the War Department and have no permanent value or historical interest, which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Papers in the Executive Departments; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Cutting as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Douglas Dunmore, of Park Dale, Ark., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Branch 278, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of New Rochelle, N. Y., favoring the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted at Chicago, Ill., by the Salt Producers' Association, favoring a continuance of the National Industrial Recovery Act and a simplification of the code procedure affecting salt producers to enable them more readily to protect themselves against competition from the imported product;

A resolution adopted by the executive board of the New York Clothing Manufacturers' Exchange, Inc., of New York City, favoring a continuation of the National Industrial Recovery Act; and

A resolution adopted by the Central Civic Association, of Hollis, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for a 2-cent rate on first-class mail for delivery within the confines of any incorporated city and to such immediately contiguous incorporated cities as may be determined by the Postmaster General; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by Colonial Council, No. 25, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Woodmere, Garfield Council, No. 19, of Syracuse, and Salt City Council, No. 114, of Syracuse, all in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation to strengthen the immigration laws pertaining to the deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

Resolutions adopted by Mill Rock Post, No. 716, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of New York City, and Howard-Lathrop Post, No. 2307, of Lynbrook, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for penalties to those who advocate or promote the overthrow of the United States Government by force and violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Canastota, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 30-hour-work week in industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Keyes presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of Manchester, N. H., urging the adoption of remedial measures to save the textile industry for Manchester and the State of New Hampshire; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Lonergan presented a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Connecticut urging the enactment of legislation to terminate the cotton-processing tax and the wage differential between the North and South in the cotton-textile industry, and to restrict the importation of any textile articles from any country in a greater volume of that article from said country during the years 1930 to 1934, both inclusive; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

THE COLONY OF CONNECTICUT

Mr. Lonergan presented a manuscript on The Colony of Connecticut and its beginning, growth, and characteristics, to the observance of its tercentenary celebration in 1935; which, together with an accompanying illustration, was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1861) to incorporate the National Association of State Libraries, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1626) for the refunding of certain countervailing customs duties collected upon logs imported from British Columbia, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Minton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1497) to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 545) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5914) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 546) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2131) to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 547) thereon.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 22, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 97) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2650) to establish a new judicial circuit of the United States, with a circuit court of appeals, hereafter to be called the "eleventh circuit"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2651) to grant to the State of California a retrocession of jurisdiction over certain rights-of-way granted to the State of California over certain roads about to be constructed in the Presidio of San Francisco Military Reservation and Fort Baker Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2652) to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to Internal Revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2653) for the relief of Samuel Irick; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2654) to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Marx, Inc. (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2655) to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2656) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to grant concessions on reservoir sites and other lands in connection with Indian irrigation projects and to lease the lands in such reserves for agricultural, grazing, or other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 104) to provide for the determination and payment of claims for damage sustained by the fluctuation of the water levels of the Lake of the Woods in certain cases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Duffy:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 105) making an additional appropriation for the Federal Trade Commission; to the Committee on Appropriations.

W. K. RICHARDSON

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 119), which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

Resolved, That the case of W. K. Richardson against the United States, No. A-200, be, and hereby is, remanded to the United States Court of Claims, with complete authority, the Statute of Limitations or Rules of Procedure to the contrary notwithstanding, to hear and consider questions of law and fact complained of in the motion for a new trial, made January 28, 1931. Said hearing to be upon the report and finding of facts of the Commissioner and the testimony taken at the former trial of the case, with and under the stipulation that the amount for which suit was originally brought be reduced to 3 percent of the amount claimed in said suit. Such suit shall be advanced on the docket of the Court of Claims and promptly placed on the trial calendar. This reference is made under section 151 of the Judicial Code.

FRUIT PEEL AND CITRON OR CITRON PEEL

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 120), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission is directed under the authority conferred by section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and for the purposes of that section, to investigate the differences in the cost of production of the following domestic articles and of any like or similar foreign articles dutiable under paragraph 739 of said act:

Orange, grapefruit, lemon, and other fruit peel, candied, crystallized, glace, or otherwise prepared or preserved; citron or citron peel, candied, crystallized, glace, or otherwise prepared or preserved.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Bailey, striking out all after line 6, on page 4, down to and including the word "authority" on page 5, line 25 and page 6, line 1,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry with instructions to hold further hearings and to report it back at the present session of the Congress,

Pending debate,

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that the Senate had voted on a previous motion to recommit the bill; that only one motion to recommit might be made; and that it was not in order to make a second motion to recommit with instructions.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) overruled the point of order, making the following statement:

"The Chair is unable to find anything in the rules of the Senate which forbids the repetition of a motion to recommit. The Chair is personally in entire agreement with the Senator from Arkansas [Mr. Robinson] on the question of what the rules should be, but rule XV of the Senate provides that—

"'It shall be in order at any time before the passage of any bill or resolution to move its commitment.'

"The rule of the Senate is essentially different from that of the House of Representatives referred to by the Senator from Arkansas. In that case it is provided specifically in the rule that—

"'After the previous question shall have been ordered on a bill for final passage, one motion to recommit shall be in order.'

"Which is in derogation of the general parliamentary rule as to the previous question. However, in view of the explicit statement in Senate rule XV that 'It shall be in order at any time before the passage of any bill or resolution to move its commitment', the Chair is constrained to overrule the point of order."

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Vandenberg's motion to recommit with instructions,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 38 / Nays---------- 42}

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Duffy, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Radcliffe, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Vandenberg's motion to recommit the bill with instructions was not agreed to.

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The question recurring on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Bailey, striking out all after line 6, on page 4, down to and including the word "authority" on page 5, line 25, and page 6, line 1, as follows:

"The Corporation is authorized to issue bonds in an aggregate amount not to exceed $1,000,000,000, which may be sold by the Corporation to obtain funds for carrying out the purposes of this Act. Such bonds shall be in such forms and denominations, shall mature within such periods from the date of their issue, shall bear such rates of interest, shall be subject to such terms and conditions, and shall be issued in such manner and sold at such prices, as may be prescribed by the Corporation, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury. Such bonds shall be fully and unconditionally guaranteed both as to interest and principal by the United States, and such guaranty shall be expressed on the fact thereof, and such bonds shall be lawful investments and may be accepted as security for all fiduciary, trust, and public funds, the investment or deposit of which shall be under the authority or control of the United States or any officer or officers thereof. In the event that the Corporation shall be unable to pay upon demand, when due, the principal of, or interest on, such bonds, the Secretary of the Treasury shall pay to the holder the amount thereof which is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and thereupon to the extent of the amount so paid the Secretary of the Treasury shall succeed to all the rights of the holders of such bonds. The Secretary of the Treasury, in his discretion, is authorized to purchase any bonds of the Corporation issued under this subsection, and for such purpose the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to use as a public-debt transaction the proceeds from the sale of any securities hereafter issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and the purposes for which securities may be issued under such Act, as amended, are extended to include any purchases of the Corporation's bonds hereunder. The Secretary of the Treasury may, at any time, sell any of the bonds of the Corporation acquired by him under this subsection. All redemptions, purchases, and sales by the Secretary of the Treasury of the bonds of the Corporation shall be treated as public-debt transactions of the United States. The bonds issued by the Corporation under this subsection shall be exempt, both as to principal and interest, from all taxation (except surtaxes, estate, inheritance, and gift taxes), now or hereafter imposed by the United States or any District, Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority."

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 29 / Nays 45}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Bulkley, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Dickinson, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Radcliffe, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Bailey's amendment was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Logan, the motion of Mr. Dickinson, and the motion of Mr. Byrnes.

On motion by Mr. Dickinson to further amend the bill by inserting on page 8, line 19, after the word "contracts" certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Dickinson's amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. King.

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Dickinson's amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Bankhead, and, as amended, agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1572) to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7054) to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes.

CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. King, Mr. Glass, and Mr. Capper.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM-TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. McGill and the motion of Mr. King.

On motion by Mr. Walsh to further amend the bill by striking out all after the word "Act" on page 6, line 20, down to and including the words "United States" in line 23, and inserting in lieu thereof certain language,

Pending debate,

Mr. Couzens raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Walsh was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Walsh, the motion of Mr. Bankhead, the motion of Mr. La Follette, and the motion of Mr. Schwellenbach.

The reported amendment on page 10, line 5, was agreed to; and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Byrd.

On motion by Mr. Bailey to further amend the bill by striking out, on page 4, line 8, the figures "$1,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$100,000,000,*

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to the amendment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1572, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1572) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 7 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1209. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; and

S. 1610. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 4764) for the relief of the officers and men of the United States Naval and Marine Corps Reserves who performed flights in naval aircraft in connection with the search for victims and wreckage of the U. S. dirigible *Akron,* in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed five enrolled bills, viz, S. 93, S. 1208, S. 1210, S. 2197, and H. R. 7054, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 4764, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 93. An act to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

S. 1208. An act authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award;

S. 1210. An act authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths;

S. 2197. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia; and

H. R. 7054. An act to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF BANKRUPTCY ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend section 77B of the Bankruptcy Act, as amended, so as to specifically provide that, where the United States is a creditor or stockholder of a corporation seeking reorganization, the plan of reorganization shall not be confirmed by the court without the acceptance thereof by the Secretary of the Treasury as authorized by the last sentence of subdivision (e) (1) of section 77B; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of the United States praying for the adoption of a legislative program providing for sharing of wealth; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of Gertrude Atherton, of San Francisco, Calif., praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana.

A resolution adopted by Commodore John Barry Division, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Perth Amboy, N. J., remonstrating against the desecration of church property by the Mexican Government; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Wagner presented a telegram from the president of the New York State Hop Growers' Association, of Waterville, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation making hops a basic agricultural commodity under the Agricultural Adjustment Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Federation of Italian Societies and Clubs, of Lawrence, Mass., remonstrating against importations of foreign goods and praying the repeal of the cotton-processing tax; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of Local Union No. 2420, United Textile Workers of America, of Worcester, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes, a 30-hour-workweek in industry, and limiting the use of Federal military equipment in strike situations; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of Branch 137, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Adams, of Branch 20, of Roxbury, and of Branch 98, of New Bedford, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Retail Drug Trade Authority for the Sixth Congressional District of Massachusetts, of Gloucester, Mass., favoring the continuance of the National Industrial Recovery Act and the strengthening of the Code of Fair Competition for the Retail Drug Trade; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by Wire Workers' Union No. 19859, of Worcester, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour-workweek in industry and for the settlement of labor disputes; and

A resolution adopted by the National Committee on Small Farm Ownership at a conference in Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of legislation providing relief to farm tenants and share croppers.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 23, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1572) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 548) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2647) authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors, materialmen, and laborers for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office building at Hempstead, N. Y., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 549) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 2657) for the relief of Harold Dukelow; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2658) granting an increase in pension to Annie Thompson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2659) granting a pension to Emil Swinger; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 2660) for the relief of Chester Leroy Allen (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2661) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at Montpelier, Idaho; and

A bill (S. 2662) to provide for the acquisition of a site and the erection thereon of a Federal building at St. Anthony, Idaho; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2663) for the relief of Frank Mulder; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2664) to aid in defraying the expenses of the third triennial meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World, to be held in this country in June 1936; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2665) to change the name of the Department of the Interior and to coordinate certain governmental functions; to the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments:

By Mr. Van Nuys and Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2666) for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2667) granting a pension to Gerta Newman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2668) granting a pension to Martha E. Cox; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2669) for the relief of the Franklin Ice Cream Co. (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2670) repealing certain provisions of law relating to the Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 2671) to provide for the establishment of a national monument and cemetery in Greenwood County, S. C., to be known as the "Star Fort National Monument and Cemetery"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2672) authorizing the exchange of public lands with the State of New Mexico; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2673) for the relief of certain persons whose cotton was destroyed by fire in the Ouachita warehouse, Camden, Ark.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2674) to authorize the furnishing of steam from the central heating plant to the Federal Reserve Board, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2675) for the relief of Horton & Horton; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 106) authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Homer Harbor, Kachemak Bay, Alaska; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Robinson (by request):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 107) to authorize the acceptance, on behalf of the United States, of the bequest of the late Oliver Wendell Holmes, formerly an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, for the purpose of establishing a collection of the portraits of the former Justices of that Court and for the creation of scholarships for selected law students; to the Committee on the Library.

FARM-TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Bailey, striking out on page 4, line 8, the figures "$1,000,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$100,000,000,*

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 34 / Nays 39}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Those who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Couzens, Dickinson, Duffy, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Pittman, Radcliffe, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So Mr. Bailey's amendment was not agreed to.

An motion by Mr. Bailey to further amend the bill by inserting on page 7, line 14, after the word "funds", the following:

: Provided, That every appointment the annual compensation thereof is $4,000 or more shall be subject to the confirmation of the Senate of the United States as provided by article II, section 2, of the Constitution.

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to the amendment.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Bankhead, and by unanimous consent,

The order for the yeas and nays was rescinded; and

Mr. Bailey's amendment was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

On motion by Mr. Steiwer to reconsider the vote agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Bankhead, striking out on page 12, beginning in line 1, the words "acquired and held by the Corporation, or" and inserting in line 3, after the word "corporation" the words *notwithstanding the legal title remains in the Corporation.*

After debate,

The motion was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the question be again put on agreeing to Mr. Steiwer's motion.

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being again taken on agreeing to Mr. Steiwer's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 44 / Nays 32}

On motion by Mr. Steiwer,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Borah, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Duffy, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, Metcalf, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Guffey, La Follette, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So Mr. Steiwer's motion to reconsider was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Borah to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry with instructions to report it back not later than the 12th of May,

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that a motion to recommit was heretofore made, which was rejected by the Senate; that subsequently a motion to recommit with instructions was made and also rejected by the Senate; and that under the rules and practice of the Senate it is not competent to consider an indefinite number of motions to recommit with instructions.

After debate, by unanimous consent,

The Vice President, in the following language, overruled the point of order:

The Chair agrees fully with the last statement of the Senator from Missouri [Mr. Clark] that there is nothing in the rules of the Senate, which the Chair has been able to find, which tends to restrict the freedom of the Senate, regardless of what it may be desired to do.

Rule XV of the Senate rules reads as follows:

"When a bill or resolution shall have been ordered to be read a third time, it shall not be in order to propose amendments, unless by unanimous consent, but it shall be in order at any time before the passage of any bill or resolution to move its commitment."

That does not say one motion to recommit, as is provided by the House of Representatives in its rule.

The Chair thinks the reasoning of the Senator from Missouri [Mr. Clark] yesterday, as the Chair has examined the matter within the last hour, was sound reasoning. The Senator from Missouri, as we all know, is one of the best parliamentarians not only in the Senate but, as the Chair believes, in the country, having had 6 years' experience in the House of Representatives as its Parliamentarian.

The remedy is for the Senate Committee on Rules to take cognizance of some of the situations which have developed on the floor of the Senate and undertake to remedy them. A change of one word in rule XV would remedy the situation; that is, by having it provide that there shall be but one motion to recommit. Would the Senate adopt such a change in its rule? The Chair is not certain that it would, because it might want to provide for two such motions.

The Chair overrules the point of order.

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Borah's motion to recommit the bill with instructions,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 45 / Nays---------- 38}

On motion by Mr. Borah,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Borah, Brown, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Duffy, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Nye, Pittman, Radcliffe, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry with instructions.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

On motion by Mr. Costigan that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 3 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mrs. Norton, Mr. Ellenbogen, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 254) providing for an investigation by the United States Public Health Service of the plumbing and sanitary systems in Federal Government buildings, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 1209 and S. 1610, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1209. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; and

S. 1610. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CELEBRATION OF SILVER JUBILEE OF KING GEORGE V

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State relative to a service to be held at the National Cathedral in Washington, D. C., on May 6, 1935, in celebration of the silver jubilee of King George V of Great Britain; which, with an accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of its activities and expenditures for March 1935, together with a statement of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Central Council of District Clubs, of St. Paul, Minn., favoring the passage of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of citizens of the States of North Dakota and North Carolina praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Memorials of four city councils and Lawrence Turn Verein, of the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the processing tax on cotton; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the Springfield (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; and

Petitions of Local Union 2401, United Textile Workers of America, of Charlton City, and Local Union 2325, of Oxford, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of a 30-hour workweek in industry; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Retail Drug Trade Authority, of Beverly, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation extending the National Industrial Recovery Act and strengthening the code for the retail drug trade;

Resolutions adopted by Branch 182, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Lowell, and Branch 340, of Revere, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for unemployment and social insurance and old-age pensions;

A petition of the Boston Section, National Council of Jewish Women, of Waban, Mass., praying the passage of the so-called "economic security bill", S. 1130; and

A memorial of the Malborough Chamber of Commerce, of Marlborough, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation imposing certain sales taxes; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Springfield (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of public-utility holding companies;

A memorial of the American Tissue Mills, of Holyoke, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of legislation providing for a 6-hour day for railroad workers and certain other legislation relating to the regulation of railroad transportation; and

A memorial of the Westfield (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation allowing 90 days for filing complaints for recovery of damages from the time the cause of action accrues in lieu of the allowance of 2 years under present law; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Washington Federation of Churches, of Washington, D. C., remonstrating against the proposed assembling of a naval fleet for maneuvers in the North Pacific Ocean; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Walsh presented a memorial of the Fitchburg (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour workweek in industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Elmira Aerie, No. 941, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Elmira, and Vernon Aerie, No. 1031, of Mount Vernon, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Bronx County (N. Y.) Pharmaceutical Association favoring the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of the State of New York remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States restricting constitutional rights of freedom of speech, press, assembly, and religion; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented a telegram from Louis A. Cuvillier, of the New York State Legislature, incorporating a copy of his resolution introduced in the assembly favoring the setting up of emergency relief boards for home and work relief in every county in every State.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented a communication from the national secretary of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, of Washington, D. C., together with a copy of a letter to the President of the United States, favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent lynching.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2616) for the relief of the estate of Joseph Y. Underwood, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 551) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2644) for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 552) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the full value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 550) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 94) establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 553) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 147) authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C., reported it with an amendment.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1763) to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930, and that it be referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2676) to require contractors with the Government to pay fair wages, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 2677) to purchase and erect in the city of Washington the group of statuary known as the "Indian Buffalo Hunt"; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 2678) granting a pension to John H. Epperson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2679) granting a pension to William Henry Kelly; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2680) to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2682) for the relief of Chief Carpenter William F. Twitchell, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Utah:

A bill (S. 2683) to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 2684) to amend section 4747 of the Revised Statutes to provide for the exemption of certain pensions from taxation; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 2865) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Bayou Dupre, La.; and

A bill (S. 2686) to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Grand Bayou Pass, La.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 108) to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON POST OFFICES AND POST ROADS

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 121), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had in connection with any subject which may be before said committee, the expenses thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

George B. Marx (Inc.); Josephine Matson; and Harry F. Stern; to the Committee on Claims.

Samuel Irick; to the Committee on Finance.

Earl E. Bayles; Robert Blake; Martha E. Cox; Hannah Lewis; Ernest McCord; Henry W. McLain; Elijah Stephens; and May Tuffree; to the Committee on Pensions.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution H. J. Res. 254 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 24, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 93. An act to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

S. 1208. An act authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom a commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimile of such medal and a ribbon symbolic of the award;

S. 1210. An act authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths; and

S. 2197. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

Mr. Bankhead raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Trammell raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed to roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

BEQUEST OF LATE JUSTICE OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on the Library:

To the Congress of the United States:

The Congress is aware that Mr. Justice Holmes bequeathed his residuary estate to the Government of his country. It is the gift of one who in war and in peace devoted his life to its service. Clearly he thereby sought, with a generous emphasis, to mark the full measure of his faith in those principles of freedom and justice which the country was founded to preserve.

I shall, I think, be interpreting aright the feeling of the country and the wishes of the Congress if I suggest that this striking gift be devoted to some purpose worthy of the great man who gave it. Mr. Justice Holmes was fond of saying that we live by symbols. Our fellow citizens of this generation would, I am confident, desire the Congress to translate this gift into a form that may serve as a permanent impulse for the maintenance of the deepest tradition that Mr. Justice Holmes embodied.

That tradition was a faith in the creative possibilities of the law. For him law was an instrument of just relations between man and man. With an insight into its history that no American scholar has surpassed; with a capacity to mold ancient principles to present needs, unique in range and remarkable in prophetic power; with a grasp of its significance as the basis upon which the purposes of men are shaped, Mr. Justice Holmes sought to make the jurisprudence of the United States fulfill the great ends our Nation was established to accomplish. Our generation will not soon forget, as the learned the world over will long remember, his extraordinary achievements as judge, as historian, and as philosopher of the law.

The Congress will, I am sure, agree that it is fitting to utilize this opportunity to remind those who will come after us of our sense of the eminence of Mr. Justice Holmes. In so doing we do not merely commemorate the distinction of an American to whom the whole world has paid tribute. We also mark for posterity our pride in his faith in American democracy, his confidence in the power of our legal institutions to realize, when rightly used, the highest American ideals. Posterity which learns the significance of a life such as that of Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., draws inspiration from its understanding.

I therefore commend to the Congress that the bequest of Mr. Justice Holmes be not covered into the general fund of the Treasury but that it be set aside in a special fund at this time, and at a later date be devoted to purposes which will effectively promote the contributions which law can make to the national welfare. Once it is decided that the Holmes bequest be set apart for special use, the precise object may await ample deliberation. A select committee of Congress, acting in collaboration with a committee of the Supreme Court of the United States, will doubtless evolve the wisest uses to which this noble bequest should be put.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 25, 1935.*

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, APR. 26, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Nevada Home Labor Association, of Reno, Nev., favoring a modification of the law governing contract awards so as to more rigidly compel contractors to employ Nevada citizens and workers on any and all public works carried on within the State of Nevada; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida memorializing Congress to enact legislation to authorize the United States Government to receive and accept as a gift from the city of Palatka, Fla., the Palatka Ravine Azalea Gardens and improvements and to constitute and maintain such gardens as a national park; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

A resolution adopted by members of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance of Little Rock, Ark., favoring the passage of antilynching legislation;

A resolution adopted by the Westmoreland County Council, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Jeannette, Pa., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A memorial of John B. Watson, of Media, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of said legislation; and

A telegram from the Square Deal Association of Louisiana, of New Orleans, La., relative to the handling and disbursement of Federal funds in the State of Louisiana for relief purposes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a memorial of the New Jersey Women's State Republican Club, of Ridgewood, N. J., remonstrating against the passage of legislation inimical to public-utility companies, to amend the banking laws, to provide for the settlement of labor disputes, and making appropriations for relief purposes.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of Earl B. Clark, of the executive committee of the Chenango County Farm Bureau, of Norwich, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation to create the commodity dollar and to revalue the dollar so as to raise commodity prices to the level prevailing from 1921 to 1929; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Salamanca, N. Y., favoring a continuation of the tax on foreign copper; and

A resolution adopted by Branch 359, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Hewlett, Long Island, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for unemployment and social-insurance and old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Glenwood Landing Post, No. 336, American Legion, of Glenwood Landing, Long Island, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the creation of a Bureau of Alien Deportation in the Department of Justice; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of citizens of Binghamton, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation to take the profit out of war; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying the enactment of legislation to permit full cuts of postage stamps in stamp catalogs; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Memorial Associates, Inc., of New York City remonstrating against the placing of bronze

markers on soldiers' graves instead of stone markers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented a petition of members of Local No. 46, Metal Polishers International Union, of Cincinnati, Ohio., praying the enactment of legislation providing for a 30-hour workweek in industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Schall presented a copy of a report of the committee on domestic productions of the Philadelphia (Pa.) Board of Trade urging that individual enterprise be encouraged and that the law of supply and demand in an open and competitive market be restored in place of the National Recovery Administration policy of maintaining prices at a certain level; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7132) to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 554) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard (for Mr. Reynolds), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2294) for the relief of Thaddeus C. Knight, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 555) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 98) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 556) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Capt. Elmer Dane Pangburn for appointment, by transfer, in the Regular Army, and certain other nominations in the Regular Army and National Guard, reported them favorably.

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Augustus W. Lee to be postmaster at Britt, Iowa, and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2687) for the relief of Henry Ziegenhagen; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2688) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2689) for the relief of the city of New York; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2690) for the relief of the Eberhart Steel Products Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Nye (for Mr. Norbeck):

A bill (S. 2691) for the relief of E. E. Sullivan (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2692) granting a pension to Walter E. Fink (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2693) for the relief of Fred P. Halbert; and

A bill (S. 2694) to add certain lands to the Columbia National Forest in the State of Washington; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 2695) to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 109) providing that the Superintendent of the Five Civilized Tribes shall be appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

LABOR CONDITIONS IN PANAMA CANAL ZONE

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 122), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Military Affairs, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate the labor conditions in the Panama Canal Zone with a view to determine the advisability of enacting S. 1819, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the result of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per 100 words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $1,500, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 25, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1209. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish an easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; and

S. 1610. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina.

TERCENTENARY OF FOUNDING OF COLONY OF CONNECTICUT

On motion by Mr. Lonergan, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 94) establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CALIFORNIA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION COINS

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5914) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 2, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 1: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 1, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Omit the matter proposed to be inserted by said amendment, and in lieu thereof, on page 1 of the Senate bill, line 9, delete the first comma and after the word "Act" insert the following: *(which, for the purposes of this Act, shall be construed to include any agency created or designated by the President for similar purposes under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935)*; and the House agree to the same.

WILLIAM H. KING,
CARTER GLASS,
ARTHUR CAPPER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARY T. NORTON,
HENRY ELLENBOGEN,
EVERETT M. DIRKSEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate adjourn until Monday next,

Mr. Costigan raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

After a parliamentary inquiry had been submitted by Mr. Costigan and held by the Presiding Officer to be not in order,

Mr. Costigan addressed the Chair.

Mr. Connally raised a question of order, viz, that the motion to adjourn was not debatable.

The Presiding Officer sustained the question of order.

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion that the Senate adjourn until Monday next,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 33 / Nays---------- 34

On motion by Mr. Costigan,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Couzens, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, King, Lonergan, McKellar, Murphy, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Schall,

Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and White.

So Mr. Robinson's motion was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Costigan that the Senate proceed to the consideration of said bill S. 24,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered thereon.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, APR. 27, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to reduce the present tax on beer and other liquor; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Macon, Miss., remonstrating against the ratification of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the Taxicab Owners Union, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted at a mass meeting at Tulsa, Okla., urging the development of power sites on the Grand River Basin; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the 4th Cycle, Inc., of Los Angeles, Calif., favoring an investigation of alleged subversive acts against the Government; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of citizens of the States of New York and Illinois praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by citizens of Milford, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation requiring the use of granite in the construction of public buildings under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A resolution adopted by the County Commissioners of Carson County, Tex., remonstrating against the waste of gas now prevalent in the Panhandle oil fields of Texas; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation exempting fuel alcohol from Federal tax; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 60) to investigate the facts concerning the court martial of former Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 557) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the nomination of Frank A. Bryan to be postmaster at Columbia, Ala., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

NOMINATION OF EARLE A. BROWN

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Walsh entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate advised and consented to the nomination of Earle A. Brown to be postmaster at Lunenburg, Mass.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2696) to extend the jurisdiction of the Mississippi River Commission to include that stretch of the Arkansas River between its confluence with the Mississippi River and the city of Little Rock, Ark.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2697) for the relief of the United Pocahontas Coal Co., Crumpler, W. Va.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2698) granting a pension to Clara L. Dolman;

A bill (S. 2699) granting a pension to Charles Rufus Koon;

A bill (S. 2700) granting a pension to Hattie Jane Koon; and

A bill (S. 2701) granting an increase of pension to Martha L. E. Bromberg; to the Committee on Pensions.

INJUNCTIONS AGAINST PUBLICLY OWNED POWER PLANTS

Mr. Norris, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 123):

Resolved, That the Federal Power Commission be, and it is hereby, directed to furnish to the Senate:

(1) A list of all the publicly owned electric generating or distributing plants, whether Federal, State, county, or municipal, in the United States in which the installation, organization, or operation of such plants has been interfered with by reason of restraining orders or injunctions issued (a) in Federal courts and (b) in State courts;

(2) The delay, if any, in each case that has occurred by reason of such restraining order or injunction; and

(3) The expense, both direct and indirect, in each case that has been incurred by the owner of such publicly owned electric generating or distributing plant by reason of such restraining order or injunction.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 7672, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Connally to amend Mr. Costigan's motion by providing that in lieu of the bill S. 24 contained in said motion the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Connally withdrew his motion.

On motion by Mr. McNary that the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next,

Mr. Costigan raised a question of order, viz, that his motion could not be displaced by Mr. Connally's motion to substitute another bill.

The Vice President held that Mr. Connally's motion was not before the Senate, and that the pending question was the motion of Mr. McNary that the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate adjourn,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the motion.

The Secretary proceeded to call the roll, and Mr. Adams answered to his name.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Mr. McKellar raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Adams having answered to his name, the roll call could not be interrupted.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

The roll call was resumed and concluded; and

Mr. Robinson's motion was determined in the negative,

Yeas	28
Nays	37

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Connally, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, King, Lonergan, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, and Trammell.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Copeland, Costigan, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, Lewis, Logan, McCarran, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Schall, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Robinson's motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

The question recurring on Mr. McNary's motion that the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next,

It was determined in the affirmative,

Yeas	50
Nays	10

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Gore, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Murphy, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Vandenberg, and Van Nuys.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bilbo, Borah, Lewis, Minton, Murray, Neely, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, and Walsh.

So Mr. McNary's motion was agreed to; and thereupon, at 1 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, APR. 29, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, April 27, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Gorey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Stelwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walcher, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolutions:

On April 24, 1935:

S. 1572. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended;

S. J. Res. 93. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934; and

S. J. Res. 97. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia, June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive.

On April 25, 1935:

S. 93. An act to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths;

S. 1208. An act authorizing personnel of the naval service to whom commemorative or special medal has been awarded to wear in lieu thereof a miniature facsimilie of such model and a ribbon symbolic of the award;

S. 1210. An act authorizing certain officials under the Naval Establishment to administer oaths; and

S. 2197. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of the Sorosis Club, of Cleveland, the Federation of Women's Clubs, of Greater Cleveland, in the State of Ohio, and the board of directors of the League of Women Citizens, of Asheville, N. C., praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution of the New York City Committee, American League against War and Fascism, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation proposing to abrogate, limit, and suppress civil rights; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Oklahoma, memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of the board of directors of the Inland Employees Association, of Dayton, Ohio, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Custom Tailoring Workers Industrial Union of New York, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following telegrams:

A telegram from the board of managers of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers favoring the passage of the so-called "Federal food, drugs, and cosmetics act" without the Clark and Bailey amendments; and

A telegram from the State Negro Citizens Committee, of Columbia, S. C., favoring the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Borah presented the following petition and statement, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Grange No. 300, of Lewiston, Idaho, favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a governmental owned, controlled, and operated central bank of issue with complete power over currency and credit; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A copy of a statement by the National Committee on Small Farm Ownership adopted at a conference of the committee in Washington, D. C., relative to proposed legislation providing relief to farm tenants and share croppers; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Johnson presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the inclusion in the national program of work relief of the development of the Central Valley project.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Schall presented a copy of a letter from John Thompson, editor of the Wallace Farmer and Iowa Homestead, of Des Moines, Iowa, to Milo Reno, president Farmers Holiday Association, of that city, relative to the Bowman treatment of Bang's disease in cattle; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Medford, Mass., remonstrating against the processing tax on the cotton industry; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Resolutions adopted by Amesbury Aerie No. 1702, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Amesbury, and petitions of Orange Townsend Club, No. 1, of Orange, and Polish American Club, of Springfield, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of old-age pensions legislation; and

A petition of Local 534, Boston Cement and Asphalt Finishers Union, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation reducing the tax on cigarettes; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by members of the Celtic Social Club, of Holyoke, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Fall River, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to award John Moran, of Fall River, a Distinguished Service Cross for bravery in action; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Leominster, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates;

A resolution adopted by the said City Council favoring the removal of pollution from the Nashua River in Massachusetts as one of the unemployment relief projects; and

A petition of Local Union No. 14, of Brewery Workers and Drivers in Greater Boston, Mass., and its branches, praying the enactment of legislation providing a 30-hour work week in industry.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1277) authorizing persons, firms, corporations, associations, or societies to file bills of interpleader, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 558) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2472) to pay an annuity to Frances Agramonte, the widow of Dr. Aristides Agramonte, member of the Yellow Fever Commission, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 559) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2702) for the relief of Multnomah County, Oreg.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2703) for the relief of Edwin W. Romberger; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 2704) for the relief of Clayton M. Thomas; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2705) granting a pension to Eddie R. Guyon;

A bill (S. 2706) granting a pension to Everett Hilliad Harvey;

A bill (S. 2707) granting a pension to Robert Hutchison Owens; and

A bill (S. 2708) granting a pension to Mary Lou Wallace Paul; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2709) for the relief of the Ingram-Day Lumber Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2710) to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd and Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2711) to amend the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2712) to promote the efficiency of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A bill (S. 2713) to authorize the erection of additional facilities at the existing Veterans' Administration facility, Cheyenne, Wyo.; to the Committee on Finance.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

Mr. Bailey raised a question as to the present of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Truman in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 2035 and H. R. 5914, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts, as follows:

On April 19, 1935:

H. R. 3959. An act for the relief of the National Training School for Boys and others.

H. R. 6359. An act to amend certain provisions relating to publicity of certain statements of income.

On April 22, 1935:

H. R. 2353. An act for the relief of the Yellow Drivurself Co.

On April 24, 1935:

H. R. 2439. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.

On April 27, 1935:

H. R. 7054. An act to provide for the protection of land resources against soil erosion, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 2035. An act to amend an act approved June 25, 1935, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 5914. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

Mr. Smith raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Russell raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Cutting, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill S. 24.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate adjourn,

Mr. Costigan raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 37 / Nays 38}

On motion by Mr. Costigan,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Connally, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Utah, and Trammell.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Bone, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette McCarran, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Nye, Schall, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So the motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

ORDER FOR RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 50 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 258) to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, urging Congress to pass an enabling act authorizing the people of the Territory of Hawaii to form a constitution and State government to be admitted into the Union on an equal footing with the original States; and

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to provide funds for making a survey to determine the feasibility of bringing water from the north coast valleys of Molokai to the southerly side of the island for use on Hawaiian Homes Commission lands; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Illinois favoring the reduction of the Federal tax on beer from $5 per barrel to $2.50;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Connecticut favoring an addition to the veterans' hospital at Newington, Conn.; and

A petition of Spokane (Wash.) Valley Poultry Local, urging an excise tax on imported poultry products; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Brinsmade Business Men's Club, of Brinsmade, N. Dak., memorializing Congress to eliminate the long-and-short-haul clause from the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act, or to modify the same so as to effectively permit railroads to establish rates to the Pacific coast from the Middle West to meet competition of water transportation through the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of members of the Philippine bar and citizens of the Philippine Islands remonstrating against the confirmation of the appointment of C. M. Recto to the Supreme Court of the Philippines; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following memorials of the Legislature of the State of Florida, which were referred as follows:

A memorial urging the enactment of legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; and

A memorial urging the enactment of legislation guaranteeing the cost of production to farmers on their crops; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial requesting an appropriation to reimburse the county of Okaloosa, Fla., for expenditures in the construction of roads and bridges within the boundary of the Choctawhatchee National Forest; to the Committee on Claims.

A memorial urging appropriations for the purpose of making the Ocklawaha River, Fla., navigable from its outlet in the St. Johns River to its source in Lake Apopka; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Fletcher presented identical memorials of the Florida Legislature, which were referred as above indicated.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by Columbia Lodge, No. 85, Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, of Washington, D. C., favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida favoring the immediate improvement of the canal between the Apalachicola River and St. Andrews Bay and the construction of a canal between the Choctawhatchee Bay and West Bay, in the State of Florida, with Federal appropriations; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Barbour presented a petition of the Newark (N. J.) Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of the Colored People praying the enactment of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 166) for the relief of Jack Doyle, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 560) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2714) for the relief of Fred R. Cuddy; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2715) conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of the Choctaw Indians of the State of Mississippi; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 2716) to provide for the establishment of a national monument and cemetery in Greenwood County, S. C., to be known as the "Star Fort National Monument and Cemetery"; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Byrnes:

A bill (S. 2717) to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to make surveys of representative farm areas each year in each State for the purpose of obtaining and publishing information upon the economic condition of agriculture throughout the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2718) for the relief of Walter D. Foster; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2719) for the relief of Capt. Guy L. Hartman; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Guffey:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 110) authorizing Brig. Gen. C. E. Nathorst, Philippine Constabulary, retired, to accept such decorations, orders, medals, or presents as have been tendered him by foreign governments; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Schall:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 111) directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day, for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 258) this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on April 29, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 2035) to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Costigan to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

Pending debate,

Mr. Smith raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Glass raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Schall asked unanimous consent to have printed in the Congressional Record an editorial from the Washington Spectator entitled "Dust", which request was objected to by Mr. Black.

Mr. Schall then asked unanimous consent to have the editorial read, to which request an objection was interposed by Mr. Couzens.

Pending debate,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Mr. Couzens submitted a parliamentary inquiry as to whether any business had been transacted since the last quorum call.

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The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) stated that no business had been transacted.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question of order, viz, that the proceedings incident to Mr. Schall's requests constituted the transaction of business.

Mr. Couzens raised a question of order, viz, that that did not constitute business, that no business had been transacted since the last quorum call, and that another quorum call at this time was not in order.

The Presiding Officer sustained Mr. Couzens' point of order.

From the decision of the Chair, Mr. Smith appealed to the Senate.

The Presiding Officer stated the question to be, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?

Mr. Smith raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

LIABILITY OF AUTOMOBILE OWNERS AND OPERATORS FOR DAMAGES

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its amendment.

WILLIAM H. KING,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
ARTHUR CAPPER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
VINCENT L. PALMISANO,
WRIGHT PATMAN,
EVERETT M. DIRKSEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

The question being, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?

Mr. Bankhead raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 3, and 38 to the said bill and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5 to the said bill and agreed to the same with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

The question being, Shall the decision of the Chair (sustaining Mr. Couzens' question of order that the calling of a quorum was not in order) stand as the judgment of the Senate?

Pending debate,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass,

Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 46 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar days of Monday, April 29, and Tuesday, April 30, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to include the Central Valley Project in the Federal work-relief program; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of Mrs. Sote Mitchell, of Otter Pond, Ky., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of W. A. Neilson, of Northampton, Mass., praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate several telegrams from students of the West Virginia State College, of Institute, W. Va., and the student body of Christiansburg Institute, of Christiansburg, Va., urging the enactment of anti-lynching legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 317) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 561) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 2720) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the estate of C. D. Matthews; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2721) granting a pension to Anna Hindman; and

A bill (S. 2722) granting a pension to Dixie Louise Shane (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2723) granting an increase of pension to Fanny Cunningham; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2724) granting a pension to Charles F. Williams; and

A bill (S. 2725) granting a pension to Fannie R. Sperzel (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2726) to prevent cruelty to animals during their transportation in interstate commerce, and to repeal the act of Congress approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 607; secs. 71–74, title 45, U. S. C.); to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2727) to authorize the acquisition of land for military purposes in Bexar County, Tex., for use as an addition to Kelly Field Military Reservation, and to settle certain claims in connection therewith; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2728) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Sac and Fox Tribe of Indians in the State of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 2729) for the relief of Mrs. Rhuea Pearce; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 112) extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

WITHDRAWAL OF PAPERS

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the bill S. 3207 (73d Cong., 1st sess.) for the relief of Eugene J. Pettus be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse report having been made thereon.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 408, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Mr. Hayden submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 18, 23, 43, 46, 48, 51, 53, 58, 60, 62, and 63.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 2, 4, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 40, 41, 52, 54, 55, 56, 57, 59, 61, 64, 66, 67, 69, 69, 70, and 71, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 6: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 6, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$219,000, of which $50,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 7: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 7, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$65,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$471,910*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 12: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 12, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$144,200*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$70,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 44: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 44, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$650,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 45: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 45, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$458,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 47: That the House recede from its disagreement to the enactment of the Senate numbered 47, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$2,285,560*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 49: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 49, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$632,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 50: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 50, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$185,400*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 65: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 65, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,970,311*; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 1, 3, 5, and 38.

CARL HAYDEN,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
ELMER THOMAS,
FREDERICK STEIWER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD T. TAYLOR,
B. M. JACOBSEN,
JED JOHNSON,
M. A. ZIONCHECK,
J. G. SCRUGHAM,
W. P. LAMBERTSON,
R. B. WIGGLESWORTH,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF LYNCHING

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 24) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching.

The question being, Shall the decision of the Chair (sustaining a point of order raised by Mr. Couzens that no business had been transacted since the previous roll call) stand as the judgment of the Senate?

Pending debate,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate adjourn to meet at 3 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. to-day,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 48 / Nays---------- 32 }

On motion by Mr. Costigan,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Couzens, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lewis, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Capper, Carey, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Donahey, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, McCarran, McNary, Minton, Neely, Nye, Schall, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Robinson's motion was agreed to; and thereupon, at 3 o'clock and 18 minutes p. m.,

The Senate adjourned until 3 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. today.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of that part of the calendar day of May 1 embraced in the legislative day of April 15 was approved.

CHICAGO WORLD'S FAIR CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint communication from the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Secretary of Commerce, as members of the Chicago World's Fair Centennial Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a detailed statement of expenditures, together with other reports concerning the character and extent of Federal participation in A Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago during the years 1933 and 1934; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

COTTON ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, IMPORTS, AND EXPORTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, in partial response to Senate Resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, a report showing commercial production of raw cotton in principal countries in the period 1904 to 1935, the estimated carry-over of raw cotton as of July 31 for the years 1921 to 1934, and the quantity and value of exports and imports of raw cotton for the period 1909 to 1934 by leading producing countries and principal importing countries; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, in partial response to Senate resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, a report covering statistics of agricultural imports, and a weekly publication of the Department of Agriculture, Foreign Crops and Markets, showing the agricultural commodities tabulated as "competitive"; which, together with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Rules, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 118) creating a standing Committee on Air Commerce and Civil Aviation, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 562) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2608) to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 563) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill S. 2655) to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 564) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1696) for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 565) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 381. A bill for the relief of the Confederated Bands of Ute Indians located in Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico (Rept. No. 566); and

S. 1697. A bill providing old-age pensions for Indian citizens of the United States (Rept. No. 567).

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1637) to extend further the operation of an act of Congress approved January 26, 1933 (47 Stat. 776), entitled "An act relating to the deferment and adjustment of construction charges for the years 1931 and 1932 on Indian irrigation projects", reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 569) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 96) to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 568) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2730) to relieve restricted Indians whose lands have been taxed or have been lost by failure to pay taxes, and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 2731) to create an Indian Claims Commission, to provide for the powers, duties, and functions thereof, and for other purposes; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2732) to amend section 7 of the act approved February 27, 1925 (43 Stat. L. 1011), relating to the descent of restricted Osage Indian property; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2733) for the relief of Charles Edward Poole; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

INJUNCTIONS AGAINST PUBLICLY OWNED POWER PLANTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 123) calling on the Federal Power Commission for a list of publicly owned power plants interfered with by injunctions.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

On motion by Mr. Hayden, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6223) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment of the House of Representatives to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5 to the said bill.

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills were thereupon considered, and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1932. A bill for the relief of the State of California;

S. 2312. A bill for the relief of the Western Construction Co.;

S. 2265. A bill extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act of May 24, 1928, to provisional officers of the Regular Establishment who served during the World War;

S. 2292. A bill for the relief of Emanuel Wallin;

S. 2276. A bill to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union;

S. 2311. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.;

S. 376. A bill to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah;

S. 159. A bill to amend the provision in the act approved March 3, 1931, governing the computation of commissioned service of Naval Academy graduates who have been retired for age or service ineligibility for promotion;

S. 616. A bill authorizing the removal of rock from the submarine and destroyer base reservation at Astoria (Tongue Point), Oreg.;

S. 1824. A bill for the relief of Abraham Green;

S. 1214. A bill for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston;

S. 2298. A bill for the relief of Sallie S. Twilley;

S. 985. A bill for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.;

S. 2530. A bill to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes;

S. 1495. A bill authorizing the President to order Donald O. Miller before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his separation;

S. 1030. A bill for the relief of the Mutual Savings and Loan Association, Wilmington, Del.;

S. 2407. A bill for the relief of Gordon McGee; and

S. 1497. A bill to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 373) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Robert A. Watson; and no further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 38) for the adjustment and settlement of losses sustained by the cooperative marketing associations; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Frazier,

An objection to the further consideration of the joint resolution was interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bill and joint resolution; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 240. An act for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle; and

H. J. Res. 147. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill and joint resolution read a third time.

The said bill and joint resolution, as amended, were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

S. 672. A bill for the relief of the city of Baltimore;

S. 1539. A bill relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

S. 2185. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes";

S. 2215. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended;

S. 1379. A bill to amend section 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the Canal Zone and section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure for the Canal Zone;

S. 1380. A bill to regulate the defense of alibi in criminal cases;

S. 2467. A bill for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band;

S. 918. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Union Iron Works;

S. 2505. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 2371. A bill for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin;

S. 1206. A bill authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

S. 1505. A bill for the relief of William Edward Tidwell;

S. 2193. A bill to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah;

S. 2225. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 2516. A bill for the relief of Anthony J. Constantino;

S. 1626. A bill for the refunding of certain countervailing customs duties collected upon logs imported from British Columbia;

S. 2131. A bill to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park, in the State of Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 2356. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act for the relief of contractors and subcontractors for the post offices and other buildings and work under the supervision of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes", approved August 25, 1919, as amended by act of March 6, 1920;

S. 2453. A bill to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898;

S. 2647. A bill authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors, materialmen, and laborers for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office building at Hempstead, N. Y.;

S. J. Res. 89. Joint resolution directing the Comptroller General to readjust the account between the United States and the State of Vermont; and

S. J. Res. 98. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library."

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 115) relative to the distribution of funds placed under the administration of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The preamble was amended as reported by the committee, striking out the semicolon and the word "and" at the end of the first paragraph thereof, and all in the second paragraph down to and including the word "funds", and, as amended, agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2471) to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898; and the reported amendments having been disagreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1470) to provide a preliminary examination and survey of Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide a preliminary examination of Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3911. An act for the relief of Sarah J. Hitchcock;

H. R. 3787. An act for the relief of Robert D. Hutchinson;

H. R. 1488. An act for the relief of Rose Burke;

H. R. 2464. An act for the relief of C. H. Hoogendorn;

H. R. 2473. An act for the relief of William L. Jenkins;

H. R. 3098. An act for the relief of Bertha Ingmire;

H. R. 3275. An act for the relief of Fred L. Seufert;

H. R. 6084. An act to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5133. An act for the relief of Nellie Oliver;

H. R. 1565. An act for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin;

H. R. 7132. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.; and

H. R. 3370. An act for the relief of Carrie K. Currie, doing business as Atmore Milling & Elevator Co.

Ordered, That they pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1426) providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2361) to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was reconsidered; and an objection to its further consideration was then interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 158) authorizing the President to present a medal in the name of Congress to John F. Jensen; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing the President to present a medal in the name of Congress to Johannes F. Jensen."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3808) to authorize the incorporated town of Seward, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction of an electric generating station and electric distribution systems, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $118,000; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been amended on the motion of Mr. Bone, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "An act concerning the incorporated town of Seward, Territory of Alaska."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 377) providing for the sale of certain public lands to the Utah Gilsonite Co.; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to grant to the Utah Gilsonite Co. the right to use a water well on certain public lands in Utah."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 2045) to set aside certain lands for the Leech Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "An act to set aside certain lands for the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 56) authorizing the publication as a public document of America Secure: Analytical Register of Regular Army Officers and Security Statistics, with graphs, 1775–1935; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 42) to cede to the Commonwealth of Virginia jurisdiction over that portion of the Fort Monroe Military Reservation leased to the Old Point Comfort Hotel Corporation; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to.

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "Joint resolution to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 60) to investigate the facts concerning the court martial of former Capt. Oberlin M. Carter; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1277) authorizing persons, firms, corporations, associations, or societies to file bills of interpleader; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to amend section 24 of the Judicial Code by conferring on district courts additional jurisdiction of bills of interpleader."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

OSAGE INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. Gore entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 2482) relating to the tribal and individual affairs of the Osage Indians of Oklahoma.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 53 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the legislative day of May 1, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EXTRATERRITORIAL CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying papers, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith a letter and enclosure from the Secretary of State, suggesting the enactment of legislation authorizing the Secretary of State, in his discretion and in furtherance of the international relations of the United States, to determine, adjust, and settle personal injury and death claims against the United States arising in countries in which the United States exercises privileges of extraterritoriality.

I am heartily in accord with the proposal as outlined by the Secretary of State, and I recommend that the Congress enact legislation, in accordance with the recommendation of the Secretary of State, to make it effective.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *May 2, 1935.*

(Enclosure: From the Secretary of State, with enclosures.)

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida, urging an appropriation to reimburse citrus, vegetable growers, and others who were damaged by reason of the campaign of the Department of Agriculture for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruit fly; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Petitions of citizens of the United States, praying the enactment of old-age pensions; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the States of Missouri and Mississippi, praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A petition of the Tennessee State Club of the District of Columbia, of Washington, D. C., praying the enactment of antilynching legislation; and

A resolution adopted by Chas. Faust Post, No. 281, American Legion, of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the trustees and board of stewards of the German Methodist Episcopal Church, of Lawrence, Mass., favoring the repeal of the cotton processing tax and to remedy the North and South wage differential and to curtail foreign importations; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of the City Council of Fitchburg, Mass., praying the allocation of Public Works funds for the development of the Nashua River and its tributaries; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Malden, Mass., favoring higher tariffs on foreign-made articles in competition with home industries;

A resolution adopted by Attleboro (Mass.) Aerie, No. 1648, Fraternal Order of Eagles, favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution adopted by the Arizona State Chamber of Commerce, urging the continuation of the tax on foreign copper; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of members of the Middlesex County Council, Veterans of Foreign Wars, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates; and

A petition of the Committee on Moral and Social Welfare of the Massachusetts Congregational Conference and Missionary Society, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Federation of Citizens' Associations of the District of Columbia urging the Senate conferees on the District of Columbia appropriation bill to safeguard the items in the bill as passed by the Senate, and expressing gratification for the consideration shown by the subcommittee and its chairman; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by the Exchange Club, of Utica, N. Y., favoring the encouragement of private enterprise and remonstrating against all proposals which would be harmful to legitimate business; and

Resolutions adopted by Chenango Valley Aerie, No. 2119, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Binghamton, and Lockport Aerie, No. 825, of Lockport, in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Rochester, N. Y., by the Steuben Society of America favoring a referendum on the declaration of war, to regulate sales and shipments of goods to belligerents, and to take the profits out of war; and

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the United Taxpayers' League, of Buffalo, N. Y., favoring the matter of sewage disposal along the entire length of the Niagara River being made a Federal project; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by Puritan Council, No. 27, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Southampton, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for penalties to those who seek to overthrow the Government by force and violence; and

A resolution adopted by Bohemian Typographical Union 131, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation abrogating civil liberties in the United States and suppressing civil rights of workers, farmers, students, and professionals; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of members of the National Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, Department of New York, of Brooklyn, N. Y., praying the passage of the so-called "American Flag Act"; and

A resolution adopted by the North Shore of Long Island Chapter of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States, of Manhasset, Long Island, N. Y., favoring provision for a hangar and complete permanent facilities for administering and training Air Reserve officers at Mitchel Field; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolutions adopted by the Oneida County Council of Postal Workers, of Rome, N. Y., favoring the placing of postmasters of the first, second, and third classes under civil-service laws, to equalize the compensation of city delivery and village delivery carriers, and the adoption of a salary system of compensation of fourth-class postmasters in lieu of the present system based on cancelations; and

A petition of patrons of star-route mail service of Central Bridge, N. Y., praying the enactment of legislation fixing the compensation of route carriers; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by the Association of Commerce of Elmira, N. Y., favoring the passage of legislation to regulate interstate carriers for hire by highway; and

A petition of members of the Bearing Workers Association Union, No. 18482, of Syracuse, N. Y., praying the passage of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Clark, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 570) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 573) thereon.

Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2097) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 571) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1943) to prescribe the procedure and practice in condemnation proceedings brought by the United States of America, including acquisition of title and the taking of possession under declarations of taking, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 572) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4005) to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the time of making the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 574) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 92) making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 775) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2734) to confer jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of Henry W. Bibus, Annie Ulrick, Samuel Henry, Charles W. Hensor, Headley Woolston, John Henry, estate of Harry B. C. Margerum, and George H. Custer, of Falls Township and Borough of Tullytown, Bucks County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 2735) for the relief of Rocky Brook Mills Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2736) to provide that all 50-cent pieces coined in commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone shall be inscribed with "1934"; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 2737) authorizing the erection in the District of Columbia of a suitable terminal marker for the Jefferson Davis National Highway; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2738) to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2739) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Costigan:

A bill (S. 2740) for the relief of Julia C. Gray; and

A bill (S. 2741) for the relief of Maj. Joseph H. Hickey; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2742) relating to enforcement of regulations adopted by agencies of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2743) to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2744) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 114) directing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 115) designating the last Sunday in September as Gold Star Mother's Day, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

INVESTIGATION OF SUGAR-BEET INDUSTRY

Mr. Murray, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 124), which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency:

Whereas it is alleged that serious disputes arise annually between sugar-beet growers and processing companies; and

Whereas certain sugar-beet growers of Montana are at present in a deadlock with the Great Western Sugar Co. and refuse to sign a contract with such company because of alleged discrimination practiced by such company; and

Whereas it is alleged that such annual disputes cost the areas affected large sums of money and keep the industry in an unsettled and precarious state; and

Whereas the recent increases in the price of sugar to the consumer are alleged to be sufficient to justify a higher price being paid to the sugar-beet grower by the processing companies: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of three Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the sugar-beet industry in the United States. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $50,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

DECLINE IN COTTON PRICES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 125), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Resolved, That in addition to the authority conferred upon the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, under Senate Resolution No. 103, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to March 16, 1935, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, shall have authority to investigate, with a view to determining whether there has been any manipulation, direct or indirect, of the cotton markets, or any undue influence thereupon in connection with the issuance or publication of cotton reports or statements, (1) the causes of the decline of the price of cotton on the cotton exchanges prior to March 11, 1935, and (2) the activities of the Department of Agriculture, cotton exchanges, cotton merchants, cotton millers, bankers, and any other persons, firms, or corporations connected with the cotton business.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 1, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 408) to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes.

CITY OF BALTIMORE

Mr. King entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 672) for the relief of the city of Baltimore.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment to the text of the bill, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Truman in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Clark to amend the reported amendment by inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, certain other words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Frazier raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Harrison, at 4 o'clock and 32 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to enact legislation declaring Admission Day a holiday for all officers and employees of the United States whose headquarters are in California in celebration of the admission of California into the Union; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Petitions of citizens of the State of New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts requesting the President to utilize fully the powers vested in him under the National Industrial Recovery Act to apply embargoes or establish quotas as a means of protecting American manufacturers and workers against losses they now suffer from foreign competition; to the Committee on Finance.

A communication, with accompanying data, from the chairman of the special committee of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico to investigate public works constructed by the Puerto Rican Emergency Relief Administration, relative to charges against the administration of emergency relief in Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following telegram and memorial:

A telegram from the Veterans Club of America, of Orange, Tex., urging the passage of the so-called "Patman bonus bill"; and

A memorial of citizens of Bradford, Pa., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Vandenberg presented a resolution adopted by the Old Age Pension Division, Modern Fraternal Union, Inc., of Peoria, Ill., favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Wagner presented telegrams from manufacturing concerns in the State of New York urging an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Metcalf presented a resolution adopted by the Common Council of Pawtucket, R. I., protesting against the continued imposition of the cotton-processing tax and requesting action to relieve the hardship created because of it; and

A petition of citizens of the State of Rhode Island from the Chamber of Commerce of Providence, R. I., urging the repeal of the processing tax on cotton and the passage of legislation which will give adequate protection to the cotton-textile industry against importations of goods manufactured by cheap labor abroad; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Lonergan (for Mr. Maloney) presented a petition of citizens of the State of Connecticut praying the enactment of legislation to establish a central bank of the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Lonergan (for Mr. Maloney) presented a petition of telephone employees of Bridgeport, Conn., praying an amendment to proposed legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes so as to exempt those who contribute financial or other support to so-called "company unions."

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2642) to incorporate the American National Theater and Academy, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2027) to regulate commerce in petroleum, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 576) thereon.

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5529) to prevent profiteering in time of war and to equalize the burdens of war and thus provide for the national defense, and promote peace, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 577) thereon.

Ordered, That the bill be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 117. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Interstate Commerce to employ an additional clerk; and

S. Res. 121. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

INVESTIGATION OF CONDITIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES

Mr. McKellar submitted a report prepared by him as a member of the special committee appointed on June 16, 1934, to investigate conditions in the Philippine Islands, which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Gibson asked and obtained unanimous consent to have printed as a part of the foregoing document a report intended to be submitted hereafter by him as a member of the said committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2745) to authorize the Secretary of War to appoint to the United States Military Academy one cadet from among the honor graduates of each of certain educational institutions; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2746) for the relief of Warren G. Brickey; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2747) to authorize Canal Dredging Co. to bring suit in the Court of Claims against the United States for additional compensation under contract terminated as for the Government's best interests; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 2748) for the relief of Arthur Edgar Scroggin; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2749) granting a pension to Retta Tunnell; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Lonergan (for Mr. Maloney):

A bill (S. 2750) for the relief of Horace Franklin McMahon; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2751) for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Lesage; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2752) granting a pension to Jennie Tewksbury; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 116) authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REGENTS OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Mr. Robinson, by unanimous consent, introduced the following joint resolutions; which were read the first and second times and considered; and no amendment was made:

S. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederic A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; and

S. J. Res. 118. Joint resolution providing for the filling of a vacancy in the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution of the class other than Members of Congress.

Ordered, That the joint resolutions be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolutions were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM AT BELTSVILLE, MD.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 126):

Resolved, That the Committee on Appropriations, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate the cost of the construction, development, and expansion of the experimental farm of the Department of Agriculture at Beltsville, Md., and to investigate the circumstances connected with the demotion or dismissal of E. W. Sheets, formerly head of the Division of Animal Husbandry of the Bureau of Animal Industry in the Department of Agriculture, with a view to determining the connection, if any, between such demotion or dismissal and the construction, development, and expansion of said experimental farm. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the result of its investigations, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $1,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON PATENTS

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 127), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Patents, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

HEARINGS BEFORE CONTINGENT EXPENSE COMMITTEE

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 128), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, or any subcommittee thereof, hereby is authorized during the Seventy-fourth Congress to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during any session or recess of the Senate.

INVESTIGATION OF MUNITIONS INDUSTRY

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 129), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the special committee appointed by the Vice President under authority of Senate Resolution 206, agreed to April 12, 1934, to investigate the munitions industry, hereby is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate $45,000 in addition to the amount heretofore authorized to be expended for the purposes set forth in said resolution.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Maj. Joseph H. Hickey; Ingram-Day Lumber Co.; and Rocky Brook Mills Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

Old-age pensions for Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Fred R. Cuddy; national defense act of June 3, 1916; and Clayton M. Thomas; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Martha L. E. Bromberg; Fanny Cunningham; Anna Hindman; Charles Rufus Koon; Hattie Jane Koon; Retta Tunnell; and Charles F. Williams; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate, except

those numbered 8, 58, and 60, to the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it insists upon its amendment to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29 to the said bill; it requests a further conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Sandlin, Mr. Cannon of Missouri, Mr. Tarver, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Thurston, and Mr. Buckbee managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed 13 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 1488, H. R. 1565, H. R. 2464, H. R. 2473, H. R. 3098, H. R. 3275, H. R. 3370, H. R. 3787, H. R. 3911, H. R. 5133, H. R. 6084, H. R. 6223, and H. R. 7132, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 1488. An act for the relief of Rose Burke;

H. R. 1565. An act for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin;

H. R. 2464. An act for the relief of C. H. Hoogendorn;

H. R. 2473. An act for the relief of William L. Jenkins;

H. R. 3098. An act for the relief of Bertha Ingmire;

H. R. 3275. An act for the relief of Fred L. Seufert;

H. R. 3370. An act for the relief of Carrie K. Currie, doing business as Atmore Milling & Elevator Co.;

H. R. 3787. An act for the relief of Robert D. Hutchinson;

H. R. 3911. An act for the relief of Sarah J. Hitchcock;

H. R. 5133. An act for the relief of Nellie Oliver;

H. R. 6084. An act to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6223. An act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 7132. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION FOR WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Clark to the reported amendment,

On motion by Mr. Ashurst,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered thereon.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenburg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma sent to the desk and had read an amendment intended to be proposed to Mr. Clark's amendment by him, adding a new section, as follows:

Sec. 6. There is hereby appropriated, from any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $2,263,545,684 to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Mr. Harrison raised a question of order, viz, that the Senate could not initiate an appropriation, and that there was no authority of law for the amendment.

The President pro tempore held that there was no constitutional limitation upon the Senate to initiate an appropriation, and overruled the point of order.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma thereupon proposed the said amendment.

Pending debate,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma modified his amendment.

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified, proposed by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma to Mr. Clark's amendment, viz: Add a new section 6, as follows:

Sec. 6. There is hereby appropriated, out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $2,263,545,184, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this act.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 57 / Nays 23 }

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Hastings, Hatch, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Barkley, Brown, Burke, Byrd, Connally, Couzens, Fletcher, Gerry, Hale, Harrison, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Radcliffe, Robinson, Tydings, and Walsh.

So the amendment, as modified, proposed by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma to Mr. Clark's amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Clark's amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma.

On motion by Mr. Connally to amend the reported amendment, by inserting on page 15, after line 6, a new subsection (j) relating to interest charges on loans,

Pending debate,

Mr. Harrison raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McCarran in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Connally's amendment was agreed to.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its action on certain amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6718) making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, and asking a further conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Russell,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill in disagreement; that it disagree to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29; and that it agree to the further conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Russell, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Smith, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. Nye.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, MAY 6, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

DEATH OF SENATOR CUTTING, OF NEW MEXICO

Mr. Hatch announced the death of his colleague, Hon. Bronson Cutting, which occurred in an airplane accident near Atlanta, Mo., about 4 a. m. today; and after briefly addressing the Senate,

He submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 130), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death of Hon. Bronson Cutting, late a Senator from the State of New Mexico.

Resolved, That a committee of 10 Senators be appointed by the Vice President to take order for superintending the funeral of the deceased Senator.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

The Vice President, pursuant to the second resolution, appointed Mr. Hatch, Mr. Robinson, Mr. McNary, Mr. Borah, Mr. Norris, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. La Follette, Mr. Wagner, and Mr. Costigan as the members of the committee.

On motion by Mr. Hatch, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased Senator,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar days of Friday, May 3 and Monday, May 6, 1935, was approved.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD-WAR VETERANS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at the conclusion of morning business today the Senate proceed to the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 147. An act to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service;

S. 613. An act to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation;

S. 707. An act to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters; and

S. 2145. An act extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians.

The House has passed the bill (S. 1616) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bill and joint resolution of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1776. An act granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935; and

S. J. Res. 43. Joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 157. An act to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

H. R. 3012. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Hopkins County, Ky., to the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

H. R. 4239. An act authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Mich., certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Mich.;

H. R. 5456. An act relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals;

H. R. 5707. An act to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000;

H. R. 6085. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks, the construction and improvement of sewers, and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000;

H. R. 6114. An act to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended;

H. R. 6371. An act to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind;

H. R. 6654. An act to increase the White House police force, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6723. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building, and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works;

H. J. Res. 26. Joint resolution requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Erikson Day;

H. J. Res. 204. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand; and

H. J. Res. 272. Joint resolution to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine, June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive.

The House has passed the following resolution (H. Res. 213), which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. Bronson Cutting, a Senator of the United States from the State of New Mexico.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased Senator.

Resolved, That a committee of four Members be appointed on the part of the House to join the committee appointed on the part of the Senate to attend the funeral.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased the House do now adjourn.

And that, in accordance with the said resolution, the Speaker has appointed Mr. Blanton, Mr. Dempsey, Mr. Plumley, and Mr. Maas as the members of the committee on the part of the House.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 157, H. R. 5456, H. R. 6114, and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 26 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bills H. R. 3012 and H. R. 6654 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 4239 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bill H. R. 6371 be referred to the Committee on Education and Labor; that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 204 be referred to the Committee on the Library; that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 272 be referred to the Committee on Appropriations; and that the bills H. R. 5707, H. R. 6085, and H. R. 6723 be placed on the calendar.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR TREASURY AND POST OFFICE DEPARTMENTS

Mr. Glass submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4442) making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 10, 16, 20, 22, and 32.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 21, 26, and 27; and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 1: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 1, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter stricken out and inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Salaries: For Commissioner of Accounts and Deposits and other personal services in the District of Columbia, including the Division of Bookkeeping and Warrants, $285,920.

Division of disbursement

Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the District of Columbia and in the field, stationery, travel, rental of equipment, and all other necessary miscellaneous and contingent expenses, $710,700: Provided, That with the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget there may be transferred to this appropriation from funds available for new activities or for the expansion of existing activities such sums as may be necessary to cover the additional expense incurred in performing the function of disbursement therefor.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 9: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 9, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$261,668, of which $8,000 shall be immediately available for the suppression of an epidemic of typhus fever;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 17: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 17, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *five hundred and forty inspectors, $2,112,000;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 28: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 28, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$12,825,000;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 29: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$4,650,000;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 30: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 30, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$575,000;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 31: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 31, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter inserted by said amendment strike out the word "hereafter" and insert in lieu thereof the following: *during the remainder of the fiscal year 1935 and during the fiscal year 1936;* and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 2, 3, 4, 23, 24, 25, 33, and 34.

CARTER GLASS,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
PARK TRAMMELL,
FREDERICK STEIWER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

WILLIAM W. ARNOLD,
LOUIS LUDLOW,
JOHN J. BOYLAN,
WILLIAM J. GRANFIELD,
EMMET O'NEAL,
CLARENCE J. MCLEOD,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message heretofore received from the House of Representatives, announcing its action on certain amendments of the Senate to the said bill upon which the conferees did not agree.

On motion by Mr. Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate agree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 4, 33, and 34, and that it recede from its amendments numbered 23, 24, and 25.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ELECTRIC RATES IN MASSACHUSETTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on January 1, 1935; which, together with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On April 29, 1935:

S. 1209. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to relinquish the easement for a water main at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; and

S. 1610. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a certain strip of land from the State of South Carolina.

On May 3, 1935:

S. 408. An act to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violations of the provisions of this act; and for other purposes.

On May 6, 1935:

S. 2035. An act to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACT

Mr. Wagner presented a copy of the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of *Railroad Retirement Board et al., Petitioners,* v. *The Alton Railroad Co. et al.,* together with a copy of the dissenting opinion, involving the constitutionality of the Railroad Retirement Act of June 27, 1934; and

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that the said opinion be printed as a Senate document.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Illinois memorializing Congress to eliminate the long-and-short-haul clause from the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act or to modify it so as to effectively permit railroads to establish rates to the Pacific coast from the Middle West which will enable Middle West industries to meet competition of eastern manufacturers using water transportation through the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Cairo, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation authorizing the Government to take over the assets of all closed banks and immediately pay depositors in full; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A petition of the board of directors of the American Petroleum Institute praying the adoption of policies looking to the recovery of the petroleum industry; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

The Vice President laid before the Senate petitions of various citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman" bill providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Sheppard presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Texas, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution relative to a study of the cotton-growing and cotton-marketing situation and the production, control, and marketing of other crops in the State of Texas with a view to making recommendations to stabilize the production, control, and marketing of cotton and grain production and the forming of a cotton compact with all other cotton-producing States; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution endorsing Miss Margie E. Neal, of Carthage, Tex., for membership on the Social Security Board; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for Federal aid to the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation District; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

A concurrent resolution remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of the production of oil in the State of Texas and remonstrating against the encroachment of Federal power in the control of the production of oil and gas by the States; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Sheppard presented a resolution of the Senate of the State of Texas favoring the construction of a highway from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Bachman presented a petition of citizens of Hamilton County, Tenn., praying the enactment of certain labor legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Lonergan presented a resolution adopted by members of the Townsend Old-Age Pension Plan Club No. 1, of Manchester, Conn., favoring the passage of the so-called "Townsend old-age pension plan", which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McAdoo presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the incorporation in a national old-age pension plan of the objectives and principles of the so-called "Townsend plan"; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to submit to the States an amendment to the Constitution enabling Congress to grant Federal suffrage to residents of the District of Columbia; and

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation declaring Admission Day a holiday for all officers and employees of the United States whose headquarters are in California, in celebration of the admission of California into the Union; to the Commission on the Judiciary.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation for complete and adequate antiaircraft equipment and personnel as defensive measures for the Pacific coast; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Fletcher presented the following memorials of the Legislature of the State of Florida, which were referred as indicated:

A memorial favoring the passage of legislation providing for a tax on menhaden fish meal and fish scrap; to the Committee on Commerce.

A memorial memorializing Congress to enact legislation to authorize the Government to receive and accept as a gift

from the city of Palatka, Fla., the Palatka Raveine Azalea Gardens and to maintain them as a national park; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts, requesting the President to utilize fully the powers vested in him under the National Industrial Recovery Act to apply embargoes or establish quotas as a means of protecting American manufacturers and workers against losses they now suffer from foreign competition;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts, favoring the exercise of authority by the President under the National Recovery Act to the end that the cotton-textile industry may proceed under conditions of economic equality and that the readily apparent burdens now laid upon the industry in Massachusetts be removed and that the Massachusetts manufacturers and operatives be assured that no discrimination is practiced against them;

A resolution adopted by the Fifth District Retail Drug Code Authority, of Lowell, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation extending the National Industrial Recovery Act for 2 years;

A resolution adopted by Branch 96, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Chelsea, Mass., favoring the enactment of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation;

Petitions of three aeries of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in the State of Massachusetts praying passage of old-age pension legislation;

A petition of members of Bridge Tenders' Union, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation reducing the tax on cigarettes;

A resolution adopted at Norwood, Mass., by the National Leather Workers' Association, of Peabody, Mass., favoring a tariff on all importations of finished leather and leather goods equal to the cost of production in the United States plus 10 percent;

Resolutions adopted by the city of Worcester and the Chamber of Commerce of Peabody, in the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the cotton processing tax; and

A resolution adopted by Amalgamated Silver Workers' Union, Local No. 11, of Taunton, Mass., remonstrating against the effect of making the ultimate price of raw silver $1.29 an ounce; to the Committee on Finance.

Memorials of citizens of Boston and Framingham, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by Roosevelt Council, No. 45, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Lowell, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation strengthening immigration laws pertaining to the deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A memorial of Martha Thayer, of North Randolph, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A memorial of the Chamber of Commerce of Fall River, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation which would amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide a rate policy to be used by the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Revere, Mass., favoring the passage of the so-called "Patman" bill providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A resolution adopted by the Hampshire Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers, of Williamsburg, Mass., remonstrating against huge military appropriations and naval maneuvers on the Pacific coast.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1811. A bill providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin (Rept. No. 578); and

S. 2652. A bill to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes (Rept. No. 579).

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 125) enlarging the scope of the investigation into the decline in cotton prices on March 11, 1935, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Frazier, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 212) to liquidate and refinance agricultural indebtedness at a reduced rate of interest by establishing an efficient credit system, through the use of the Farm Credit Administration, the Federal Reserve Banking System, and creating a Board of Agriculture to supervise the same, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 580) thereon.

Mr. Pope, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 1476) to provide for unemployment relief through development of mineral resources; to assist the development of privately owned mineral claims; to provide for the development of emergency and deficiency minerals, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 581) thereon.

Mr. Carey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3721) for the relief of Angelo J. Gillotti, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 582) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 972. An act for the relief of John Costigan (Rept. No. 583); and

H. R. 2192. An act for the relief of Harry B. Walmsley (Rept. No. 584).

Mr. King, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2688) to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 585) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1454) to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish bronze markers for certain graves, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 586) thereon.

Mr. Minton, from the Committee on Military affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1846) for the relief of Daniel W. Seal, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 587) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom were referred the following bill and joint resolution, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4751. An act to amend section 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission (Rept. No. 589); and

S. J. Res. 112. Joint resolution extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933 (Rept. No. 588).

Mr. Glass, from the Committee on Appropriations, who were authorized and directed by Senate Resolution 115 to make inquiry of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration concerning the distribution of funds placed under its administration, submitted a report, which was ordered to be printed with accompanying illustrations (S. Doc. No. 56).

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Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 272) to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine, June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 2753) to amend section 6 of the act of Congress approved April 7, 1934, entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include cattle and other products as basic agricultural commodities, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 2754) to amend Public Law No. 383, Seventy-third Congress (48 Stat. L. 984), relating to Indians, by exempting from the provisions of such act any Indian tribe or reservation located in the State of Montana; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 2755) authorizing the Secretary of War to purchase certain land; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2756) to authorize the presentation of the Distinguished Flying Cross to certain officers of the Army Air Corps, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 2757) granting an increase of pension to Amelia Mathias; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2758) for the relief of Isaac M. Donnelly; and

A bill (S. 2759) for the relief of R. M. Rogan Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2760) for the relief of Arthur L. Benedict; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2761) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2762) to exempt from taxation, under certain conditions, on the basis of reciprocity official compensation of a consular officer, nondiplomatic representative, or employee of a foreign country; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2763) granting a pension to Tom B. Jimmerfield; and

A bill (S. 2764) granting a pension to Howard Underwood; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2765) for the relief of Merritt Rea; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2766) authorizing the President to appoint Henry Beckwith Taliaferro, formerly an ensign, United States Navy, to his former rank as ensign, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2767) granting an increase of pension to Carl Enevoldsen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2768) for the relief of John R. Turner; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2769) granting an increase of pension to Paul O. Brownlee; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2770) granting an increase of pension to Frederick H. Fritz;

A bill (S. 2771) granting a pension to Charles M. Grush; and

A bill (S. 2772) granting a pension to Mary W. Marshall; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2773) for the relief of Roy Masters Worley; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2774) for the relief of certain officers on the retired list of the Navy and Marine Corps who have been commended for their performance of duty in actual combat with the enemy during the World War; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 2775) to renew and extend certain letters patent; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2776) for the relief of the heirs of Edward P. Frank, deceased; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Pope:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 119) providing for membership of the United States in the League of Nations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Clark (for Mr. Nye and himself):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 120) to prohibit the export of arms and ammunition and to regulate trade in contraband of war under certain conditions; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 121) authorizing the President of the United States to use the funds of the Imperial German Government, or its successor or successors, to settle claims of American citizens against said Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

PRINTING BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

Mr. Dickinson submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 131):

Whereas there is a specific restriction in the law prohibiting printing of any material in any form without direct authorization of law; and

Whereas various departments of the Government and various emergency bureaus are publishing miscellaneous and promiscuous reports; and

Whereas some emergency bureaus are publishing pamphlets and newspapers, both in multigraph and printed form; and

Whereas the expense, both for personnel employed and the cost of printing, is a large item; and

Whereas various bureaus of the Government, at the expense of the taxpayer, are having prepared and presenting to the public motion pictures and displays; and

Whereas various bureaus of the Government are setting up information booths inviting the public to go into debt in remodeling their homes; and

Whereas, either directly or indirectly, radio information is given to the public setting forth the benefits of remodeling homes and suggesting that the Government will loan the money therefor: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Appropriations, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to make an investigation with a view to determining (1) the authority under which such information is being printed and disseminated; (2) the cost incident to such printing and dissemination, including personnel, motion-picture production, multigraphing, and distribution costs; and (3) all expenditures made since March 4, 1933, by any executive department, independent commission, board, bureau, office, agency, or other establishment of the Government incident to such printing and dissemination. The committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the result of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

REPORT OF BUSINESS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Mr. Steiwer submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 132):

Resolved, That the President is respectfully requested to transmit to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the complete report recently filed with him by the Business Advisory Council appointed by the Secretary of Commerce.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over under the rule.

GOVERNMENT EXPERIMENTAL FARM AT BELTSVILLE, MD.

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 126) to investigate certain matters relative to the experimental farm of the Department of Agriculture at Beltsville, Md.; and

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that it be passed over without prejudice.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION FOR WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Senate, pursuant to its order of today, resumed the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Clark's amendment, as amended, to the reported amendment,

Mr. Harrison raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Clark's amendment, as amended, viz, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted by the reported amendment, as amended, as follows:

"That in view of the generous benefits accorded by the Government to veterans of the World War, in the form of insurance, compensation, disability allowances, hospitalization, vocational rehabilitation, adjusted compensation (as liberalized by this act), preference of various kinds under legislation of general application, and other benefits and allowances, many of which have not been granted to veterans of prior wars, it is hereby expressly declared to be the policy of Congress that there should not be any general pension laws enacted for veterans of the World War or their dependents; and nothing in this act shall be construed as indicating a tendency toward a contrary policy, or as implying that favorable consideration will be given at any time to a change in the policy hereby declared.

"SEC. 2. Section 507 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"'SEC. 507. All amounts in the fund shall be available for payment by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs of adjusted-service certificates upon their maturity or the prior death of the veteran; for payment under this act to banks on account of loans to veterans; for the repayment of loans made by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs out of the United States Government life-insurance fund on security of adjusted-service certificates, in which case the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs shall pay interest to such fund to date of maturity of the loan at the rate such fund is authorized to receive under the provisions of subdivision (m) of section 502, as amended; and for payment by the Secretary of the Treasury to veterans of the amount of the cash payments authorized to be paid by this act upon the surrender of their adjusted-service certificates.'"

"SEC. 3. Title V of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end thereof two new sections, to read as follows:

"'SEC. 509. (a) At the option and upon the application of any veteran to whom there has been lawfully issued an adjusted-service certificate under the provisions of this act, as amended, and upon the complete surrender of such adjusted-service certificate, together with all rights and privileges thereunder (with or without the consent of the beneficiary thereof), the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs shall certify to the Secretary of the Treasury the amount of the adjusted-service credit of such veteran and interest at 4 per centum per annum compounded annually from November 11, 1918, to January 1, 1945, or to the 1st day of the January or July next succeeding the date of the filing of the application with the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, whichever is the earliest date, less any indebtedness of the veteran on account of any loan or loans made under the provisions of this act and interest, if any, accrued to the date settlement is made.

"'(b) No payment shall be made nor bonds issued under this section until the certificate is in the possession of the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs and all obligations for which the certificate was held as security have been paid or otherwise discharged.

"'(c) If at the time of application to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs for settlement under this section the principal and interest on or in respect of any loan upon the certificate have not been paid in full (whether or not the loan has matured), then the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs shall (1) pay or otherwise discharge such unpaid principal and so much of the unpaid interest (accrued or to accrue) as is necessary to make the certificate available for payment under this section, and (2) deduct from the amount of such settlement the amount of such principal with all interest to date of settlement under the provisions of this Act: *Provided,* That as to any loan on an adjusted-service certificate, properly made, which is unpaid and held by a bank at the time of filing an application under this section, the bank holding the note and certificate shall, upon notice from the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, present them to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs for payment to the bank in full satisfaction of its claim for the amount of unpaid principal and unpaid interest; except that if the bank, after such notice, fails to present the certificate and note to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs within fifteen days after the mailing of the notice, such interest shall be paid only up to the fifteenth day after the mailing of such notice.

"'(d) Settlements under the provisions of this section shall be made as of the 1st day of the January or July next succeeding the date of the filing of the application with the

Adminisrator of Veterans' Affairs, whichever is the earlier date.

"'(e) A veteran may receive the benefits of this section by application therefor filed with the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs during the lifetime of the veteran. Such application may be made and filed at any time (1) personally by the veteran or (2) in case physical or mental incapacity prevents the filing of a personal application, then by such representative of the veteran and in such manner as may be by regulations prescribed by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs. Application made by a person other than the veteran or a representative authorized by such regulations shall be held void.

"'(f) If the veteran dies after the application has been filed, the settlement authorized under the provisions of this section shall be made to the estate of the veteran.

"'(g) (1) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed, upon receipt from the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs of a statement in a form to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, to issue to the veteran negotiable bonds, with coupons attached, bearing interest at the rate of 3 per centum per annum payable semiannually, up to the highest multiple of $50 in the amount certified under subdivision (a). Such bonds shall be dated from the 1st day of the January or July (whichever is the earlier date) next succeeding the date of the filing of the application with the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, and shall be redeemable in lawful money of the United States at a date to be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury. The difference between the amount certified under subdivision (a) and the face amount of the bonds so issued shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury by check drawn on the Treasurer of the United States. For a period of six months from the date thereof, no bond issue under the authority of this Act shall be negotiable or assignable, or used as collateral security for a loan, by the person to whom the bond is issued, for any consideration less than the amount shown on the face of the bond as the redemption value; and any person or persons entering into any agreement either on behalf of themselves or others to procure by purchase, exchange, or otherwise any bond in violation of this provision shall be guilty of a fraud and shall be punished by a fine of not more than $10,000 or by imprisonment for not more than two years, or both.

"'(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (1) of this subdivision, at the option of the veteran, to be indicated in the application for the benefits of this section, the Secretary of the Treasury shall pay to the veteran, by check drawn on the Treasurer of the United States, in lieu of the settlement authorized in paragraph (1), the amount certified under subdivision (a).

"'(h) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to redeem from the United States Government life-insurance fund all adjusted-service certificates held by that fund on account of loans made thereon, and to pay to the United States Government life-insurance fund the amount of the outstanding liens against such certificates, including all interest due or accrued, together with such amounts as may be due under subdivision (m) of section 502, as amended. The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to make such payment by issuing to the United States Government life-insurance fund bonds of the United States which shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, and no such bonds shall mature or be callable until the expiration of a period of at least ten years from date of issue.

"'(i) Bonds issued for the purposes of this section shall be issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, subject to the limitations of this section.

"'(j) In making any settlement under this act the charge on account of interest on any loan shall not be at a rate in excess of 2 per centum per annum, compounded annually after September 30, 1931.

"'SEC. 510. If at the date of the maturity of any certificate or the prior death of the veteran such certificate has not been surrendered, and if at the time of application for payment under section 501 the amount of the adjusted-service credit and interest at 4 per centum per annum compounded annually from November 11, 1918, to the date of payment or to January 1, 1945, whichever is the earlier date, exceeds the maturity value of the certificate, then such amount (in lieu of the maturity value), less the amount of any indebtedness required to be deducted under this act, shall be paid immediately by check drawn on the Treasurer of the United States.'

"SEC. 4. Subdivisions (b) and (c) of section 302, section 311, subdivision (b) of section 312, section 602, and subdivision (b) of section 604 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 38, secs. 612, 621, 622, 662, and 664), are hereby amended, to take effect as of December 31, 1934, by striking out 'January 2, 1935', wherever it appears in such subdivisions and sections, and inserting in lieu thereof 'January 2, 1937.'

"SEC. 5. The President is authorized, in his discretion, to allocate funds appropriated by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, for the purpose of making any payments authorized under the provisions of this act.

"SEC. 6. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act."

Insert the following:

That notwithstanding the provisions of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 38, ch. 11; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 38, ch. 11), the adjusted-service certificates issued under the authority of such Act are hereby declared to be immediately payable. Payments on account of such certificates shall be made in the manner hereinafter provided in this Act upon application therefor to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe, and upon surrender of the certificates and all rights thereunder (with or without the consent of the beneficiaries thereof). The payment in each case shall be in an amount equal to the face value of the certificate, except that if, at the time of application for payment under this Act, the principal with respect to any loan upon any such certificate has not been paid in full by the veteran (whether or not the loan has matured), then, the Administrator shall (1) pay or discharge such unpaid principal in such amount as is necessary to make the certificate available for payment under this Act, (2) deduct the same from the amount of the face value of the certificate, and (3) make payment in an amount equal to the difference between the face value of the certificate and the amount so deducted.

Sec. 2. In the case of each and every loan heretofore made pursuant to law by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs and/or by any national bank, or any bank or trust company incorporated under the laws of any State, Territory, possession, or the District of Columbia, upon the security of an adjusted-service certificate, any interest that has been or, in consequence of existing law, would be charged against the face value of such certificate either shall be canceled or not so charged, as the case may be, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary. Any interest on any such loan payable to any such bank or trust company shall be paid by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Sec. 3. (a) An application for payment under this Act may be made and filed at any time before the maturity of the certificate (1) personally by the veteran, or (2) in case physical or mental incapacity prevents the making or filing of a personal application, then by such representative of the veteran and in such manner as may be by regulations prescribed. An application made by a person other than a representative authorized by such regulations shall be held void.

(b) If the veteran dies after the application is made and before it is filed, it may be filed by any person. If the veteran dies after the application is made, it shall be valid if the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs finds that it bears the bona fide signature of the applicant, discloses an intention to claim the benefit of this Act on behalf of the veteran, and is filed before the maturity of the certificate, whether or not the veteran is alive at the time it is filed. If the death occurs after the application is made or filed but before the receipt of the payment under this Act, payment shall be made to the beneficiary designated.

(c) Where the records of the Veterans' Administration show that an application, disclosing an intention to claim the benefits of this Act, has been filed before the maturity of the certificate, and the application cannot be found, such application shall be presumed, in the absence of affirmative evidence to the contrary, to have been valid when originally filed.

(d) If at the time this act takes effect a veteran entitled to receive an adjusted-service certificate has not made application therefor he shall be entitled, upon application made under section 302 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, to receive, at his option, either the certificate under section 501 of this act, as amended, or payment under this act.

Sec. 4. Subdivisions (b) and (c) of section 302, section 311, subdivision (b) of section 312, section 602, and subdivision (b) of section 604 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 38, secs. 612, 621, 622, 662, and 664), are hereby amended, to take effect as of December 31, 1934, by striking out "January 2, 1935", wherever it appears in such subdivisions and sections and inserting in lieu thereof "January 2, 1940."

Sec. 5. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 6. There is hereby appropriated, out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $2,263,545,184, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 7. In addition to all other purposes for which it is available, the adjusted-service certificate fund is hereby made available for any payment authorized by this act.

Sec. 8. This act may be cited as the "Emergency Adjusted Compensation Act, 1935."

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 54 / Nays---------- 30 }

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hastings, Hatch, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Connally, Coolidge, Couzens, Fletcher, Gerry, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Metcalf, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Vandenberg, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Clark's amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Pending debate,

Mr. Bachman raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. J. Res. 273. Joint resolution extending the gratitude of the Nation to Admiral Byrd and to the members of his expedition; and

H. J. Res. 274. Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint committee to meet with other representatives of the Government in greeting Rear Admiral Richard Byrd upon his return from his Second Antarctic Expedition.

The Speaker of the House having signed four enrolled bills, viz, S. 147, S. 613, S. 707, and S. 2145, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The Speaker of the House has appointed Mr. Merritt of New York, a member on the part of the House, to attend the funeral of the late Hon. Bronson Cutting, a Senator of the United States from the State of New Mexico, vice Mr. Blanton, resigned.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 147. An act to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service;

S. 613. An act to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation;

S. 707. An act to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters"; and

S. 2145. An act extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Senate resumed the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered thereon.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill,

McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain matter, being the text of the so-called "Clark amendment", as amended, heretofore agreed to and shown on pages 324 to 325, inclusive.

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 35 / Nays 52}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

So the reported amendment, as amended, was disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma to reconsider the vote whereby the reported amendment, as amended, was disagreed to,

On motion by Mr. Long to lay on the table the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 48 / Nays 40}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Lewis, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Russell, Shipstead, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and White.

So the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

No amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 55 / Nays 33}

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hatch, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Connally, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Radcliffe, Robinson, Townsend, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

The reported amendment to the preamble was disagreed to, and the preamble was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Clark gave notice of a motion intended to be made by him to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill.

REAR ADMIRAL RICHARD BYRD

The following joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment was made:

H. J. Res. 273. Joint resolution extending the gratitude of the Nation to Admiral Byrd and to the members of his expedition; and

H. J. Res. 274. Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint committee to meet with other representatives of the Government in greeting Rear Admiral Richard Byrd upon his return from his Second Antarctic Expedition.

Ordered, That they pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolutions were read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

On motion by Mr. Norris that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 7, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 147. An act to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service;

S. 613. An act to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation;

S. 707. An act to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the governments of the Latin-American Republics in military and naval matters"; and

S. 2145. An act extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

AMENDED ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE NAVY DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, for the consideration of the Congress, certain amendments of the estimates of appropriations for the Navy Department as contained in the Budget for the fiscal year 1936; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as follows:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts urging Congress and the President to exercise their powers to provide for a national system of unemployment insurance;

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts requesting the National Recovery Administration to grant speedy relief to the leather boot and shoe industry, expressing preference to vertical differential in wages over the existing geographical population and sex differentials, higher minimum wages based on the skill of shoe workers to the present minima sanctioned by the National Recovery Administration, and favoring uniform wages for all shoe factories;

A resolution adopted at a mass meeting of citizens of San Diego, Calif., remonstrating against the provisions of the so-called "social security bill" and favoring the enactment of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions; and

A petition of John Fleming, of Wyoming, Del., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the board of the Somerdale Community Baptist Church, of Somerdale, N. J., remonstrating against naval maneuvers in the waters of the Baltic Straits; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the States of Connecticut and California praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation making hops a basic agricultural commodity under the Agricultural Adjustment Act; and

A petition of H. L. Hall, of Parkersburg, W. Va., praying the passage of legislation providing for immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the relief of share-tenants and share-croppers in the cotton-growing areas; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

Resolutions adopted by Charlotte May Council, No. 97, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Jamestown, Bay Ridge Council, No. 16, of Brooklyn, and Queensborough Council, No. 86, of Jamaica, all in the State of New York, favoring the enactment of legislation to strengthen present immigration laws pertaining to the deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Classis of Poughkeepsie (N. Y.) of the Reformed Church in America, favoring the enactment of legislation to take the profits out of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the same organization expressing the hope that in connection wih such naval maneuvers as may seem necessary in the Pacific Ocean any demonstrations likely to cause offense to the rulers and people of Japan be avoided; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Port Henry (N. Y.) Chamber of Commerce urging the enactment of legislation to readjust import duties on pig iron and iron ores, so as to make possible the economic and profitable operation of the pig-iron plants and mines located in eastern and northeastern United States; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the local retail drug code authority of the Thirty-sixth Congressional District of New York, of Geneva, N. Y., favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Administration.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A resolution requesting the National Recovery Administration to grant speedy relief to the leather boot and shoe industry, expressing preference to vertical differential in wages over the existing geographical population and sex differentials, higher minimum wages based on the skill of shoe workers to the present minima sanctioned by the National Recovery Administration, and favoring uniform wages for all shoe factories; and

A resolution urging Congress and the President to exercise their powers to provide for a national system of unemployment insurance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Shipstead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2313) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to farm prices, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 590) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1874. A bill to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented to Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, Capt. John Bogan, Sr., and the members of the crew of the fishing boat *Paramount* (Rept. No. 591);

H. R. 65. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Virginia, at or near the north end of Hog Island, Northampton County (Rept. No. 592);

H. R. 2015. An act for a Coast Guard station at the eastern entrance to Cape Cod Canal, Mass. (Rept. No. 593);

H. R. 3975. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach (Rept. No. 594); and

H. R. 5444. An act to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 595).

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7205) to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 596) thereon.

Mr. Donahey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7131) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 597) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2777) for the relief of Mildred Moore; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2778) to provide for the enforcement of the penal laws of the State of Montana on the Indian reservations in said State; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 2779) to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2780) to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal Building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Wagner:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 122) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Tydings:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 123) to provide for a balanced Budget; to the Committee on Appropriations.

HEARINGS ON ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 14), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That in accordance with paragraph 3 of section 2 of the Printing Act approved March 1, 1907, the Committee on Finance of the Senate be, and is hereby, empowered to have printed 1,000 additional copies of the hearings held before the committee during the current session on the bill (S. 1130), the Economic Security Act.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Norris that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee River; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals, in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate:

S. 51. An act for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel;

S. 553. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War;

S. 559. An act to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 728. An act for the relief of Elton Firth;

S. 896. An act for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

S. 1037. An act authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

S. 1039. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the West Indian Oil Co.;

S. 1053. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.;

S. 1055. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

S. 1056. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.;

S. 1057. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.;

S. 1302. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

S. 1414. An act for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton;

S. 1502. An act for the relief of Charles L. Graves;

S. 2024. An act to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller; and

S. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased; and

H. R. 3105. An act for the relief of Samuel Kaufman.

The House has passed the bill (S. 563) for the relief of Jay Street Terminal, New York, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the bill (S. 282) for the relief of William Kemper, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 298. An act for the relief of Jack Page;

H. R. 420. An act for the relief of Bruno Tarzio;

H. R. 604. An act for the relief of Thomas Stokes;

H. R. 1315. An act for the relief of Thomas J. Gould;

H. R. 1368. An act for the relief of Virden Thompson;

H. R. 1703. An act for the relief of Cletus F. Hoban;

H. R. 1864. An act for the relief of Henry Dinucci;

H. R. 1963. An act for the relief of Edgar H. Taber;

H. R. 2122. An act for the relief of William Seader;

H. R. 2125. An act for the relief of George William Henning;

H. R. 2186. An act for the relief of John Kelley;

H. R. 2466. An act for the relief of John E. Click;

H. R. 2553. An act for the relief of Eva S. Brown;

H. R. 2566. An act for the relief of Percy C. Wright;

H. R. 2987. An act for the relief of E. W. Tarrence;

H. R. 3073. An act for the relief of William E. Smith;

H. R. 3337. An act for the relief of James Akeroyd & Co.;

H. R. 4029. An act for the relief of Thomas Enchoff;

H. R. 4031. An act for the relief of Stanley T. Gross;

H. R. 4034. An act for the relief of Charles Szymanski;

H. R. 4036. An act for the relief of Ralph C. Irwin;

H. R. 4105. An act for the relief of Julian C. Dorr;

H. R. 4146. An act for the relief of Mrs. Olin H. Reed;

H. R. 4210. An act for the relief of Anthony Nowakowski;

H. R. 4290. An act for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler;

H. R. 4610. An act for the relief of John J. Moran;

H. R. 4630. An act for the relief of William A. Ray;

H. R. 4699. An act for the relief of Estelle M. Gardiner;

H. R. 4718. An act for the relief of Yamato Sesoko;

H. R. 4798. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 4805. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Adelphia Bank & Trust Co. of Philadelphia;

H. R. 4808. An act for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.;

H. R. 4811. An act for the relief of George W. Miller;

H. R. 4812. An act for the relief of Mrs. Carlysle Von Thomas, Sr.;

H. R. 4814. An act for the relief of Lt. Col. Russell B. Putnam, United States Marine Corps;

H. R. 4815. An act for the relief of Jasper Daleo;

H. R. 4817. An act for the relief of Matthew E. Hanna;

H. R. 4831. An act for the relief of L. E. Geary;

H. R. 4833. An act for the relief of Ciriaco Hernandez and others;

H. R. 4838. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

H. R. 4844. An act to provide for the reimbursement of certain enlisted men and former enlisted men of the Navy for the value of personal effects lost, damaged, or destroyed by fire at the naval radio station, Eureka, Calif., on January 17, 1930;

H. R. 4845. An act to provide for the reimbursement of certain enlisted men and former enlisted men of the Navy for the value of personal effects lost, damaged, or destroyed by fire at the naval training station, Hampton Roads, Va., on February 21, 1927; and

H. R. 5564. An act for the relief of Capt. Russell Willson, United States Navy.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 20), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in accordance with paragraph 3 of section 2 of the Printing Act approved March 1, 1907, the Committee on Banking and Currency of the House of Representatives be, and is hereby, empowered to have printed for its use 1,000 copies of the hearings held during the current session before said committee relative to the bill (H. R. 5357) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 530, H. R. 3105, and H. R. 4442, and three enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 272, H. J. Res. 273, and H. J. Res. 274, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased;

H. R. 3105. An act for the relief of Samuel Kaufman;

H. R. 4442. An act making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 272. Joint resolution to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine, June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive;

H. J. Res. 273. Joint resolution extending the gratitude of the Nation to Admiral Byrd and to the members of his expedition; and

H. J. Res. 274. Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint committee to meet with other representatives of the Government in greeting Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd upon his return from his Second Antarctic Expedition.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 298, H. R. 604, H. R. 1368, H. R. 1963, and H. R. 2566 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bills H. R. 420, H. R. 1315, H. R. 1703, H. R. 1864, H. R. 2122, H. R. 2125, H. R. 2186, H. R. 2466, H. R. 2553, H. R. 2987, H. R. 3073, H. R. 3337, H. R. 4029, H. R. 4031, H. R. 4034, H. R. 4105, H. R. 4146, H. R. 4210, H. R. 4290, H. R. 4610, H. R. 4630, H. R. 4699, H. R. 4718, H. R. 4798, H. R. 4805, H. R. 4808, H. R. 4811, H. R. 4812, H. R. 4814, H. R. 4815, H. R. 4817, H. R. 4831, H. R. 4833, H. R. 4838, H. R. 4844, and H. R. 4845 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bill H. R. 4036 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; and that the bill H. R. 5564 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

WASHINGTON-LINCOLN MEMORIAL GETTYSBURG BOULEVARD

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Shipstead in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 43) for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HEARINGS ON BANKING ACT OF 1935

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 20) authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency of the House of Representatives to have printed for its use additional copies of the hearings on the Banking Act of 1935, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Hayden,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Norris that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Pending debate,

Mr. Austin, having obtained the floor, yielded to certain Senators, who engaged in a colloquy.

Pending which,

Mr. Norris raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Austin could not farm out the time without losing the floor himself.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Shipstead in the chair) sustained the point of order.

Pending debate,

Mr. Barbour raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

WILLIAM KEMPER

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 282) for the relief of William Kemper.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RECEPTION OF REAR ADMIRAL BYRD

The Vice President appointed Mr. Glass, Mr. Pittman, Mr. Walsh, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Metcalf as the members on the part of the Senate of the Special Joint Committee to greet Rear Admiral Byrd upon his arrival at the navy yard on May 10, as authorized by House Joint Resolution 274, approved today.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 12 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed 15 enrolled bills, viz, S. 51, S. 553, S. 559, S. 728, S. 896, S. 1037, S. 1039, S. 1053, S. 1055, S. 1056, S. 1057, S. 1302, S. 1414, S. 1502, and S. 2024, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 94, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 51. An act for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel;

S. 553. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War;

S. 559. An act to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 728. An act for the relief of Elton Firth;

S. 896. An act for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

S. 1037. An act authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

S. 1039. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the West India Oil Co.;

S. 1053. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.;

S. 1055. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

S. 1056. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.;

S. 1057. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.;

S. 1302. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

S. 1414. An act for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton;

S. 1502. An act for the relief of Charles L. Graves;

S. 2024. An act to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller; and

S. J. Res. 94 Joint resolution establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

ORDER FOR RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The foregoing order was subsequently rescinded.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of the State of New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Petitions of Pleas Gammage, of Tunica, Miss., and Miss Alice Phillips, of Kingsport, Tenn., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolution and petitions:

A resolution adopted by the Yankee Division Veterans Association of Bridgeport, Conn., expressing its sense of personal loss in the death of Senator Bronson Cutting and its utmost appreciation of his service to the veterans;

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Gibson presented a telegram from the secretary of the Vermont Chamber of Commerce, of Burlington, and a communication from the Central Labor Union of Barre and vicinity, in the State of Vermont, relative to the cotton textile industry and the effect of importations of Japanese products; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fletcher presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida urging the establishment of an Army Air Service base in De Soto County, Fla.; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Duffy presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the creation of a mining-works project in the southwestern mineral area of Wisconsin; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A joint resolution favoring the continuance of Federal aid in lime and marl production for farm application; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Binghamton, N. Y., by members of the Polish-American Citizens of the Triple Cities favoring the passage of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated as a legal holiday in commemoration of the death of Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and

A resolution adopted by the Department of Christian Social Service of the Diocese of Long Island, of Brooklyn, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation modifying existing laws concerning the dissemination of birth-control information; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the State Council of New York, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, remonstrating against the passage of legislation to weaken the existing alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Wheeler presented a telegram from L. E. Bordwell, of Mandan, N. Dak., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the Government ownership of railroads, which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Wheeler presented a telegram from the secretary of the Silver Bow Trades and Labor Council expressing profound grief at the untimely death of Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 598) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2278) authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States High Commissioner to the Government of the Commonwealth of the Philippine Islands, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 599) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2625) to extend the facilities of the Public Health Service to seamen on Government vessels not in the Military or Naval Establishment, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 600) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 601) thereon.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2512) to define lobbyists, to require registration of lobbyists, and provide regulation thereof, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 602) thereon.

Mr. Bankhead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 603) thereon.

Mr. Minton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 119) remanding the claim of W. K. Richardson, covered by Senate Joint Resolution 35 to the Court of Claims, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 604) thereon.

INVESTIGATION OF CONDITIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES

Mr. Gibson submitted a report prepared by him as a member of the special committee appointed on June 16, 1934, to investigate conditions in the Philippine Islands.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that the order heretofore made to print said report in connection with a similar report by Mr. McKellar be rescinded and that it be printed as part 2 of Senate Document No. 57.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2781) for the relief of Gladys Nicholson; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2782) for the relief of Walter Acker, Jr.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2783) for the relief of James E. Breslin; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2784) for the relief of Mildred Lane; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2785) granting a pension to John Crutchfield (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2786) granting a pension to Maud Carrico (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2787) to prohibit the making, passing, or negotiation of spurious checks or other financial paper purporting to be payable by institutions in other States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland, Mr. Vandenberg, and Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 2788) to aid the several States in the extradition of criminals;

A bill (S. 2789) to repeal section 420 (c) of the United States Criminal Code; and

A bill (S. 2790) to amend section 2 of the act of May 18, 1934 (ch. 304, 48 Stat. 783), to provide punishment for certain offenses committed against banks organized and operating under the laws of the United States or any member of the Federal Reserve System; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 2791) to amend the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act; and

A bill (S. 2792) to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2793) to provide compensation for disability or death, resulting from injury to employees in interstate commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2794) for the relief of First Lt. Pomeroy Harned; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2795) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey the lands and property formerly used for the United States Indian school at Colony, Okla., to the Union Graded School District No. 1, of Colony, Okla.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 2797) to authorize the issuance of a patent in fee to Erle R. Howe, Crow allottee no. 1555; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2798) for the relief of Jane Alice Everson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2799) to provide for licensing the taking of water from the Government-owned main at Cascade Locks, Oreg.; and

A bill (S. 2800) authorizing the Secretary of War to lend certain Army equipment to the Mid-Columbia Legion Convention Commission for use at an American Legion convention at The Dalles, Oreg.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bulow:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 124) relating to the sale, reorganization, or dismemberment of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Co.; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

THE COLONY OF CONNECTICUT

Mr. Lonergan, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 133), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

"*Resolved*, That 19,000 additional copies of Senate Document 53, current session, entitled 'The Colony of Connecticut and Its Beginning, Growth, and Characteristics to the Observance of Its Tercentenary Celebration in 1935', be printed for the use of the Senate document room."

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma entered a motion to reconsider the vote ordering the third reading of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

CITY OF BALTIMORE

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, withdrew his motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 672) for the relief of the city of Baltimore.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Norris that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama; and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Mr. Barbour raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Frazier in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

JAY STREET TERMINAL, NEW YORK

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Frazier in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 563) for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF BANKRUPTCY ACT

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1616) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Hatch,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Norris that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and Rev. Harry Lee Doll, of Washington, D. C., offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

A quorum being present.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for a tax on menhaden fish meal and fish scrap; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida, favoring the enactment of legislation to establish an Army air-service base in De Soto County, Fla.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted at Philadelphia, Pa., by the Methodist Ministers' Meeting in Philadelphia, remonstrating against interference in the internal affairs of Mexico by the United States Government, to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the depositors' committee of the closed First National Bank and Peoples National Bank, of Pitcairn, and the closed First National Bank, of Trafford, in the State of Pennsylvania, favoring the passage of legislation providing for relief of the depositors of such banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A petition of battery B, Three Hundred and Eighth Field Artillery, Seventy-eighth Lightning Division, veterans of the American Expeditionary Forces, of Bogota, N. J., and a telegram from Clarence E. Taunt, of San Pedro, Calif., praying the passage of pending legislation providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State, transmitting a copy of a note from the Ambassador of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics expressing his condolences on the death of Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of Local 143, Worcester Musicians' Association, of Worcester; Local Union No. 2332, United Textile Workers of America, of Northbridge; and Wire Workers' Union, No. 19859, of Worcester, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing for a graduated tax on cigarettes; and

Resolutions adopted by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen, of Everett, and Lawrence Post, No. 15, American Legion, of Lawrence, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring adjustment of tariff duties on foreign manufactures and the repeal or modification of the cotton processing tax; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of Commonwealth Lodge, No. 229, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, of Worcester, Mass., praying an extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act; and

A memorial of the board of directors of the Lawrence (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation which would change the existing rate-making basis of the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A memorial of the board of directors of the Boston (Mass) Chamber of Commerce remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation of the bituminous-coal industry; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A petition of the executive committee of the Department of Massachusetts, American Legion, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a special commemorative postage stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of District Lodge, No. 64, International Association of Machinists, of Fall River, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing for a 30-hour workweek in industry; and

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of the pending bill providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 9, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 51. An act for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel;

S. 553. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War;

S. 559. An act to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 728. An act for the relief of Elton Firth;

S. 896. An act for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

S. 1037. An act authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

S. 1039. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the West India Oil Co.;

S. 1053. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.;

S. 1055. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

S. 1056. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.;

S. 1057. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.;

S. 1302. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

S. 1414. An act for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton;

S. 1502. An act for the relief of Charles L. Graves;

S. 2024. An act to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller; and

S. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Carey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1561) to provide relief for disbursing officers of the Army in certain cases, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 605) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1138) for the relief of Art Metal Construction Co. with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income or profits taxes paid to the United States for the calendar year 1918 in excess of the amount of taxes lawfully due for such period, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 606) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2727) to authorize the acquisition of land for military purposes in Bexar County, Tex., for use as an addition to Kelly Field Military Reservation, and to settle certain claims in connection therewith, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 607) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 108) to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 608) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 133) authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Document No. 53, The Colony of Connecticut, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Hayden, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 14) to authorize the Committee on Finance to have printed additional copies of the hearings on the bill (S. 1130), the Economic Security Act, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said concurrent resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2801) to further protect interstate and foreign commerce against bribery and other corrupt trade practices; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Lewis (by request):

A bill (S. 2802) to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws, and to punish the crime of lynching; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Carey:

A bill (S. 2803) to authorize the sale of restricted lands between Indians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Borah and Mr. Carey:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 125) relative to the purchase of beef and beef products for the use of the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PURCHASES OF BEEF OR BEEF PRODUCTS FOR ARMY

Mr. Borah (for himself and Mr. Carey) submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 134), which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs:

Whereas it is reported that there are now pending before the War Department bids on contracts for the purchase of beef for the use of the United States Army in the Philippine Islands; and

Whereas it is reported that the contract will be let for the purchase of Argentine or Australian beef: Therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that the bid for supplying foreign beef be rejected; and that hereafter no foreign beef or beef products shall be purchased for the use of the United States Army.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM AT BELTSVILLE, MD.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 126) to investigate certain matters relative to the experimental farm of the Department of Agriculture at Beltsville, Md.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORT OF BUSINESS ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 132) calling on the President for a report of the Business Advisory Council appointed by the Secretary of Commerce.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Robinson by inserting on line 2, after the word "Senate" and the comma, the words *if not incompatible with the public interest* and a comma.

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 6143. An act to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free; and

H. R. 7617. An act to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House has appointed Mr. Robertson, Mr. Scrugham, Mr. Darden, Mr. Martin of Massachusetts, and Mr. Hancock of New York as the members on the part of the House of the joint committee to greet Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, pursuant to the provisions of House Joint Resolution 234.

The Speaker of the House, having signed 3 enrolled bills, viz, S. 282, S. 563, and S. 1616, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 43, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 282. An act for the relief of William Kemper;

S. 563. An act for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York;

S. 1616. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto; and

S. J. Res. 43. Joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 6143 be referred to the Committee on Finance, and that the bill H. R. 7617 be referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PLUMBING AND SANITARY SYSTEMS IN GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds be discharged from the further consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 254) providing for an investigation by the United States Public Health Service of the plumbing and sanitary systems in Federal Government buildings.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Russell submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on certain amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6718) "making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes", having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 16, 17, 34, 44, 47, 55, 56, 57, and 59.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 9, 10, 19, 21, 24, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 52, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 12: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 12, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$381,755*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 13: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 13, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$11,313,419*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 14: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 14, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$76,635, of which $40,000 shall be expended for scientific investigation concerning control and eradication of bind weed and other noxious weeds*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: , *of which sum not exceeding $15,000 shall be used for experimenting in Sea Island cotton, including its hybridization with other varieties.*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 18: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$4,998,497*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$154,435*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$9,958,462*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 23: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 23, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$11,600,973*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 25: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 25, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$76,741*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 26: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 26, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$71,279,434*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 29: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed by the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate insert *$347,229, including not exceeding $15,000 for investigation of the means of control of the Mormon cricket*; and the House agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 35: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 35, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 36: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 36, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert *or*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 37: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 37, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$7,801,421*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 38: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 38, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$600,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 39: That the House recede from its disagreements to the amendment of the Senate numbered 39, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$222,978*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 40: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 40, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$96,596*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 41: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 41, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,421,492*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$321,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 50: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 50, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$385,669*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 51: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 51, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$423,269*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 53: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 53, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,540,879*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 54: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 54, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$1,963,637*; and the Senate agree to the same.

RICHARD B. RUSSELL, JR.,
CARL HAYDEN,
E. D. SMITH,
HENRY W. KEYES,
GERALD P. NYE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN N. SANDLIN,
CLARENCE CANNON,
M. C. TARVER,
J. P. BUCHANAN,
LLOYD THURSTON,
JOHN T. BUCKBEE,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

On motion by Mr. Norris,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Pending debate,

INVESTIGATION OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT OF JAMES A. FARLEY

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That immediately following the conclusion of morning business on Monday, May 13, the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley be taken up for consideration and voted upon.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. McKellar, at 4 o'clock and 3 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and the Chaplain offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of Friday, May 10, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 254, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 254) providing for an investigation by the United States Public Health Service of the plumbing and sanitary systems in Federal Government buildings.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring action to further the cause of removing private profits from war and from the manufacture of munitions by way of preparedness for war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas memorializing Congress to enact legislation to abolish the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future;

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska favoring the erection of a veterans' neuropsychiatric hospital in the city of Lincoln, Nebr.;

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress and the President to adequately increase the protective tariff on butter;

A petition of citizens of the State of Michigan praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

Petitions of Elizabeth Warriner, of Chicago, Ill., and of Georgan Rainy, of Dahomy, Mich., praying the passage of old-age pensions; and

Memorials of citizens of the State of New York remonstrating against a special tax of one-half a cent per gallon on heating oil of all kinds; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to make a complete investigation of the sugar-beet industry; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Business Men's Association of International Falls, Minn., favoring an appropriation for the construction of a series of power and storage dams in the chain of lakes on the international boundary, to conserve the flow of water from the Rainy River watershed, and increasing the hydroelectric power in such lakes and streams; to the Committee on Commerce.

A memorial of citizens of the State of Illinois remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted at Green River, Wyo., by the Green River Union Pacific Employees Booster League favoring the enactment of legislation to repeal the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by members of the 4th Cycle, Inc., Group A, of Compton, Calif., favoring an investigation of attempts alleged to have been made to weaken the Government of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for the refinancing of agricultural indebtedness; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Smith presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina favoring the enactment of legislation to establish a national monument and cemetery in Greenwood County, S. C., to be known as the "Star Fort National Monument and Cemetery"; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Mr. Norris presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the house of representatives memorializing Congress to make a complete investigation of the sugar-beet industry; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A concurrent resolution of the legislature favoring the erection of a veterans' neuropsychiatric hospital in the city of Lincoln, Nebr.; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. La Follette presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress and the President to adequately increase the protective tariff on butter; to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution favoring the creation of a mining works project in the southwestern mineral area of Wisconsin; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring a continuation of Federal aid in lime and marl production for farm application.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Duffy presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress and the President to adequately increase the protective tariff on butter; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sheppard presented the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Texas, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the house of representatives favoring the prompt passage of legislation providing for the control of public utility holding companies; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A concurrent resolution favoring the establishment of Civilian Conservation Corps camps along Sulphur River in the State of Texas for the purpose of straightening the channel and clearing it of growths; to the Committee on Commerce.

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation to abolish the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution favoring a detailed study of the impounding and conservation of water in northern, western, and southern districts of Texas, the development of irrigation projects, promoting and developing methods of dry farming, and the type of farm products and livestock which can be profitably produced and adapted for such regions; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey favoring the enactment of legislation to authorize the Secretary of War to bestow upon Nicholas Casale a gold medal of honor; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey favoring expedition in the construction of projects prepared by the State housing authority for the elimination of slum areas.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Lowell Aerie, No. 223, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Lowell, Mass., favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A petition of Local Union No. 2178, United Textile Workers of America, of Millbury, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for a graduated tax on cigarettes; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of Victory Lodge, No. 2097, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, of Fall River; Pioneer Lodge, No. 1235, of Springfield; and the Italian Mutual Aid Society, Inc., of West Springfield, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation extending the effective date of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act of 1933; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 10, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 282. An act for the relief of William Kemper;

S. 563. An act for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York;

S. 1616. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto; and

S. J. Res. 43. Joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Burke, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 157) to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Burke, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6114) to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 609) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 738) to aid in providing the people of the United States with adequate facilities for park, parkway, and recreational area purposes, and to provide for the transfer of certain lands chiefly valuable for such purposes to States and political subdivisions thereof, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 610) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1148) to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 611) thereon.

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Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2638. A bill to amend the law governing the leasing of unallotted Indian lands for mining purposes (Rept. No. 614);

S. 2462. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Worley, Idaho, in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children in the town of Worley and county of Kootenai, Idaho (Rept. No. 612); and

S. 2656. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to grant concessions on reservoir sites and other lands in connection with Indian irrigation projects and to lease the lands in such reserves for agricultural, grazing, or other purposes (Rept. No. 615).

Mr. Connally, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6654) to increase the White House police force, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 613) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2247) directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 616) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1066) to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 617) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2748) for the relief of Arthur Edgar Scroggin, and that it be referred to the Committee on Claims.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent, reports were submitted, as follows:

Mr. McCarran, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of Joseph J. McGuigan to be district attorney, Canal Zone, reported it favorably.

Mr. Dieterich, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of Robert W. Rabb to be United States marshal, middle district of Pennsylvania, reported it favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Shelton M. Thomas, Jr., to be postmaster at Ellisville, Miss., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the nomination of Fred Wheeler to be postmaster at Hudson, N. Y., reported it adversely.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the International Sanitary Convention for Aerial Navigation (Executive G, 74th Cong., 1st sess.), signed on behalf of the United States on April 6, 1934, reported it with reservations and submitted a report (Ex. Rept. No. 6) thereon.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

The President pro tempore, under the order of the Senate, referred to the appropriate committees certain messages this day received from the President of the United States.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2804) to authorize the payment of retired pay to William Mitchell; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2805) granting a pension to Sidney A. Scott (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 2806) for the relief of William A. Devine; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2807) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Delaware Tribe of Indians in the State of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2808) for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2809) to designate the first week in May of each year as National Education Week for the Blind; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 2810) for the relief of the State of Pennsylvania; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2811) to authorize and adopt certain Public Works projects for controlling floods, improving navigation, regulating the flow of certain streams of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2812) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay L. E. Durham and Margaret E. Durham for rent of premises occupied by Director of Farm Labor; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Capper:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 126) authorizing the President of the United States to use the funds of the Imperial German Government, or its successor or successors, and of all German nationals, to settle claims of American citizens against said Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 127) to provide funds for the protection of land resources against soil erosion; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Clark:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 128) for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Missouri Avenue"; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Arthur L. Benedict; and Mildred Lane; to the Committee on Claims.

Indian tribes in Oregon; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Certain Letters Patent; to the Committee on Patents.

Paul O. Brownlee; Carl Enevoldsen; and Tom B. Jimmerfield; to the Committee on Pensions.

HEARINGS BEFORE COMMITTEE ON EXPENDITURES IN THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS

Mr. Lewis submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 135) which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, or any subcommittee thereof, is authorized, during the Seventy-fourth Congress, to send for persons, books, and papers, to administer oaths, and to employ a stenographer, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per hundred words, to report such hearings as may be had on any subject before said committee, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate; and that the committee, or any subcommittee thereof, may sit during the sessions or recesses of the Senate.

SETTLEMENTS WITH EASTERN AND WESTERN CHEROKEE INDIANS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 136), which was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs:

Resolved, That in the settlement heretofore provided for and authorized with the Eastern and Western Cherokees, respectively, by the act approved April 25, 1932 (Public, No. 105, 72d Cong.), authorizing gratuities to be charged against them, it was the purpose of the act to charge only gratuities in money or property paid to those whose names are upon the rolls of such Indians.

PRINTING BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 131) to investigate the authority for and cost of printing various Government publications; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Printing.

INVESTIGATION OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT OF JAMES A. FARLEY

The Senate, pursuant to its order of Friday last, proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley.

On the question of agreeing to the resolution,

Pending debate,

Mr. McKellar raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Pending debate,

A colloquy occurred between Mr. Bailey and Mr. Long, in which references were made to each other in the second person.

Mr. Clark raised a question of order, viz, that the rules of the Senate provided against addressing each other directly in the second person.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Barkley in the chair) sustained the point of order.

Pending further debate,

On motion by Mr. Long to amend the resolution by adding a paragraph to the preamble and by inserting on page 3, line 13, after the word "investigation", the following: *to enable the Congress to secure such information as may be necessary for the consideration and enactment of legislation,*

Mr. McKellar raised a question of order, viz, that the resolution having previously been considered by the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, the amendment should be referred to the committee and be passed upon by it.

The Presiding Officer overruled the point of order, stating: "The Chair holds that when an amendment to a pending resolution is offered the amendment is not referred to the committee, but it is voted upon as an amendment to the resolution. * * * The preamble of the resolution is not acted upon until the body of the resolution is adopted, and the question then is whether the Senate desires to change, amend, or eliminate a preamble."

Pending further debate,

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate take a recess until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow, that at 12 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. it proceed to vote on the pending resolution, and that the intervening time be equally divided between the two sides, Mr. Long to control one half of the time, and Mr. McKellar the other half.

Thereupon at 6 o'clock and 20 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, pursuant to the foregoing order, took a recess until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

INVESTIGATION OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT OF JAMES A. FARLEY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution (S. Res. 74) to investigate the public and official conduct of James A. Farley.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Long, inserting, on page 3, line 13, after the word "investigation", the words *to enable the Congress to secure such information as may be necessary for the consideration and enactment of legislation.*

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to the resolution.

Pending further debate,

The hour of 12 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. having arrived, and further debate being precluded under the order of yesterday,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Long's amendments was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the text of the resolution, as amended, as follows:

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States does hereby order an investigation into the public and official conduct of the said James A. Farley and all matters conducted by him affecting the business of the United States and the expenditure of funds of the United States, and that the said committee be composed of three members of the United States Senate, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party, to be selected by the Vice President of the United States and to be approved by the said Senate; and that said committee shall have all authority necessary and proper to procure evidence, summon witnesses, to hear testimony, and compel the production of books, records, accounts, statistics, employ experts, and do any and all such other things as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of said investigation to enable the Congress to secure such information as may be necessary for the consideration and enactment of legislation; and be it further

Resolved, That any reports of investigations and data secured by the Department of the Interior particularly through Louis Glavis and those associated with him, on the affairs in which said James A. Farley has participated for the Government of the United States, be forthwith furnished to the United States Senate to be, after proper perusal by Members of the said United States Senate, referred to the said committee to be provided for herein.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 20 / Nays---------- 62

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Barbour, Capper, Carey, Couzens, Dickinson, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, La Follette, McNary, Metcalf, Norris, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So the resolution, as amended, was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Robinson to reconsider the vote disagreeing to the foregoing resolution, as amended,

On motion by Mr. McKellar to lay Mr. Robinson's motion to reconsider on the table,

It was determined in the affirmative.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3808) to authorize the incorporated town of Seward, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction of an electric generating station and electric distribution systems, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $118,000.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 3808 and H. R. 6718, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and a joint resolution, as follows:

On May 2, 1935:

H. R. 6457. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y., and of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city of Providence, R. I., respectively.

On May 3, 1935:

H. R. 5914. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the California-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936.

On May 6, 1935:

H. R. 3911. An act for the relief of Sarah J. Hitchcock.

On May 7, 1935:

H. R. 3098. An act for the relief of Bertha Ingmire.

On May 8, 1935:

H. R. 1488. An act for the relief of Rose Burke;

H. R. 2473. An act for the relief of William L. Jenkins;

H. R. 3275. An act for the relief of Fred L. Seufert;

H. R. 3370. An act for the relief of Carrie K. Currie, doing business as Atmore Milling & Elevator Co.; and

H. R. 7132. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.

On May 9, 1935:

H. R. 6223. An act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On May 10, 1935:

H. J. Res. 272. Joint resolution to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine, June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive;

H. R. 530. An act granting compensation to the estate of Thomas Peraglia, deceased;

H. R. 2464. An act for the relief of C. H. Hoogendorn;

H. R. 3787. An act for the relief of Robert D. Hutchinson; and

H. R. 5133. An act for the relief of Nellie Oliver.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 3808. An act concerning the incorporated town of Seward, Territory of Alaska; and

H. R. 6718. An act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

FARM CREDIT ACT OF 1935

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the said bill, and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Barkley, Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Carey, and Mr. Couzens.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF RAW COTTON

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, tables showing the exports of raw cotton by leading producing countries and imports of raw cotton by leading consuming countries from 1904 to 1934; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate several petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill", providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Coolidge presented a resolution adopted at Washington, D. C., by the National Society Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America favoring the enactment of legislation providing for an increased military force and its component civilian units; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by Syracuse Aerie, No. 053, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Syracuse, N. Y., favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the enactment of legislation to further the cause of removing private profits from war and from the manufacture of munitions by way of preparedness for war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A communication from the chairman of the legislative committee of the Department of Massachusetts Woman's Relief Corps, Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, of Boston, Mass., transmitting a resolution adopted by the fifty-sixth annual convention of the organization, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation authorizing the erection of an equestrian statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee in Arlington National Cemetery; to the Committee on the Library.

A petition of Allston Post, No. 669, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Allston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation prohibiting the importation into the United States of American flags and emblems manufactured in foreign countries;

A resolution adopted by Brockton Aerie, No. 617, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Brockton, Mass., favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; and

Petitions of the Worcester Central Labor Union and Local Union No. 57, International Association of Bridge, Structural, and Ornamental Iron Workers, of Worcester, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for a graduated tax on cigarettes; to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of citizens of Pittsfield, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

Petitions of Merrick Lodge, No. 563, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, of Springfield, and White City Lodge, No. 243, and Granite Lodge, No. 1515, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, of Worcester and West Springfield, respectively, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of legislation providing for the extension of the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the Regional Code Authority, New England Region, common brick branch, Structural Clay Products Industry, of Worcester, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation to extend the National Industrial Recovery Act; and

A memorial of the Boston Flower Exchange, Inc., of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for a 30 hour workweek in industry.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Branch 213, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, of Mamoroneck, N. Y., favoring the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by New Syracuse Aerie, No. 053, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Syracuse, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the New York Chapter, No. 3, of the American Veterans' Association, Inc., of New York City, favoring an investigation of American Legion or other patriotic organization of veterans' activities in violation of their charter; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of Canton and Potsdam, in the State of New York, praying the enactment of legislation to take the profits out of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A petition of citizens of the State of New York, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Resolutions adopted by the German American Conference of Greater New York and John T. Hoffmann Unit, No. 25, of the Steuben Society of America, of Yonkers, in the State of New York, favoring an amendment to the Constitution providing for a referendum on the declaration of war; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by the New York Board of Trade, Inc., of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation adversely affecting railroads; and

A resolution adopted by the Lehigh & Hudson River Railway Veterans' Association, of Warwick, N. Y., favoring the placing of busses, trucks, waterways, pipe lines, and airplanes under regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Resolutions adopted by Acirema Council, No. 15, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Syracuse, and Manor Council, No. 112, of Woodhaven, in the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation tending to weaken the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted at Nyack, N. Y., by the Rockland County Peace Association, urging the cancelation of the military mobilization announced for northern New York, that naval maneuvers in the north Pacific be not used as an instrument of diplomatic pressure, that the Hull doctrine of nonintervention in Latin America be extended, that legislation be passed to prevent profiteering in war, and remonstrating against a huge naval building program; and

A resolution adopted at Saranac Lake, N. Y., by the Presbytery of Champlain of the Presbyterian Church favoring placing Japanese immigration on a quota basis, urging the cancelation of maneuvers of the naval fleet in the Pacific Ocean or that they be kept in waters adjacent to our own coast line, reduction of naval, land, and air armaments, and remonstrating against recognition by this Government of Manchukuo; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the National Public Housing Conference, of New York City, favoring the passage of legislation providing for low-rental housing; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Vegetable Growers' Association of America, urging restoration of curtailments in studies in vegetable crop production and in economics and other related subjects and relief of agricultural extension service workers from matters of regulation at the expense of service; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted at Oneonta, N. Y., by representatives of the Otsego County (N. Y.) Clearing House Association favoring the enactment of legislation covering an assessment of one-sixteenth of 1 percent on bank deposits to cover Federal deposit insurance, and remonstrating against proposed changes in the Federal Reserve System; and

A resolution adopted by the Dairymen's League Cooperative Association, Inc., of Auburn, N. Y., urging the enactment of legislation to provide for a managed currency and the restoration of the price level; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A communication from the attorney for the Johnson-Pickett Rope Co., of Baltimore, Md., relative to the views of cordage manufacturers of the Philippine Islands as to the proper allowance of cordage for entry into the United States duty free, and the allocation of allowance among the manufacturers; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Columbia County, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation placing all agricultural commodities under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration;

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Sheffield Producers Cooperative Association, Inc., in the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Vermont, remonstrating against the passage of said legislation;

Resolutions adopted by Fairfield Grange, No. 569, of Herkimer County, Subdistrict No. 12–B of the Dairymen's League Co-operative Association, Inc., of Auburn, and Kayahoora Local, Dairymen's League Co-operative Association, Inc., of Herkimer County, all in the State of New York, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation placing the regulation of motor-vehicle transportation on the highways under the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

A resolution adopted by the Industry and Business Committee for National Recovery Administration Extension, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation extending the N. R. A. for 2 years.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

SHIP-SUBSIDY POLICIES OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Mr. Copeland presented a summary of shipping and shipbuilding subsidy policies of France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, and Japan, prepared by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 165) for the relief of Robert McFarland, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 618) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 245) for the relief of Charles Wilson, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 619) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2536) providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2533) for the relief of the rightful heirs of Tiwastewin or Anna, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 620) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 621) thereon.

SURVEY OF CONDITIONS AMONG INDIANS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, who were directed by Senate Resolution 79, Seventieth Congress, and certain other resolutions, to make a survey of conditions among Indians of the United States, submitted a further report (No. 622), relative to the removal in 1924 of O. K. Chandler as superintendent and special disbursing agent, Quapaw Agency, Miami, Okla., for alleged illegal trading with Indians.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND A JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2813) granting an increase of pension to Michael Burger (with accompanying papers);

A bill (S. 2814) granting an increase of pension to Alfred McClellan (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2815) granting an increase of pension to John M. Williams (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2816) for the relief of Meyer Morris; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2817) for the relief of Walter F. Boyle; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 2818) for the relief of Blanche L. Gray; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2819) granting an increase of pension to Lillian P. Dowdney; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2820) to amend the Public Works Appropriation Act of 1935 making available not to exceed $1,000,000 for the alteration of carriages of 3,200 75-mm guns now in storage; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2821) for the relief of Rhoda Settles; and

A bill (S. 2822) for the relief of Cal Settles; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gore:

A bill (S. 2823) for the relief of Lillie, or Johanna Small Rib; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Moore and Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2824) for the relief of Newark Concrete Pipe Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2825) to provide for the establishment of a National Planning Board and the organization and functions thereof; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. White:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 129) for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Maine Avenue"; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

STABILIZATION OF WORLD CURRENCIES

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 15), which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency:

Whereas the paramount question in the United States, as in all nations, is the coinage, issuance, regulation of the value, and control of money and credit; and

Whereas under section 8 of article I of the Constitution the Congress has original and exclusive jurisdiction over the coinage of money and the regulation of the value thereof; and

Whereas the Congress has heretofore delegated permissive powers to the President, under certain conditions and limitations, to issue money and to regulate the value of such money; and

Whereas the money of the United States should be coined, issued, and regulated in value to serve the best interests of our people and with relation to the other currencies of the world; and

Whereas world currencies should and must be stabilized; and

Whereas the nations of the world are looking to the United States to initiate steps for concerted action leading to the stabilization of world currencies; and

Whereas the United States can and should take the lead in this necessary movement; and

Whereas the adjustment and regulation of the value of the several units of currencies of the several nations are the domestic problems of such several nations; and

Whereas in order to stabilize currencies which circulate in international exchange it will be necessary to adopt some form of monetary metal, either gold or silver, or both, at some fixed ratio, in order to definitely and positively support and back such currencies: Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to suggest to the responsible authorities of the nations of the world the advisability of preparing for early concerted action looking toward the stabilization of the currencies of such several nations; be it

Resolved further, That since some one-half of the people of the world use silver as money; since the other half of the people formerly used gold as money and as the basis for the issuance of currency; since most of the nations of the world today are on a commodity or managed currency basis; and since the United States has adopted a policy of using both gold and silver as money and the basis for the issuance of currency, the President is hereby authorized and requested to suggest to the several nations of the world the advisability of considering the use of both gold and silver at an agreed and fixed ratio as a form of specie to be secured and held as the basis of the currencies of the several respective nations; be it further

Resolved, That the President, acting as the agent of the Congress, be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to take immediate steps looking toward the adjustment and regulation of the value of the dollar so as to have such dollar serve the best interests of our people and consequently promote our domestic economy; and that in the regulation and adjustment of the value of such dollar the President is authorized and requested to take into full account and give proper consideration to the following:

(a) The amount of the annual total tax bill of our several units of government.

(b) The amount of the annual total public and private interest items.

(c) The amount of the consolidated or massed debts, public and private, owed by the several units of government, corporations, and the people jointly and severally; be it further

Resolved, That when the United States, acting through the Congress and its agent or agents, has satisfactorily adjusted and regulated the value of the dollar, the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to arrange for and call a world conference on monetary policies and the stabilization of world monetary units.

FUNERAL EXPENSES OF THE LATE SENATOR CUTTING

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 137); which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the contingent fund of the Senate the actual and necessary expenses incurred by the committee appointed by the Vice President in arranging for and attending the funeral of Hon. Bronson Cutting, late a Senator from the State of New Mexico, upon vouchers to be approved by the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (S. 2357) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

Pending debate,

The bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Couzens, the motion of Mr. Norris, and the motion of Mr. Logan.

No further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 56 / Nays---------- 19 }

On motion by Mr. Austin,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Byrd, Carey, Coolidge, Dickinson, Dieterich, Gerry, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Lonergan, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Townsend, Tydings, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

The title was ordered to stand as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXTENSION OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

After debate,

No amendment being made,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

On motion by Mr. Wagner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CREDENTIALS OF SENATOR DESIGNATE FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. Hatch presented the credentials of Dennis Chavez, appointed a Senator by the Governor of the State of New Mexico on May 11, 1935, to represent said State in the Senate of the United States until the vacancy therein, caused by the death of Hon. Bronson M. Cutting, is filled by election, as provided by law; which were read and ordered to be placed on file.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a memorial of citizens of the State of West Virginia, challenging the validity of the election of Rush D. Holt as a Senator from that State for the term beginning January 3, 1935, and remonstrating against his being seated; which was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

AMENDMENT OF HARRISON NARCOTIC LAW

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation amending sections 1 and 6 of the so-called "Harrison Narcotic Law"; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT OF ACTING ASSISTANT TREASURER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation amending section 304 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to the temporary appointment of an Acting Assistant Treasurer, which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Legislative Establishment, fiscal year 1936, amounting to $12,750, for mileage of Senators; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Illinois favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii favoring the enactment of legislation to amend the Hawaiian organic act to provide for an additional delegate to Congress from Hawaii; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A petition of M. B. Eller, of North Wilksboro, N. C., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

Memorials of citizens of the State of New York remonstrating against a tax of one-half a cent per gallon on heating oil of all kinds; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the State of New Jersey praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A resolution adopted at a mass meeting in New Orleans, La., under the auspices of various labor organizations favoring the passage of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes, providing for a 30-hour workweek in industry, and the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a copy of a telegram from the Department of New Jersey, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, urging the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Gerry presented a resolution adopted by the City Council of Providence, R. I., urging the repeal of the cotton-processing tax and the enactment of legislation which will give adequate protection to the cotton-textile industry against importations of goods manufactured by cheap labor abroad; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Wheeler presented a telegram from the department commander, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Billings, Mont., favoring the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Hyde Park Aerie, No. 1445, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Hyde Park, Mass., favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by members of Regional District No. 2, Loyal Order of Moose, of Lowell, Mass., remonstrating against the processing tax on cotton and favoring the enactment of legislation to restrict importations of Japanese and other foreign-made goods; and

A memorial of citizens of Lawrence, Mass., and vicinity, remonstrating against a 48-hour week in manufacturing and mercantile establishments and the entry of foreign-made goods in competition with American manufacturers; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of the Home City Lodge, No. 793, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, and Railroad Lodge, No. 487, International Association of Machinists, both of Springfield, and Lodge No. 1286, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express, and Station Employees, of Somerville, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation to extend the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

Memorials of the Andover Service Club, of Andover, and citizens of Waltham, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the passage of the said bill.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Hatch presented a telegram from the commander Department of New Mexico, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, urging the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 71) authorizing an investigation of interstate railroads and affiliates with respect to financing, reorganizations, mergers, and certain other matters, reported it with additional amendments.

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4239) authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Mich., certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Mich., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 623) thereon.

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interoceanic Canals, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2288) to provide for the measurement of vessels using the Panama Canal, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 624) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Pensions be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 624) for the relief of Edward M. Brown and that it be referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND A JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2826) to authorize the payment of $2,388.61 that was due the Central Railway Co. of Arkansas under section 602 (a) of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act of 1933; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2827) for the relief of Margaret Scott Bayley; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2828) to encourage industrial protection plans in private industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2829) granting a pension to Patrick T. Tucker (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2830) to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909; and

A bill (S. 2831) to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia; and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2832) to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2833) for the relief of Mrs. Jack J. O'Connell; and

A bill (S. 2834) to provide for the appointment of Ira E. Porter as a second lieutenant, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 2835) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 2836) to provide for insurance by the Farm Credit Administration of mortgages on farm property, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Frazier:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 130) making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian reservation roads; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

AWARDING OF PUBLIC-BUILDING CONTRACTS

Mr. Long, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 138), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Resolved, That for the purpose of securing information so that the Congress of the United States may determine whether there is or is not need for legislation, and the nature and extent of such legislation as may be needed, the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate shall conduct an investigation on the following matters, viz: (1) The awarding of building contracts and the works of public construction, including any and all matters and things connected with or growing out of the same; (2) the acts of officers of the United States and the agents of departments of the United States, either direct or indirect, in person or through their agents or emissaries, undertaking to influence awarding of contracts and the handling of public construction work in any manner calculated to show an unfair advantage, to favor contractors or materials or to allow changes or alterations in plans or specifications so as to show favoritism or make an undue profit; (3) the making, exhibiting, or giving away of things of value or the use of property or functions of the United States by any officer of the United States for the purpose of paying private rewards or securing a profit to any Government officer or person; (4) the solicitation of funds from persons charged with crime by agents and officers of the United States, or by persons who were expected to become officers of the United States; and (5) the interferences with agents of departments of the United States in their efforts to make investigations into affairs of the United States and matters and concerns connected therewith; that the said Judiciary Committee or subcommittee thereof may make and conduct said investigations and hearings and may summons and compel the attendance of witnesses and compel the production of books and papers and employ agents as may be necessary for said investigation hereby authorized; that said Judiciary Committee or any subcommittee thereof shall have right to authorize the perusal of files and records having to do with matters covered in said investigations and hearings during the session of the Congress or during adjournment.

GATHERING OF FARMERS IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. Hastings, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 139):

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture be, and he is hereby, requested to furnish to the Senate any and all correspondence in his Department touching the gathering of some three or four thousand farmers in the city of Washington during the last 2 or 3 days; whether any instructions had been given by him, or any person in his Department, or any of the various county agents or farm organizations receiving Federal aid, with respect to getting these farmers to come to Washington; how the particular group was selected

and by whom, and the purpose of having the said farmers come to Washington at this particular time; and

Resolved further, That the Secretary of Agriculture give to the Senate all information in his possession with respect to any cost borne by the Federal Government, directly or indirectly, in meeting the expenses of the farmers gathered as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Jones, Mr. Fulmer, Mr. Doxey, Mr. Hope, and Mr. Kinzer managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 98) to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library."

The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 14) to authorize the Committee on Finance to have printed additional copies of the hearings on the bill (S. 1130), the Economic Security Act.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 5159 to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 21), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate be, and they are hereby, authorized to sign a duplicate copy of the enrolled bill (H. R. 6084) entitled "An act to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes", and that the Clerk of the House be directed to transmit the same to the President of the United States.

DUPLICATE COPY OF ENROLLED BILL H. R. 6084

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 21) authorizing the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate to sign a duplicate copy of the enrolled bill H. R. 6084, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 5159, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Walsh raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On the question of agreeing to the first committee amendment,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House, under authority of the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution No. 21, having signed a duplicate copy of the enrolled bill H. R. 6084, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that on May 8, 1935, he approved and signed the following joint resolutions:

H. J. Res. 273. Joint resolution extending the gratitude of the Nation to Admiral Byrd and to the members of his expedition; and

H. J. Res. 274. Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint commission to meet with other representatives of the Government in greeting Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd upon his return from his Second Antarctic Expedition.

DUPLICATE COPY OF ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The Vice President, under authority of the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution No. 21, signed the duplicate copy of the enrolled bill (H. R. 6084) to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co., and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes.

DISPOSAL OF LIGHTHOUSE RESERVATIONS

On motion by Mr. Bulkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7131) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Walsh, at 5 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 16), 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by uninamous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CLAIM OF THOMAS F. GARDINER

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claim of Thomas F. Gardiner against the United States, which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4448. An act to provide funds for acquisition of a site, erection of buildings, and the furnishing thereof for the use of the diplomatic and consular establishments of the United States at Helsingfors, Finland;

H. R. 4901. An act to authorize appropriations to pay the annual share of the United States as an adhering member of the International Council of Scientific Unions and associated unions;

H. R. 6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor";

H. R. 6673. An act providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the commissions established by that Committee;

H. R. 7160. An act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges;

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended;

H. J. Res. 182. Joint resolution to provide for membership of the United States in the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; and to authorize the President to extend an invitation for the next general assembly of the institute to meet in the United States in 1935, and to provide an appropriation for expenses thereof; and

H. J. Res. 249. Joint resolution to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 4448, H. R. 4901, H. R. 6504, H. R. 6673, and H. R. 7909, and the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 182) be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; that the bill H. R. 7160 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; and that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 249) be placed on the calendar.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation relating to the power of Congress to coin all money and to regulate the value thereof; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts memorializing Congress to enact legislation to substitute another tax for the discriminatory tax on cigarettes selling at a low price; and

A petition of the National Highway Users Conference on behalf of various organizations in the United States praying that Federal excise taxes on gasoline, automobiles, parts, tires, oils, and other products used in motor transportation be not reenacted; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by St. Rose de Lima Branch of the Holy Name Society, of New Orleans, La., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by Hamilton Council, No. 35, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to weaken the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

Petitions of citizens of the States of New York and Illinois praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate petitions of citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented a telegram from the Kansas State Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars urging the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by officers and directors of the Baltimore Association of Credit Men remonstrating against the enactment of any legislation that would materially change the control and operations of the Federal Reserve System; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Poultry Association of Talbot County, Md., urging the enactment of legislation providing for an increased tariff on imported egg products; and

A petition of citizens of Ferndale, Md., praying the passage of unemployment and social insurance and old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Fourteen Holy Martyrs Holy Name Society, of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Petitions of four councils of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty of the State of Maryland and Premier Council, No. 23, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Baltimore, Md., praying the enactment of legislation to strengthen the present laws pertaining to deportation of aliens; and

A petition of Liberty Council, No. 16, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Baltimore, Md., praying the passage of legislation to deport any alien convicted of any offense punishable by imprisonment for 1 year or more, to prevent illegal immigration by seamen deserting vessels, and to deport naturalized persons convicted of a felony; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the Kiwanis Club of Baltimore favoring the enactment of legislation to return the frigate *Constellation* to Fort McHenry, Md., as a naval museum; and

A memorial of citizens of the State of Maryland remonstrating against increases in armament; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Radcliffe presented a telegram from the commander Department of Maryland, Veterans of Foreign Wars, favoring the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution adopted by Barbara Frietchie Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Cambridge, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to weaken the present alien deportation law, which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts urging a rehearing by the United States Supreme Court of the case affecting the constitutionality of the railroad retirement act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Coolidge presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Building Trades Council of Boston and Vicinity, of Boston, Mass., favoring a broadening of the regulations for the employment of labor on work-relief projects to include an equal opportunity for employment to so-called "self-sustaining labor"; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by Fitchburg Aerie, No. 448, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of the State of Massachusetts, favoring the enactment of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Coolidge presented a petition of railroad employees and citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of legislation to extend the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Gore presented a petition of the National Highway Users Conference, on behalf of various organizations in the United States, praying that Federal excise taxes on gasoline, automobiles, parts, tires, oils, and other products used in motor transportation be not reenacted; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6143) to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 625) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4760) to increase the statutory limit of expenditure for repairs or changes to naval vessels, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 626) thereon.

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 627) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2837) to extend the benefits of the United States Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Washington Parker, a former employee of the United States Naval Academy dairy farm, Gambrills, Md.; to the Committee on Claims.

(By request.) A bill (S. 2838) to establish an assessed valuation real property tax in the Virgin Islands of the United States; and

(By request.) A bill (S. 2839) to amend the act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2840) for the relief of Oscar Gustof Bergstrom; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2841) granting an increase of pension to Mary A. Ballard; and

A bill (S. 2842) granting an increase of pension to June MacMillan Ordway; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Vandenberg:

A bill (S. 2843) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of Army field clerks and field clerks, Quartermaster Corps, as warrant officers, United States Army; and

A bill (S. 2844) to provide for the appointment of Gerard Farmer (demobilized Army field clerk, United States Army, July 1, 1921) to the grade of warrant officer, unassigned, United States Army, and immediate retirement from the service; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2845) to provide for the retirement and retirement annuities of civilian members of the teaching staffs at the United States Naval Academy and the Postgraduate School, United States Naval Academy; and

A bill (S. 2846) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. O'Mahoney and Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2847) to provide for the creation of a series of national parks to be known as the "Western Trails National Parks", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2848) to provide for the establishment of the Whitman National Monument in the State of Washington; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A bill (S. 2849) to provide funds for cooperation with Wellpinit School District No. 49, Stevens County, Wash., for the construction of a public-school building to be available for Indian children of the Spokane Reservation; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Connally and Mr. Sheppard:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 131) providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Library.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Grier-Lowerence Construction Co.; Meyer Morris; Washington Parker; and Lillie or Johanna Small Rib; to the Committee on Claims.

Michael Burger; Lillian P. Dowdney; Alfred McClellan; and John M. Williams; to the Committee on Pensions.

HOME MORTGAGES AND HOME OWNERSHIP

Mr. Bulkley submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the amendment of the Senate insert the following:

That subdivision (6) of section 2 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four".

Sec. 2. Subsection (k) of section 6 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"(k) All stock of any Federal Home Loan Bank shall share in dividend distributions without preference."

Sec. 3. (a) Subsections (a), (b), and (c) of section 7 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, are amended, effective January 1, 1936, to comprise four subsections to read as follows:

"(a) The management of each Federal Home Loan Bank shall be vested in a board of twelve directors, all of whom shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of the district in which such bank is located.

"(b) Four of such directors shall be appointed by the Board and shall hold office for terms of four years; except that the terms of office of the two such directors heretofore appointed shall expire at the end of the calendar years 1936 and 1937, respectively, and the terms of office of the first two such directors hereafter appointed shall expire at the end of the calendar years 1938 and 1939, respectively.

"(c) Six of such directors, two of whom shall be known as class A directors, two of whom shall be known as class B directors, and two of whom shall be known as class C directors, shall be elected as provided in subsection (e), and shall hold office for terms of two years; except that the terms of office of the directors heretofore elected or appointed shall expire at the end of the terms for which they were elected or appointed.

"(d) Two of such directors shall be elected by the members of the Federal Home Loan Bank without regard to classes under rules and regulations to be prescribed by the Board, and shall hold office for terms of two years; except that the term of office of one of the directors first elected under this subsection shall expire at the end of the calendar year 1936."

(b) Section 7 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is further amended, effective January 1, 1936, by relettering subsections (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), and (i) as (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), and (j), respectively.

Sec. 4. The Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended by adding after section 8 a new section to read as follows:

"Federal Savings and Loan Advisory Council

"Sec. 8a. There is hereby created a Federal Savings and Loan Advisory Council, which shall consist of one member for each Federal Home Loan Bank district to be elected annually by the board of directors of the Federal Home Loan Bank in such district and six members to be appointed annually by the Board. Each such elected member shall be a resident of the district for which he is elected. All members of the Council shall serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to reimbursement from the Board for traveling expenses incurred in attendance at meetings of such Council. The Council shall meet at Washington, District of Columbia, at least twice a year and oftener if requested by the Board. The Council may select its chairman, vice chairman, and secretary, and adopt methods of procedure, and shall have power—

"(1) To confer with the Board and board of trustees of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation on general business conditions, and on special conditions affecting the Federal Home Loan Banks and their members and such Corporation.

"(2) To request information, and to make recommendations, with respect to matters within the jurisdiction of the Board and the board of trustees of such Corporation."

Sec. 5. Subsection (a) of section 10 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"(a) Each Federal Home Loan Bank is authorized to make advances to its members upon the security of home mortgages, or obligations of the United States, or obligations fully guaranteed by the United States, subject to such regulations, restrictions, and limitations as the Board may prescribe. Any such advance shall be subject to the following limitations as to amount:

"(1) If secured by a mortgage insured under the provisions of title II of the National Housing Act, the advance may be for an amount not in excess of 90 per centum of the unpaid principal of the mortgage loan.

"(2) If secured by a home mortgage given in respect of an amortized home mortgage loan which was for an original term of six years or more, or in cases where shares of stock, which are pledged as security for such loan, mature in a period of six years or more, the advance may be for an amount not in excess of 65 per centum of the unpaid principal of the home mortgage loan; but in no case shall the amount of the advance exceed 60 per centum of the value of the real estate securing the home mortgage loan.

"(3) If secured by a home mortgage given in respect of any other home mortgage loan, the advance shall not be for an amount in excess of 50 per centum of the unpaid principal of the home mortgage loan; but in no case shall the amount of such advance exceed 40 per centum of the value of the real estate securing the home mortgage loan.

"(4) If secured by obligations of the United States, or obligations fully guaranteed by the United States, the advance shall not be for an amount in excess of the face value of such obligations."

Sec. 6. Clauses numbered (1) and (2) of subsection (b) of section 10 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, are amended to read as follows: "(1) the home mortgage loan secured by it has more than twenty years to run to maturity, or (2) the home mortgage exceeds $20,000, or".

Sec. 7. The Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended by adding after section 10a the following new section:

"Sec. 10b. Each Federal Home Loan Bank is authorized to make advances to nonmember mortgagees approved under title II of the National Housing Act. Such mortgagees must be chartered institutions having succession and subject to the inspection and supervision of some governmental agency, and whose principal activity in the mortgage field must consist of lending their own funds. Such advances shall not be subject to the other provisions and restrictions of this Act, but shall be made upon the security of insured mortgages, insured under title II of the National Housing Act. Advances made under the terms of this section shall be at such rates of interest and upon such terms and conditions as shall be determined by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, but no advance may be for an amount in excess of 90 per centum of the unpaid principal of the mortgage loan given as security."

Sec. 8. The first sentence of section 13 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows: "Any and all notes, debentures, bonds, and other such obligations issued by any bank, and consolidated Federal Home Loan Bank bonds and debentures, shall be exempt both as to principal and interest from all taxation (except surtaxes, estate, inheritance, and gift taxes) now or hereafter imposed by the United States, by any Territory, dependency, or pos-

session thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority."

Sec. 9. Section 19 of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "The receipts of the Board derived from assessments upon the Federal Home Loan Banks and from other sources (except receipts from the sale of consolidated Federal Home Loan Bank bonds and debentures issued under section 11) shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States, and may be from time to time withdrawn therefrom to defray the expenses of the Board, and the salaries of its members and employees, whose employment, compensation, leave, and expenses shall be governed solely by the provisions of this act, specific amendments thereof, and rules and regulations of the Board not inconsistent therewith."

Sec. 10. Sections 2 (c) and 4 (d) of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, are amended by striking out "upon which there is located a dwelling for not more than four families, used by the owner as a home or held by him as his homestead, and having a value not exceeding $20,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "upon which there is located a dwelling or dwellings for not more than four families, which is used in whole or in part by the owner as a home or held by him as his homestead, and which has a value of not to exceed $20,000".

Sec. 11. The first sentence of subsection (c) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"(c) In order to provide for applications heretofore filed, for applications filed within thirty days after this amendment takes effect, and for carrying out the other purposes of this section, the Corporation is authorized to issue bonds in an aggregate amount not to exceed $4,750,000,000, which may be exchanged as hereinafter provided, or which may be sold by the Corporation to obtain funds for carrying out the purposes of this section or for the redemption of any of its outstanding bonds; and the Corporation is further authorized to increase its total bond issue for the purpose of retiring its outstanding bonds by an amount equal to the amount of the bonds to be so retired (except bonds retired from payments of principal on loans), such retirement to be at maturity or by call or purchase or exchange or any method prescribed by the Board with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury: Provided, That no bonds issued under this subsection, as amended, shall have a maturity date later than 1952."

Sec. 12. Subsection (d) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"For the purposes of this Act, levies of assessments upon real property, made by any special district organized in any State for public improvements, shall be treated as general-tax levies are treated. The Board shall determine the reasonableness of the total annual burden of taxes and assessments of all kinds upon any property offered as security for the payment of a loan made by the Corporation and the effect of the total levies upon the loanable value of such property, but no deduction shall be made from the loanable value of any property for levies not due at the time of making such loan in any instance where the total annual taxes and assessments borne by the said property for all purposes does not exceed a sum which, in the discretion of the Board, is a reasonable annual tax burden for such property."

Sec. 13. Subsection (j) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended, effective 90 days after the date of enactment of this Act, by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "No person shall be appointed or retained as an officer, employee, agent, or attorney, at a fixed salary, in any regional or State office of the Corporation who is an officer or director of any firm, corporation, or association engaged in lending money on real estate; nor shall any person be appointed or retained as an officer, employee, agent, or attorney in any State or district office of the Corporation, who has not been a bona fide resident of the State served by such office for a period of at least one year immediately preceding the date of his appointment."

Sec. 14. Subsection (l) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by striking out the last comma therein and the following: "or in any case in which the home mortgage or other obligation or lien is held by an institution which is in liquidation".

Sec. 15. Subsection (h) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That no person shall be allowed to act as appraiser if he is in the employ of any company holding a loan on the property, or if he is interested in the subject matter of the loan."

Sec. 16. Subsection (m) of section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by striking out "$300,000,000" and and inserting in lieu thereof "$400,000,000".

Sec. 17. (a) Section 4 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof a new subsection to read as follows:

"(n) The Corporation is authorized to purchase Federal Home Loan Bank bonds, debentures, or notes, or consolidated Federal Home Loan Bank bonds or debentures. The Corporation is also authorized to purchase full-paid-income shares of Federal Savings and Loan Associations after the funds made available to the Secretary of the Treasury for the purchase of such shares have been exhausted. Such purchases of shares shall be on the same terms and conditions as have been heretofore authorized by law for the purchase of such shares by the Secretary of the Treasury: Provided, That the total amount of such shares in any one association held by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Corporation shall not exceed the total amount of such shares heretofore authorized to be held by the Secretary of the Treasury in any one association. The Corporation is also authorized to purchase shares in any institution which is (1) a member of a Federal Home Loan Bank, or (2) whose accounts are insured under title IV of the National Housing Act, if the institution is eligible for insurance under such title; and to make deposits and purchase certificates of deposit and investment certificates in any such institution. Of the total authorized bond issue of the Corporation $300,000,000 shall be available for the purposes of this subsection, without discrimination in favor of Federally chartered associations, and bonds of the Corporation not exceeding such amount may be sold for the purposes of this subsection."

(b) Section 9 of the Act entitled "An Act to guarantee the bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and for other purposes", approved April 27, 1934, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 18. Subsection (c) of section 5 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following: "And provided further, That any such association which is converted from a State-chartered institution may continue to make loans in the territory in which it made loans while operating under State charter."

Sec. 19. Section 6 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended (1) by striking out "$500,000" and inserting in lieu thereof $700,000", and (2) by adding at the end of the section the following new sentence: "The sums appropriated and made available pursuant to this section shall be used impartially in the promotion and development of local thrift and home-financing institutions, whether State or Federally chartered."

Sec. 20. Subsection (d) of section 8 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"(d) The provisions of sections 29, 30, 32, 35, 37, 39, 112, 113, and 117 of the Criminal Code of the United States (U. S. C., title 18, secs. 73, 74, 76, 82, 83, 88, 91, 202, 203, and 207), insofar as applicable, are extended to apply to the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, its contracts or agreements, and an association under this Act which, for the purposes herein shall be held to include advances, loans, discounts, and purchase or repurchase agreements; extensions and renewals thereof; and acceptances, releases, and substitutions of security therefor."

Sec. 21. Subsection (e) of section 8 of the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"(e) No person, partnership, association, or corporation shall, directly or indirectly, solicit, contract for, charge, or receive, or attempt to solicit, contract for, charge, or receive, from any person applying to the Corporation for a loan, (1) any fee, charge, or other consideration, whether bond or cash, except ordinary fees authorized and required by the Corporation for services actually rendered for examination and perfection of title, appraisal, and like necessary services, or (2) any moneys, check, note, or other form of obligation, representing payment of any difference which may exist between the market value and the par value of the bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation. Any person, partnership, association, or corporation violating the provisions of this subsection shall, upon conviction thereof, be fixed not more than $5,000, or imprisoned not more than two years, or both."

Sec. 22. Paragraph (5) of subsection (c) of section 402 of the National Housing Act is amended by adding the following sentence at the end thereof: "The Corporation shall be entitled to the free use of the United States mails for its official business in the same manner as the executive departments of the Government, and shall determine its necessary expenditures under this Act and the manner in which the same shall be incurred, allowed, and paid, without regard to the provisions of any other law governing the expenditure of public funds."

Sec. 23. Subsection (b) of section 403 of the National Housing Act is amended (1) by striking out the words "ten years" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty years", and (2) by striking out the period at the end of the subsection and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That for any year dividends may be declared and paid when losses are chargeable to such reserves if the declaration of such dividends in such case is approved by the Corporation."

Sec. 24. Subsection (d) of section 403 of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows:

"(d) Any applicant which applies for insurance under this title after the first year of the operation of the Corporation shall pay an admission fee based upon the reserve fund of the Corporation, which, in the judgment of the Corporation, is an equitable contribution."

Sec. 25. (a) Subsections (a) and (b) of section 404 of the National Housing Act are amended by striking out "one-fourth" and inserting in lieu thereof "one-eighth."

(b) Section 404 of the National Housing Act is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(c) Each insured insitution which has paid a premium charge in excess of one-eighth of 1 per centum of the total amount of the accounts of its insured members and its creditor obligations shall be credited on its future premiums with an amount equal to the total amount of such excess."

Sec. 26. The last sentence of section 406 (b) of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows "The surrender and transfer to the Corporation of an insured account in any such association which is in default shall subrogate the Corporation with respect to such insured account, but shall not affect any right which the insured member may have in the uninsured portion of his account or any right which he may have to participate in the distribution of the net proceeds remaining from the disposition of the assets of such association."

Sec. 27. Section 406 of the National Housing Act is further amended by adding at the end thereof a new subsection to read as follows:

"(f) In order to prevent a default in an insured institution or in order to restore an insured institution in default to normal operation as an insured institution, the Corporation is authorized, in its discretion, to make loans to, purchase the assets of, or make a contribution to, an insured institution or an insured institution in default; but no contribution shall be made to any such institution in an amount in excess of that which the Corporation finds to be reasonably necessary to save the expense of liquidating such institution."

Sec. 28. (a) The first sentence of section 2 of the National Housing Act is amended (1) by striking out "January" and inserting in lieu thereof "April", and (2) by inserting before the period at the end thereof a comma and the following: "including the installation of equipment and machinery".

(b) The last sentence of section 2 of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows: "No insurance shall be granted under this section to any such financial institution with respect to any obligation representing any such loan, advance of credit, or purchase by it (1) unless the obligation bears such interest, has such maturity, and contains such other terms, conditions, and restrictions, as the Administrator shall prescribe; and (2) unless the amount of such loan, advance of credit, or purchase is not in excess of $2,000, except that in the case of any such loan, advance of credit, or purchase made for the purpose of such financing with respect to real property improved by or to be converted into apartment or multiple family houses, hotels, office, business or other commercial buildings, hospitals, orphanages, colleges, schools, or manufacturing or industrial plants, such insurance may be granted if the amount of the loan, advance of credit, or purchase is not in excess of $50,000."

Sec. 29. (a) Subsection (c) of section 203 of the National Housing Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "In the event that the principal abligation of any mortgage accepted for insurance under this section is paid in full prior to the maturity date specified in the mortgage, the Administrator is further authorized in his discretion to require the payment by the mortgagor of a premium charge in such amount as the Administrator determines to be equitable, but not in excess of the aggregate amount of the premium charges that the mortgagee would otherwise have been required to pay if the mortgage had continued to be insured under this section until such maturity date."

(b) The first sentence of subsection (f) of section 205 of the National Housing Act is amended by striking out the words "premium charge" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "annual premium charge".

(c) The last sentence of subsection (a) of section 204 of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows: "For the purposes of this subsection, the value of the mortgage shall be determined, in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the Administrator, by adding to the amount of the principal of the mortgage which is unpaid on the date of such delivery, (1) interest on such unpaid principal from the date foreclosure proceedings were instituted or the property was otherwise acquired as provided in this subsection to the date of such delivery at the rate provided for in the debentures issued to the mortgagee, less any amount received on account of interest accruing on such unpaid principal between such dates, and (2) the amount of all payments which have been made by the mortgagee for taxes and insurance on the property mortgaged."

Sec. 30. Subsection (d) of section 301 of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows:

"(d) No association shall transact any business except such as is incidental to its organization until it has been authorized to do so by the Administrator. Each such association shall have a capital stock of a par value of not less than $2,000,000, and no authorization to commence business shall be granted by the Administrator to any such association until he is satisfied that such capital stock has been subscribed for at not less than par and paid in full in cash or Government securities at their par value."

Sec. 31. Section 302 of the National Housing Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 302. Each national mortgage association is authorized to issue and have outstanding at any time notes, bonds,

debentures, or other such obligations in an aggregate amount not to exceed (1) twelve times the aggregate par value of its outstanding capital stock, and in no event to exceed (2) the current face value of mortgages held by it and insured under the provisions of title II of this Act, plus the amount of its cash on hand and on deposit and the amount of its investments in bonds or obligations of, or guaranteed as to principal and interest by, the United States. No national mortgage association shall borrow money except through the issuance of such notes, bonds, debentures, or other obligations, except with the approval of the Administrator and under such rules and regulations as he shall prescribe."

Sec. 32. Section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 1016), is further amended by inserting after the second sentence thereof the following new sentence: "For the purposes of this section, farm property may be valued at an amount representing a prudent investment, consistent with community standards and rentals, if (1) the person occupying the property is not entirely dependent upon farm income for his livelihood but receives a part of his income from other dependable sources, and (2) the farm income from the property, together with earnings from other dependable sources ordinarily available in the community to a person operating such property, would be sufficient to support his family, to pay operating expenses and fixed charges, and to discharge the interest and amortization payments on the loan."

And the Senate agree to the same.

ROBERT J. BULKLEY,
ROBERT F. WAGNER,
ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
W. G. MCADOO,
JOHN G. TOWNSEND, JR.,
FREDERICK STEIWER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
HENRY B. STEAGALL,
T. ALAN GOLDSBOROUGH,
M. K. REILLY,
JOHN B. HOLLISTER,
JESSE P. WOLCOTT,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO HOMESTEADERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1776) granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

DISPOSAL OF LIGHTHOUSE RESERVATIONS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 7131) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes, was reconsidered, and the vote ordering the engrossment of the amendments and third reading of the bill having also been reconsidered, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 1, line 3,

It was determined in the affirmative.

The residue of the reported amendments were also agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Tydings to further amend the bill by inserting on page 10, line 10, after the word "protection", a comma and the following: *free from coercion or intimidation from any source,*

Pending debate,

Mr. Hastings raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Maloney in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Tydings was disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The vote disagreeing to the foregoing amendment was reconsidered.

The question being again taken on agreeing to the amendment,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 21, Nays 50

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Couzens, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Radcliffe, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Tydings' amendment was not agreed to.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 63, Nays 12

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bailey, Burke, Byrd, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Metcalf, Townsend, Tydings, and Vandenberg.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

The title was ordered to stand as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, withdrew the motion heretofore entered by him to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

On motion by Mr. Byrnes,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

RETURN OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS DUTY FREE

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6143) to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL H. R. 3896

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That the President of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized to sign, after the recess of the Senate today, the enrolled bill H. R. 3896, the so-called "soldiers' adjusted-compensation bill."

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Lewis,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, at 5 o'clock and 11 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, MAY 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH TO SENATOR DESIGNATE OF NEW MEXICO

Mr. Dennis Chavez, from the State of New Mexico, whose credentials had been heretofore presented, appeared, and the oath provided by law having been administerd to him by the Vice President, he took his seat in the Senate.

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILL DURING RECESS

The Vice President announced that, under authority heretofore granted by the Senate, he signed, on Friday, May 17, 1935, the enrolled bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, said bill having been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and previously reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1803) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 1776 and H. R. 6143, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 98, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8021, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT OF BUSINESS ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying reports, ordered to lie on the table:

To the Senate:

In response to Senate Resolution 132, I enclose copies of the reports filed with me by the Business Advisory Council on Thursday, May 2, 1935. These reports pertain to the National Industrial Recovery Administration, the social security bill, and grants to States for old-age assistance. No other reports were left with me at that time, and no other reports are now on file with me.

The method of handling reports of the Business Advisory Council is for Chairman Kendall to present them to the administrative officials having to do with the subject matter rather than leaving them in my possession.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *May 20, 1935.*

COTTON AND WHEAT STATISTICS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, supplementary data showing acreage and production of cotton in the United States and important foreign producing countries, and estimates of acreage, production, trade, and utilization of wheat in the United States and important foreign producing countries; which, with the accompanying papers, was ordered to lie on the table and be printed.

ENLARGEMENT OF BALTIMORE (MD.) IMMIGRATION STATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend the act of March 3, 1925, relative to the use of a portion of the land at Fort McHenry, Md., for the immigration station at Baltimore, Md.; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 1776. An act granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935;

H. R. 6143. An act to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free; and

S. J. Res. 98. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library."

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring the inauguration of a program which will protect the dairy industry and prevent overproduction by prohibiting the land taken out of production by other crop-control programs from being used for the growing of dairy crops; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of the Starlight Youth Branch American League Against War and Fascism, of New York City, praying the punishment of alleged kidnapers of attorneys Robert Minor and Levinson; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A communication from Clifford Milligan, of Dayton, Tenn., relative to the operation of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration in Dayton and Rhea County, Tenn.; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and communication:

A petition of Pearlee Ford, of Blanchard, La., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

Petitions of citizens and veterans' organizations in the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A communication from the department adjutant, department of Virginia, United Spanish War Veterans, of Richmond, Va., together with a resolution adopted by the council of administration of that organization, mourning the death of Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska memorializing Congress to enact legislation relating to the power of Congress to coin all money and regulate the value thereof; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Nebraska favoring the immediate enactment of legislation providing old-age pensions.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring additional appropriations for the use of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation in continuing its activities; to the Committee on Banking and Currency;

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for a graduated tax on cigarettes;

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of social-security legislation; and

A resolution adopted by Marlboro Aerie No. 399, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Marlboro, Mass., favoring the passage of old-age pension legislation; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of Bay State Division No. 413, Order of Railway Conductors of America, Lodge No. 71, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, and citizens, all of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented petitions of citizens of Worcester, Mass., and Ayer, Mass., and vicinity, praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 628) thereon.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 130) making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian-reservation roads, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 629) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 18) authorizing the appointment of a committee to receive evidence and take testimony in impeachment trials, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2326) authorizing the Secretary of War to lease or to sell certain lands and buildings known as "Camp Eagle Pass, Tex.", to the Eagle Pass and Piedras Negras Bridge Co., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 630) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bill and joint resolution, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2762. A bill to exempt from taxation, under certain conditions, on the basis of reciprocity official compensation of a consular officer, nondiplomatic representative, or employee of a foreign country (Rept. No. 632); and

S. J. Res. 86. Joint resolution authorizing an annual appropriation of $10,000 to enable the United States to become a member of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; authorizing the President to invite the Institute to hold its second general assembly in the United States in 1935; and authorizing appropriation of $10,000 for expenses of such meeting (Rept. No. 631).

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6453) to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", and so forth, as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 633) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 272) for the relief of William Frank Lipps, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 634) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2710) to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 635) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2426) to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 636) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1313) providing for waiver of prosecution by indictment in certain criminal proceedings, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 637) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 476) relating to promotions of civil-service employees, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 638) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 122. Resolution for an investigation of the labor conditions in the Panama Canal Zone; and

S. Res. 137. Resolution to pay certain funeral expenses of the late Senator Bronson Cutting.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interoceanic Canals, submitted his minority views on the bill (S. 2288) to provide for the measurement of vessels using the Panama Canal, and for other purposes; which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 624.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2850) for the relief of Christian H. Gladback; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2851) relating to the tribal and individual affairs of the Osage Indians of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2852) for the relief of Edith M. Powell; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2853) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2854) providing that the unexpended balance of the appropriation for grasshopper control, contained in the Agricultural Department Appropriation Act of 1935, remain available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 2855) granting a pension to Ila May Grindell (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2856) to amend title 40, section 276A, of the United States Code, Supplement VII; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 2857) to fix rates of compensation of certain employees in the employ of the War Department; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2858) for the relief of Lt. Leo L. Waite, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 2859) to provide for the development of the Tennessee Valley and Tombigbee River Inland Waterway, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2860) authorizing adjustment of the claim o Thomas F. Gardiner (with accompanying papers); to th Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2861) granting an increase of pension to Cornelia Anderson Damrell (with accompanying papers); t the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2862) to promote safe and efficient service t the public by the national system of rail transportation b providing a retirement system for railroad employees; t the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A bill (S. 2863) to provide a measure of damages for timber trespass upon lands of the United States; and

A bill (S. 2864) to establish the San Juan National Monument, Puerto Rico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 2865) to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission approved May 23, 1928; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2866) authorizing manufacturers to protect their products against unfair or deceptive practices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2867) to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2868) to provide for the reappointment of Harrison S. Markham as a second lieutenant, United States Army; and

A bill (S. 2869) to legalize the use of Emergency Relief funds for the construction of armories for the National Guard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 132) to create a commission to determine a suitable location and design for a memorial to the men and women who have been notable or may become notable in the history of the United States; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Clark:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 133) for designation of a street to be known as "Missouri Avenue"; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

INVESTIGATION OF COMMUNISTIC AND SOCIALISTIC TEACHINGS

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 140), which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor:

Whereas the press carries an extended report showing that communistic and socialistic doctrines are being spread among the members of the Civilian Conservation Corps camps, and that newspapers are being published in these camps, reflecting favorable comment on such doctrines; and

Whereas it is authoritatively reported that communistic and socialistic doctrines are being taught by various instructors in various sections of the country by teachers and instructors whose salaries are being paid from the Federal Emergency Relief funds; and

Whereas there is a growing tendency in various bureaus and departments of the Government, including the Department of Education, to further socialistic and communistic teachings and instruction: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee is hereby authorized to be appointed by the President of the Senate and directed to make an investigation as to whether or not public officials are permitting the use of public funds for such purposes as heretofore suggested; whether or not they are in sympathy with the teaching of such doctrine; and whether or not Federal funds are being used for the publication of such various

subversive papers and pamphlets; and whether or not such instructions and publications seek for their purpose to discredit our form of government and seek to substitute another form of government therefor.

That said committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the result of its findings, with its recommendation, together with suitable legislation remedial of said condition.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act and at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 22), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the two Houses of Congress assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Wednesday, the 22d day of May, 1935, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving such communications as the President of the United States shall be pleased to make to them.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Thursday, May 16, 1935, was approved.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be temporarily laid aside.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar and continue same until 2 o'clock.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 363. A bill to increase the efficiency of the Veterinary Corps of the Regular Army;

S. 1504. A bill authorizing the Arapahoe and Cheyenne Indians to submit claims to the Court of Claims, and for other purposes;

S. 2306. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes;

S. 1528. A bill for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1696. A bill for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace;

S. 1637. A bill to extend further the operation of an act of Congress approved January 26, 1933 (47 Stat. 776), entitled "An act relating to the deferment and adjustment of construction charges for the years 1931 and 1932 on Indian irrigation projects";

S. 2616. A bill for the relief of the estate of Joseph Y. Underwood;

S. 381. A bill for the relief of the Confederate Band of Ute Indians located in Colorado, Utah, and New Mexico;

S. 2097. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon;

S. 2688. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended;

S. 2625. A bill to extend the facilities of the Public Health Service to seamen on Government vessels not in the Military or Naval Establishment;

S. 2247. A bill directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico;

S. 245. A bill for the relief of Charles Wilson; and

S. J. Res. 92. Joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2213) to define the exterior boundaries of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment on page 5, line 11, was agreed to; when

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma objected to its further consideration.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, subsequently resumed the consideration of the foregoing bill; and the bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words.

The further consideration of the said bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

Ordered, That the bill be printed as amended.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1439) amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing information locally."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 2317) to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000, having been reached,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5707) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2317 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 2294) for the relief of Thaddeus C. Knight; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble thereto be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 317) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McCarran,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the appointment of 2 additional judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California, and 1 additional judge for the Circuit Court, Ninth Judicial Circuit."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 118) creating a standing Committee on Air Commerce and Civil Aviation; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was subsequently reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 1523. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1383. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to make persons charged with crimes and offenses competent witnesses in United States and Territorial courts", approved March 16, 1878;

S. 2472. A bill to pay an annuity to Frances Agramonte, the widow of Dr. Aristides Agramonte, member of the Yellow Fever Commission;

S. 1811. A bill providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin;

S. 2681. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes;

S. 2727. A bill to authorize the acquisition of land for military purposes in Bexar County, Tex., for use as an addition to Kelly Field Military Reservation, and to settle certain claims in connection therewith;

S. 1148. A bill to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park;

S. 1066. A bill to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929;

S. 165. A bill for the relief of Robert McFarland; and

S. 1492. A bill to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

The votes amending the title of the bill (S. 1439) amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter periodicals publishing local information; the vote on the passage of the said bill; the vote ordering its engrossment and third reading; and the vote agreeing to the reported amendments to the text of the bill were respectively reconsidered.

The reported amendments to the text were then disagreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the reported amendment to the title be disagreed to, and that the title stand as originally reported.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 96) to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1454) to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish bronze markers for certain graves; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish certain markers for certain graves."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4751) to amend section 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 119) remanding the claim of W. K. Richardson, covered by Senate Joint Resolution 35, to the Court of Claims; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6114) to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended; and the reported amendment being agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 4005. An act to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the time of making the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission;

H. R. 3721. An act for the relief of Angelo J. Gillotti;

H. R. 972. An act for the relief of John Costigan;

H. R. 2192 An act for the relief of Harry B. Walmsley;

H. R. 1846. An act for the relief of Daniel W. Seal;

H. R. 5444. An act to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

H. R. 3975. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach;

H. R. 157. An act to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

H. R. 6654. An act to increase the White House Police Force, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 4239. An act authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Mich., certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Mich.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6723) to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended by striking out the sum "$50,000" therein and inserting in lieu thereof *$30,000.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 2315) of a similar title as first aforesaid be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6085) to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks, the construction and improvement of sewers, and the construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended by striking out the sum "$40,000" therein and inserting in lieu thereof *$35,000.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 2316) to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000, be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1561) to provide relief for disbursing officers of the Army in certain cases; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide relief for disbursing officers of the Army or Navy in certain cases."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The joint resolution (S. J. Res. 108) to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 249) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 108) be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2533) for the relief of the rightful heirs Tiwastewin or Anna; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of the rightful heirs of Tiwastewin or Anna."

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 71) authorizing an investigation of interstate railroads and affiliates with respect to financing, reorganizations, mergers, and certain other matters; and the reported amendments of the Committees on Interstate Commerce and to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate to the text of the resolution having been agreed to.

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The preamble was stricken out.

The resolution, as amended, is as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to make, and to report to the Senate the results of, a thorough and complete investigation of the financing, reorganizations, mergers, acquisitions and dispositions, insolvency, credit and securities operations and activities, financial policies, intercorporate relationships in respect of interstate railroads, railroad holding companies, railroad affiliates, and subsidiaries—any corporation or person which is or has been affiliated with any of the foregoing, banking, legal, engineering, accounting, and other professional corporations, persons, or groups occupying a fiduciary or contractual position or relation with any of the foregoing, and any member of the family of any such person, and any officer, agent, or director of any such corporation or group.

The Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to obtain such facts as the Federal Coordinator of Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission, and other Government agencies may have, and to secure the assistance of the Federal Coordinator of Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission, and other Government agencies in the investigation hereby authorized. The member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, heretofore designated by the President as Federal Coordinator of Transportation under the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933, is hereby authorized and directed to select the railroads to be included in the investigation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places,

either in the District of Columbia or elsewhere, during the sessions, recesses, and adjourned periods of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such experts, and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production and impounding of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $25,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 477) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the southern district of New York and two additional judges for the southern district of California; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4760) to increase the statutory limit of expenditure for repairs or changes to naval vessels,

Pending debate,

The hour of 2 o'clock p. m. having arrived,

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the Naval Service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments on page 3, line 2 and line 7, respectively, were agreed to.

Mr. King raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

The reported amendment on page 3, line 18, was agreed to.

Pending debate,

Mr. King raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Duffy, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Nye to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Nye's motion,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 14 / Nays---------- 58 }

On motion by Mr. Byrnes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Black, Bulow, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Couzens, Frazier, King, La Follette, Neely, Norris, Nye, Shipstead, and Vandenberg.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, Logan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, and White.

So the motion to recommit was not agreed to.

Pending debate,

Mr. Norris raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 82. An act to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work;

S. 1222. An act to further extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.;

S. 1342. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to board of county commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.";

S. 1680. An act to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof; and

S. 1987. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.

AMERICAN PARTICIPATION IN INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union.

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Pittman, Mr. Robinson, and Mr. Borah.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ASSESSMENT WORK ON MINING CLAIMS

On motion by Mr. Hatch, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2536) providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 21 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 29. An act to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty;

H. R. 2046. An act to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act;

H. R. 3285. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Oswego, Oneida, Seneca, and Clyde Rivers in Oswego, Onondaga, Oneida, Madison, Cayuga, Wayne, Seneca, Tompkins, Schuyler, Yates, and Ontario Counties, N. Y., with a view to the controlling of floods;

H. R. 4505. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Maine and the Dominion of Canada to maintain a bridge already constructed across the St. John River between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada;

H. R. 4528. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La.;

H. R. 4665. An act to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell;

H. R. 5049. An act providing punishment for forging or counterfeiting any postmarking stamp;

H. R. 5162. An act providing for punishment for attempts to obtain mail by fraud or by deception;

H. R. 5229. An act directing the Secretary of the Interior to investigate, hear, and determine claims of the individual members of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians of the State of Wisconsin;

H. R. 5230. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear claims of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians;

H. R. 5382. An act to provide for advancement by selection in the Staff Corps of the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant commander and lieutenant; to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the equalization of promotion of officers of the Staff Corps of the Navy with officers of the line" (44 Stat. 717; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 34, secs. 348 to 348t), and for other purposes;

H. R. 5547. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Des Moines River at or near St. Francisville, Mo.;

H. R. 6464. An act to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States;

H. R. 6836. An act to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to the National Archives Establishment;

H. R. 6859. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of North Carolina to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Waccamaw River at or near Old Pireway Ferry Crossing, N. C.;

H. R. 6954. An act to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to Acadia National Park;

H. R. 6997. An act authorizing the State of Illinois and the State of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River between Kaskaskia Island, Ill., and St. Marys, Mo.; and

H. R. 7050. An act to amend the act of June 27, 1930 (ch. 634, 46 Stat. 820).

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1803, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1803) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States has approved and signed the following acts and joint resolutions:

On May 10, 1935:

S. 147. An act to alter the amount apportioned to certain States for public employment offices affiliated with the United States Employment Service.

On May 14, 1935:

S. 613. An act to add certain public-domain land in Montana to the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation;

S. 707. An act to amend the act of May 19, 1926, entitled "An act to authorize the President to detail officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to assist the Governments of the Latin American Republics in military and naval matters; and

S. J. Res. 94. Joint resolution establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes.

On May 15, 1935:

S. 553. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War;

S. 559. An act to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 563. An act for the relief of the Jay Street Terminal, New York;

S. 728. An act for the relief of Elton Firth;

S. 896. An act for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased;

S. 1037. An act authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister;

S. 1039. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the West Indian Oil Co.;

S. 1056. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Schutte & Koerting Co.;

S. 1302. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army, and for other purposes;

S. 2145. An act extending the time for repayment of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians;

S. 1616. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and act amendatory and supplementary thereto;

S. 1055. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector;

S. 1414. An act for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton;

S. 1502. An act for the relief of Charles L. Graves; and

S. 2024. An act to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller.

On May 16, 1935:

S. 282. An act for the relief of William Kemper;

S. 1053. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.; and

S. 1057. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

On May 17, 1935:

S. 51. An act for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel.

On May 20, 1935:

S. J. Res. 43. Joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

DEATH OF SENATOR BRONSON CUTTING

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from Mrs. Olivia M. Cutting, of New York City, expressing her appreciation for the floral offering sent by the Senate on the occasion of the death of her son, the late Senator Bronson Cutting, and thanking the Senate for its expression of their sympathy.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the activities of the administration for the month of January 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Alabama expressing appreciation for the enactment of the so-called "Bankhead Cotton Control Act"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii favoring the appointment of a United States Labor Commissioner for Hawaii; and

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii memorializing Congress to provide for the issuance of certificates of citizenship to all persons residing in Hawaii who are citizens of the United States; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A petition of citizens of the State of New Jersey praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring additional appropriations for use by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation in continuing its activities;

Petitions of Charles L. Jones, of the State of Illinois, and Eddie Just, of Sisseton, S. Dak., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A resolution of the Townsend Clubs of St. Louis, Mo., favoring the passage of the so-called "Townsend old-age pension plan."

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented a petition of citizens of Clearwater, Fla., praying the enactment of legislation which will withdraw the protection of interstate commerce from liquor advertising crossing State lines; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Haverhill (Mass.) District Council of the United Shoe and Leather Workers Union praying the passage of legislation making it a felony to transport in interstate or foreign commerce persons to be employed to obstruct or interfere with the right of peaceful picketing during labor controversies, and certain other labor legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Roosevelt Council, No. 45, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Lowell, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

Petitions of Bunker Hill Lodge No. 1099, of Somerville, Elm Lodge No. 2108, of Worcester, and Memorial Lodge No. 460, of Springfield, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, all in the State of Massachusetts, praying an extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution adopted by the Worcester Central Labor Union, of Worcester, Mass., expressing sympathy at the death of Senator Bronson Cutting; which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials:

Resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of the New England Milk Producers' Association and the Consolidated Dairies, Inc., both of Boston, Mass., favoring the continuance of the Agricultural Adjustment Act and pending amendments thereto;

A memorial of employers and executives in the industrial district of New Haven, Conn., remonstrating against

the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and a 30-hour workweek in industry;

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates; and

A memorial of citizens of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against the passage of said legislation.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented a memorandum of the National Committee for the Defense of American Rights in Mexico, with relation to persecutions of persons of all religious faiths and Mexican violations of the personal and property rights of American citizens; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1952) extending the classified executive civil service of the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 639) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1929) to clarify the status of the National Zoological Park, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 640) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 131) providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 641) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1225) for the relief of Harry H. A. Ludwig, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 642) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2364) relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 643) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the nominations of Theodore Francis Knoll and certain other persons for appointment in the Coast Guard, reported them favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2870) granting a pension to Julia McBride (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 2871) granting a pension to Roy A. Ault;

A bill (S. 2872) granting a pension to Robert Fascetti; and

A bill (S. 2873) granting a pension to Robert Johnson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2874) for the relief of Thomas F. Gardiner; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2875) for the relief of J. A. Jones (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 2876) to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact, signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767); to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2877) to reimpose and extend the trust period on lands reserved for the Pala Band of Mission Indians, California; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 2878) to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact, signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767); to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2879) for the relief of Catherine Grace; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Trammell:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 134) providing for participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition, to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay; to the Committee on Commerce.

CONFERENCES ON WAR DEBTS AND WORLD ARMAMENTS

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 141):

Whereas the people of the United States, irrespective of political affiliations, have been desirous of promoting in every practical way the peace of the world and the economic and political welfare of other nations as well as their own, and have never failed to respond to the call of distress of other peoples and countries; and

Whereas the people of the United States are equally desirous of correcting any misapprehensions in this regard and to proclaim that no reason shall exist for questioning their desire to aid in every reasonable way the solution of the acute problems of the world arising from the war and the depression; and

Whereas the present administration has frequently declared that national economic recovery and world economic recovery are inextricably bound together and that the principle of the good neighbor should characterize the relationship between the United States and all other nations; and

Whereas similar views have been held by Republican administrations and leading statesmen of the Republican Party, so that these broad views have the endorsement of both our major political parties; and

Whereas it is universally recognized that there is no problem existing today which is operating more directly, constantly, and powerfully to make understanding and good will between nations difficult, and therefore to postpone the return of economic well-being and durable world peace than the chronic problem of intergovernmental debts arising and resulting from the war; and

Whereas the next installment of allied war debts owing to the United States is due and payable on the 15th of June 1935, and no payment on these debts was made when the last installment came due on December 15, 1934, and the value and collectibility of these debts are becoming more and more jeopardized by the passing of time and the failure to devise and consummate a workable and mutually reasonable settlement thereof; and

Whereas such officials and leaders of European public opinion and action as Premier Flandin, of France; Economic and Finance Minister Schacht, of Germany; and the Chancellor of the Exchequer Chamberlain, of Great Britain, have within recent weeks given public indication of their recognition of the gravity of the problem created by the unsettled state of intergovernmental debts and of their desire for an equitable settlement that will promote and not retard world trade and that is in keeping with the present economic and financial conditions of the world; and

Whereas in June and also in December of 1934, in the exchange of notes on the allied-debt subject, both France and Great Britain did not repudiate them but frankly acknowledged that validity and legality of their respective war debts to the United States and expressed a desire and willingness to make a reasonable and feasible settlement of these debts; and

Whereas it is the desire of the people of the United States as indispensable both to economic recovery and to world peace to secure reduction of armaments by all nations and to inaugurate an immediate 5-year holiday in arms construction, in order to facilitate and insure rapid recovery from the ravages of the protracted depression and to prove good faith to one another in their treaty commitments to peace; and

Whereas general and drastic reduction of armaments is vital to both world peace and to economic recovery, the expenditures for armaments and war being by far the largest items in the budgets of the nations; and

Whereas responsible statesmen of all the large nations of the world have repeatedly expressed their willingness to join in a general universal movement for the reduction of armaments, but the disarmament conferences have, during the past few years, failed to reach any substantial accord as to reduction largely because of the ill will, fear, and resentments engendered, particularly in Europe, by the destructiveness of the last war and the treaties resulting therefrom; and

Whereas a strong indication of the sentiment in Great Britain has just been obtained by a popular referendum wherein the vote on the question of all-around drastic reduction of armaments by international agreement showed over 90 percent in favor of such reduction and agreement, a percentage that well represents the overwhelming public opinion of our land; and

Whereas a 5-year holiday in arms construction accompanied by gradual, drastic, and pro rata reduction in arms, agreed to and carried out by the nations of the world, would be not only the sincerest guarantee of world peace but would also result in bringing national income and national expenditures within balance in all nations, would greatly reduce taxation, would vastly increase the buying power of all countries, and consequently would go far toward restoring to normal the benefits of the world trade, both for agriculture and for the industry; and

Whereas for the further advancement of world trade and therefore for the prosperity of all peoples there should be a revival of confidence in the money units of the world, now so disordered and almost chaotic, by a working stabilization of international currencies under international agreement, such as would inspire confidence in business men and producers everywhere, and which would largely restore normal foreign trade, thus tending to relieve unemployment and to reflate our sadly deflated market value of commodities, securities, and real estate; and

Whereas the United States, by reason of its unprecedented contributions to the World War, its unselfish and equally unprecedented abstention from all the spoils of war at the peace table, in harmony with the magnanimous pronouncements of President McKinley in 1898, and of President Wilson in 1917 (namely, that it is our settled policy not to wage wars of aggression and not to accept the spoils of victory), is in a position to take the lead in a world-wide movement for the solution of these four acute international problems, (1) war debts, (2) disarmament, (3) stabilization of currencies, and (4) a sound revival of world trade, which now so harass the world and retard both economic recovery and world peace, and to the solution of which a world conference should be called to be held at the city of Washington at the earliest convenient and practicable time: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of the United States is requested, if not incompatible with the public interest, to advise such governments as he may deem appropriate that this Government desires at once to take up directly with them, with a view to entering into international agreements and treaties with other nations at a conference to be held in the city of Washington, the following matters: The settlement of the intergovernmental debts, the means of obtaining a substantial curtailment in world armaments and a holiday in world armament construction, the means of securing a stabilization of the currency systems of the world, and the means for reviving world trade, all to such an extent and under such terms as may be agreed upon.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

RELATIONSHIP OF CERTAIN PERSONS TO NATIONAL RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION OR CODE AUTHORITIES

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 142):

Whereas an organized group known as the "Industry and Business Committee for N. R. A. Extension" is admittedly seeking to influence legislation by means of mass demonstrations in Washington and by other methods; and

Whereas this group represents itself as speaking for a large section of business and industry; and

Whereas the chairman and/or the members of said group or committee have openly urged and stimulated a concentration of individuals in the Capital to demand that the Congress enact legislation to meet their wishes; and

Whereas the Industry and Business Committee for N. R. A. Extension has issued lists containing the personnel of its several committees: Be it

Resolved, That the National Recovery Administration be, and hereby is, directed to submit to the Senate of the United States, within 3 days, information showing whether or not any individual or individuals included in these lists, whose names follow, are, or have been, officials or employees of the National Recovery Administration and/or officials or employees of any of the several code authorities, together with total or annual salaries and/or other compensations paid to these individuals by the United States Treasury or from the funds of the code authorities:

Carl Whitney, Sol Herzog, Thurlow H. Gordon, Sylvan Gotshal, David L. Cole, George Nebolsine, Mitchell Shipman, Howard Heydon, G. H. Dorr, Col. Merrill G. Baker, Eric Calamia, Ward Cheney, A. C. Weigel, William Menke, Leo J. Goldberger, A. K. Hamilton, E. M. Dillhoefer, J. H. Whitehead, Kenneth I. Van Cott, David Orans, Frank L. Grennie, Hugo N. Schloss, Nathan Tufts, H. E. Bishop, A. R. Ludlow, Kurt H. Volk, F. H. Baxter, Otto Grimmer, Harry E. Kenworthy, A. C. Knothe, Arthur Hudson Marks, Sol Mutterperl, John Murphy, Alex G. Ritchie, Jacob Roth, E. W. Palmer, Max J. Schneider, John W. Willmore, and George St. John, Jr.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over one day under the rule.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

JOINT ASSEMBLY OF THE TWO HOUSES

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 22) relative to the meeting of both Houses in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Wednesday, May 22, 1935, to receive such communications as the President shall be pleased to make to them,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The Vice President, under rule VII, paragraph 7, laid before the Senate the said concurrent resolution.

Mr. Steiwer submitted a parliamentary inquiry as to whether there was a motion pending before the Senate made prior to the roll call.

The Vice President made the following response: "The Senator from Arkansas [Mr. Robinson] made a motion to proceed to the consideration of the concurrent resolution. It being privileged, however, the Chair had the right to lay it before the Senate, and did so. * * * The resolution is now before the Senate. It is a privileged resolution which involves the organization of the Senate and of the House, held by the Speaker of the House, and the Chair thinks it has been so held by the Senate, to be privileged. Therefore the Chair took the privilege of laying it before the Senate. * * * It (the motion of the Senator from Arkansas [Mr. Robinson]) has been vacated by virtue of the fact that the Chair has laid the concurrent resolution before the Senate."

On the question of agreeing to the concurrent resolution,

Pending debate,

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 20, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill and joint resolution:

S. 1776. An act granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935; and

S. J. Res. 98. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library."

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills, except H. R. 2046 and H. R. 6954, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 29, H. R. 4665, and H. R. 7050 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bills H. R. 3285, H. R. 4505, H. R. 4528, H. R. 5547, H. R. 6859, and H. R. 6997 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bills H. R. 5049 and H. R. 5162 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; that the bills H. R. 5229 and H. R. 5230 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bill H. R. 5382 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; that the bill H. R. 6464 be referred to the Committee on Immigration; and that the bill H. R. 6836 be referred to the Committee on Printing.

HOME MORTGAGES AND HOME OWNERSHIP

On motion by Mr. Bulkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6021) to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

COMMITTEE ON AIR COMMERCE AND CIVIL AVIATION

Mr. Copeland entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the resolution (S. Res. 118) creating a standing Committee on Air Commerce and Civil Aviation.

JOINT ASSEMBLY OF THE TWO HOUSES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 22) relative to the meeting of both Houses in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Wednesday, May 22, 1935, to receive such communications as the President shall be pleased to make to them.

The question being on agreeing to the same,

Mr. Connally raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Radcliffe in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long, during the course of an address by him, yielded to Mr. Schall, who proceeded to make a statement instead of asking a question.

Mr. Connally raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long could not yield except for a question, and could not yield for a speech.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Ashurst in the chair) sustained the question of order.

Pending further debate,

Mr. Long again yielded to Mr. Schall, who proceeded to make a further statement instead of asking a question.

Mr. McKellar raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Schall was not asking a question.

The Presiding Officer sustained the question of order.

Mr. Long, during the course of his remarks, suggested the absence of a quorum;

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Ashurst in the chair) directed the roll to be called.

Mr. Connally raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long had left the Chamber and had surrendered the floor.

The Presiding Officer sustained the point of order.

Mr. Connally obtained the floor.

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon,

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Forty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Guffey, Hale, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, and Truman.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Long raised a question of order, viz, that he had the floor when he called for the quorum.

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long yielded the floor, that no business had been transacted when the quorum was called, and that Mr. Long had spoken twice on the same subject during the present day.

Mr. Long moved that the concurrent resolution be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President held that Mr. Long did not have the floor, and could not make the motion.

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays, being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, were ordered on the question of agreeing to the concurrent resolution.

The Vice President directed the roll to be called; when

Mr. Long addressed the Chair, and having been recognized, proceeded to make a motion.

Mr. Clark raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long did not have the floor for the purpose of making a motion.

The Vice President, sustaining the question of order, said: "No motion can be made by the Senator. The Senator from Louisiana has not the floor, and cannot make a motion."

Mr. Long submitted the parliamentary inquiry, Cannot the concurrent resolution be referred to a committee?

The Vice President ruled that it could not.

Mr. Long stated that he had not finished his speech, and that he had the floor.

Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long had spoken twice on the same subject during the present day.

The Vice President sustained the question of order.

The question being taken on agreeing to the concurrent resolution,

The yeas were 43, and the nays were 4.

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Guffey, Hale, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, and Truman.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Dickinson, Long, Schall, and Steiwer.

The number of Senators voting not constituting a quorum, the Vice President directed the roll to be called:

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, That the Sergeant at Arms be directed to request the attendance of the absent Senators.

Pending the execution of the order,

Mr. Bankhead entered the Chamber and voted in the affirmative.

The Vice President thereupon announced that the yeas were 44, and the nays were 4, and that the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Robinson moved to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. McKeller,

Mr. Robinson's motion was laid on the table.

EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS REFERRED

The Vice President, under the order of the Senate, referred to the appropriate committees, as in executive session, certain nominations this day received from the President of the United States.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 7 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

JOINT ASSEMBLY OF THE TWO HOUSES

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at 12 oclock and 15 minutes p. m. today the Senate proceed to the Hall of the House of Representatives for the joint assembly of the two Houses, authorized by House Concurrent Resolution 22, for the purpose of receiving a communication from the President of the United States.

USELESS PAPERS IN DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Assistant to the Secretary of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of papers in the files of the Department of Labor which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Department and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Walsh and Mr. Borah as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting supplemental estimates of appropriations for the Legislative Establishment, pertaining to the Architect of the Capitol, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $42,650; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of the Los Angeles (Calif.) Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants, praying an amendment to the proposed Banking Act of 1935 relating to an extension of credit on manufactured goods; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Cleveland, favoring the enactment of antilynching legislation;

A petition of citizens of the State of Michigan praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions;

A telegram from William J. Wheeler, of Ottawa, Ill., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

Telegrams from citizens of the United States praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of St. Petersburg, Fla., praying the enactment of legislation to take over the medium of exchange and regulate the value thereof and to pay all debts and obligations of the Government with legal tender, and to tax each State yearly according to area and population for the purpose of stabilizing the basic value of the legal tender; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A petition of shippers and growers of Seminole County, Fla., praying the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

A resolution adopted by the Kings County District Council, Steuben Society of America, favoring the enactment of legislation to amend the Constitution to provide for a referendum on the declaration of war; and

A resolution adopted by the Women's Republican Club, of College Point, N. Y., favoring an equal rights amendment to the Constitution.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Pulaski, N. Y., favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be designated General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of Local Union No. 4, United Association of Journeymen Plumbers and Steam Fitters, of Worcester, and Haverhill Central Labor Union, of Haverhill, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation providing a graduated tax on cigarettes; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Lady Garfield Council, No. 3, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Springfield, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to weaken the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of David W. Wright Lodge, No. 549, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, of Greenfield, and a petition of citizens of Worcester, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the enactment of legislation favorable to railroad employees; and

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the payment of the so-called "soldiers' bonus."

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2811) to authorize and adopt certain Public Works projects for controlling floods, improving navigation, regulating the flow of certain streams of the United States, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 644) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2405) to provide for a special clerk and liaison officer, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 645) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, submitted a revised report (No. 646) on the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes; which was ordered to be substituted for the report (No. 361) heretofore submitted.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 136) relative to gratuities charged in settlements with the Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 647) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indians Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S.1521. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District Numbered 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children (Rept. No. 648); and

S. 2094. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont. (Rept. No. 649).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2880) to authorize and approve the donation to the State of California, the city of Los Angeles, and the county of Los Angeles, by the organizing committee of the Olympic Games held in California in 1932, of moneys derived from said games free of Federal taxes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 2881) creating the Decatur-Onawa Bridge Board of Trustees and authorizing said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the towns of Decatur, Nebr., and Onawa, Iowa; and

A bill (S. 2882) to create the South Sioux City Bridge Board of Trustees and to authorize said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the cities of South Sioux City, Nebr., and Sioux City, Iowa; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2883) to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2884) giving superintendents at classified post-office stations credit for substitutes serving under them; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 2885) for the relief of Capt. Karl Minnigerode; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2886) temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

MEDALS FOR PRESENTATION TO SENATOR MOORE AND OTHERS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 1874) to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented to Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, Capt. John Bogan, Sr., and the members of the crew of the fishing boat *Paramount*, be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 21, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1803) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games.

GREEN LAKE FISH CULTURAL STATION, MAINE

On motion by Mr. White, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 6954) to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park, yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 1148) of a similar title was reconsidered by unanimous consent; and

Ordered, That the said bill be postponed indefinitely.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

The residue of the reported amendments, with the exception of that on page 49, line 18, were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 49, line 18,

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives having proceeded to reconsider the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, returned by the President of the United States, with his objections, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated; it was

Resolved, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. TOWNSEND in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Mr. McKellar raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

JOINT ASSEMBLY OF THE TWO HOUSES

The hour of 12 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m. having arrived,

The Senate, under its order of today, proceeded to the Hall of the House of Representatives for the joint assembly of the two Houses, authorized by House Concurrent Resolution 22, for the purpose of receiving a communication from the President of the United States; and

The two Houses being assembled,

The President of the United States delivered an address in connection with the return, without his approval, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, said message having been subsequently sent to the Senate by the House of Representatives and entered at large on its Journal.

Upon the conclusion of the address, the joint meeting was dissolved; and, at 1 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.,

The Senate returned to its Chamber.

AT 1 O'CLOCK AND 15 MINUTES P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

APPROPRIATION FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, on page 4, line 4,

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenburg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, transmitting to the Senate the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes, returned by the President of the United States, with his objections, to the House, in which it originated, and passed by that body upon a reconsideration thereof.

The message of the President was read, as follows:

Mr. Speaker, Members of the House of Representatives, 2 days ago a number of gentlemen from the House of Representatives called upon me and with complete propriety presented their reasons for asking me to approve the House of Representatives bill providing for the immediate payment of adjusted-service certificates. In the same spirit of courtesy I am returning this bill today to the House of Representatives. As I told the gentlemen who waited upon me, I have never doubted the good faith lying behind the reasons which have caused them and the majority of the Congress to advocate this bill. In the same spirit I come before you dispassionately and in good faith to give you, as simply as I can, the reasons which compel me to give it my disapproval.

And I am glad that the Senate by coming here in joint session gives me opportunity to give my reasons in person to the other House of the Congress.

As to the right and the propriety of the President in addressing the Congress in person, I am very certain that I have never in the past disagreed, and will never in the future disagree, with the Senate or the House of Representatives as to the constitutionality of the procedure. With your permission, I should like to continue from time to time to act as my own messenger.

Eighteen years ago the United States engaged in the World War. A Nation of 120,000,000 people was united in the purpose of victory. The millions engaged in agriculture toiled to provide the raw materials and foodstuffs for our armies and for the nations with whom we were associated. Many other millions employed in industry labored to create the materials for the active conduct of the war on land and sea.

Out of this vast army consisting of the whole working population of the Nation, 4¾ million men volunteered or were drafted into the armed forces of the United States. One-half of them remained within our American continental limits, the other half served overseas; and of these, 1,400,000 saw service in actual combat.

The people and the Government of the United States have shown a proper and generous regard for the sacrifices and patriotism of all of the 4¾ million men who were in uniform no matter where they served.

At the outbreak of the war, the President and the Congress sought and established an entirely new policy, however, in order to guide the granting of financial aid to soldiers and sailors. Remembering the unfortunate results that came from the lack of a veterans' policy after the Civil War, they determined that a prudent and sound principle of insurance should supplant the uncertainties and unfairness of direct bounties. At the same time their policy encompassed the most complete care for those who had suffered disabilities in service. With respect to the grants made within the lines of this general policy, the President and the Congress have fully recognized that those who served in uniform deserved certain benefits to which other citizens of the Republic were not entitled, and in which they could not participate.

In line with these sound and fair principles, many benefits have been provided for veterans.

During the war itself provision was made for Government allowances for the families and other dependents of enlisted men in service. Disability and death compensation was provided for casualties in line of duty.

The original provisions for these benefits have been subsequently changed and liberalized many times by the Congress. Later generous presumptions for veterans who became ill after the termination of the war were written into the statute to help veterans in their claims for disability. As a result of this liberal legislation for disability and for death compensation, 1,140,000 men and women have been benefited.

During the war the Government started a system of voluntary insurance at peace-time rates for men and women in the service.

Generous provision has been made for hospitalization, vocational training, and rehabilitation of veterans. You are familiar with this excellent care given to the sick and disabled.

In addition to these direct benefits, Congress has given recognition to the interest and welfare of veterans in employment matters, through veteran preference in the United States civil service, in the selection of employees under the Public Works Administration, through the establishment of a veterans' employment unit in the Department of Labor, and through provisions favoring veterans in the selection of those employed in the Civilian Conservation Corps. Many States have likewise given special bonuses in cash and veterans' preferences in State and local public employment.

Furthermore, unemployed veterans as a group have benefited more largely than any other group from the expenditure of the great public works appropriation of $3,300,000,000 made by the Congress in 1933, and under which we are still operating. In like manner the new $4,000,000,000 Work Relief Act seeks to give employment to practically every veteran who is receiving relief.

We may measure the benefits extended from the fact that there has been expended up to the end of the last fiscal year more than $7,800,000,000 for these items in behalf of the veterans of the World War, not including sums spent for home or work relief. With our current annual expenditures of some $450,000,000 and the liquidation of outstanding obligations under term insurance and the payment of the service certificates, it seems safe to predict that by the year 1945 we will have expended $13,500,000,000. This is a sum equal to more than three-fourths of the entire cost of our participation in the World War, and 10 years from now most of the veterans of that war will be barely past the half-century mark.

Payments have been and are being made only to veterans of the World War and their dependents, and not to civilian workers who helped to win that war.

In the light of our established principles and policies let us consider the case of adjusted compensation. Soon after the close of the war a claim was made by several veterans' organizations that they should be paid some adjusted compensation for their time in uniform. After a complete and fair presentation of the whole subject, followed by full debate in the Congress of the United States, a settlement was reached in 1924.

This settlement provided for adjustment in compensation during service by an additional allowance per day for actual service rendered. Because cash payment was not to be made immediately, this basic allowance was increased by 25 percent, and to this was added at compound interest for 20 years, the whole to be paid in 1945. The result of this computation was that an amount two and one-half times the original grant would be paid at maturity.

Taking the average case as an example, the Government acknowledged a claim of $400 to be due. This $400, under the provisions of the settlement, with the addition of the 25 percent for deferred payment and the compound interest from that time until 1945, would amount to the sum of $1,000 in 1945. The veteran was thereupon given a certificate containing an agreement by the Government to pay him this $1,000 in 1945, or to pay it to his family if he died at any time before 1945. In effect, it was a paid-up endowment policy in the average case for $1,000 payable in 1945, or sooner in the event of death. Under the provisions of this settlement, the total obligation of $1,400,000,000 in 1924 produced a maturity or face value of $3,500,000,000 in 1945.

Since 1924 the only major change in the original settlement was the act of 1931, under which veterans were authorized to borrow up to 50 percent of the face value of their certificates as of 1945. Three million veterans have already borrowed, under this provision, an amount which, with interest charges, totals $1,700,000,000.

The bill before me provides for the immediate payment of the 1945 value of the certificates. It means paying $1,600,000,000 more than the present value of the certificates. It requires an expenditure of more than $2,200,000,000 in cash for this purpose. It directs payment to the veterans of a much larger sum than was contemplated in the 1924 settlement. It is nothing less than a complete abandonment of that settlement. It is a new straight gratuity or bounty to the amount of $1,600,000,000. It destroys the insurance protection for the dependents of the veterans provided in the original plan. For the remaining period of 10 years they will have lost this insurance.

This proposal, I submit, violates the entire principle of veterans' benefits so carefully formulated at the time of the war and also the entire principle of the adjusted-certificate settlement of 1924.

What are the reasons presented in this bill for this fundamental change in policy? They are set forth with care in a number of "whereas" clauses at the beginning of the bill.

The first of these states, as reasons for the cash payment of these certificates at this time, that it will increase the purchasing power of millions of the consuming public; that it will provide relief for many who are in need because of economic conditions; and that it will lighten the relief burden of cities, counties, and States. The second states that payment will not create any additional debt. The third states that payment now will be an effective method of spending money to hasten recovery.

These are the enacted reasons for the passage of this bill. Let me briefly analyze them.

First, the spending of this sum, it cannot be denied, would result in some expansion of retail trade. But it must be noted that retail trade has already expanded to a condition that compares favorably with conditions before the depression. However, to resort to the kind of financial practice provided in this bill would not improve the conditions necessary to expand those industries in which we have the greatest unemployment. The Treasury notes issued under the terms of this bill we know from past experience, would return quickly to the banks. We know, too, that the banks have at this moment more than ample credit with which to expand the activities of business and industry generally. The ultimate effect of this bill will not in the long run justify the expectations that have been raised by those who argue for it.

The next reason in the first "whereas" clause is that present payment will provide relief for many who are in need because of economic conditions. The Congress has just passed an act to provide work relief for such citizens. Some veterans are on the relief rolls, though relatively not nearly as many as is the case with nonveterans. Assume, however, that such a veteran served in the United States or overseas during the war; that he came through in fine physical shape, as most of them did; that he received an honorable discharge; that he is today 38 years old and in full possession of his faculties and health; that, like several million other Americans, he is receiving from his Government relief and assistance in one of many forms—I hold that that able-bodied citizen, because he wore a uniform, and for no other reason, should be accorded no treatment different from that accorded to other citizens who did not wear a uniform during the World War.

The third reason given in the first "whereas" clause is that payment today would lighten the relief burden of municipalities. Why, I ask, should the Congress lift that burden in respect only to those who wore the uniform? Is it not better to treat every able-bodied American alike and to carry out the great relief program adopted by this Congress in a spirit of equality to all? This applies to every other unit of Government throughout the Nation.

The second "whereas" clause, which states that the payment of certificates will create an additional debt, raises a fundamental question of sound finance. To meet a claim of one group by this deceptively easy method of payment will raise similar demands for the payment of claims of other groups. It is easy to see the ultimate result of meeting recurring demands by the issuance of Treasury notes. It invites an ultimate reckoning in uncontrollable prices and in the destruction of the value of savings that will strike most cruelly those like the veterans who seem to be temporarily benefited. The first person injured by skyrocketing prices is the man on a fixed income. Every disabled veteran on a pension or allowance is on fixed income. This bill favors the able-bodied veteran at the expense of the disabled veteran.

Wealth is not created, nor is it more equitably distributed by this method. A government, like an individual, must ultimately meet legitimate obligations out of the production of wealth by the labor of human beings applied to the resources of nature. Every country that has attempted the form of meeting its obligations which is here provided has suffered disastrous consequences.

In the majority of cases printing-press money has not been retired through taxation. Because of increased costs, caused by inflated prices, new issue has followed new issue, ending in the ultimate wiping out of the currency of the afflicted country. In a few cases, like our own in the period of the Civil War, the printing of Treasury notes to cover an emergency has fortunately not resulted in actual disaster and collapse, but has nevertheless caused this Nation untold troubles, economic and political, for a whole generation.

The statement in this same second "whereas" clause that payment will discharge and retire an acknowledged contract obligation of the Government is, I regret to say, not in accordance with the fact. It wholly omits and disregards the fact that this contract obligation is due in 1945 and not today.

If I, as an individual, owe you, an individual Member of the Congress, $1,000 payable in 1945, it is not a correct statement for you to tell me that I owe you $1,000 today. As a matter of practical fact, if I put $750 into a Government savings bond today and make that bond out in your name you will get $1,000 on the due date, 10 years from now. My debt to you today, therefore, cannot under the remotest possibility be considered more than $750.

The final "whereas" clause, stating that spending the money is the most effective means of hastening recovery, is so ill considered that little comment is necessary. Every authorization of expenditure by the Seventy-third Congress in its session of 1933 and 1934, and every appropriation by the Seventy-fourth Congress to date, for recovery purposes, has been predicated not on the mere spending of money to hasten recovery, but on the sounder principle of preventing the loss of homes and farms, of saving industry from bankruptcy, of safeguarding bank deposits, and, most important of all, of giving relief and jobs through public work to indi-

viduals and families faced with starvation. These greater and broader concerns of the American people have a prior claim for our consideration at this time. They have the right-of-way.

There is before this Congress legislation providing old-age benefits and a greater measure of security for all workers against the hazards of unemployment. We are also meeting the pressing necessities of those who are now unemployed and in need of immediate relief. In all of this every veteran shares.

To argue for this bill as a relief measure is to indulge in the fallacy that the welfare of the country can be generally served by extending relief on some basis other than actual deserving need.

The core of the question is that a man who is sick or under some other special disability because he was a soldier should certainly be assisted as such. But if a man is suffering from economic need because of the depression, even though he is a veteran, he must be placed on a par with all of the other victims of the depression. The veteran who is disabled owes his condition to the war. The healthy veteran who is unemployed owes his troubles to the depression. Each presents a separate and different problem. Any attempt to mingle the two problems is to confuse our efforts.

Even the veteran who is on relief will benefit only temporarily by this measure, because the payment of this sum to him will remove him from the group entitled to relief if the ordinary rules of relief agencies are followed. For him this measure would give, but it would also take away. In the end he would be the loser.

The veteran who suffers from this depression can best be aided by the rehabilitation of the country as a whole. His country with honor and gratitude returned him at the end of the war to the citizenry from which he came. He became once more a member of the great civilian population. His interests became identified with its fortunes and also with its misfortunes.

Some years ago it was well said by the distinguished Senior Senator from Idaho that "The soldier of this country cannot be aided except as the country itself is rehabilitated. The soldier cannot come back except as the people as a whole come back. The soldier cannot prosper unless the people prosper. He has now gone back and intermingled and become a part of the citizenship of the country; he is wrapped up in its welfare or in its adversity. The handing out to him of a few dollars will not benefit him under such circumstances, whereas it will greatly injure the prospects of the country and the restoration of normal conditions."

It is generally conceded that the settlement by adjusted-compensation certificates made in 1924 was fair and it was accepted as fair by the overwhelming majority of World War veterans themselves.

I have much sympathy for the argument that some who remained at home in civilian employ enjoyed special privilege and unwarranted remuneration. That is true, bitterly true, but a recurrence of that type of war profiteering can and must be prevented in any future war.

I invite the Congress and the veterans with the great masses of the American population to join with me in progressive efforts to root a recurrence of such injustice out of American life. But we should not destroy privilege and create new privilege at the same time. Two wrongs do not make a right.

The herculean task of the United States Government today is to take care that its citizens have the necessities of life. We are seeking honestly and honorably to do this, irrespective of class or group. Rightly, we give preferential treatment to those men who were wounded, disabled, or who became ill as a result of war service. Rightly, we give care to those who subsequently have become ill. The others—and they represent the great majority—are today in the prime of life, are today in full bodily vigor. They are American citizens who should be accorded equal privileges and equal rights to enjoy life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness—no less and no more.

It is important to make one more point. In accordance with the mandate of the Congress, our budget has been set. The public has accepted it. On that basis this Congress has made and is making its appropriations. That budget asked for appropriations in excess of receipts to the extent of four billions of dollars. The whole of that deficit was to be applied for work relief for the unemployed. That was a single-minded, definite purpose. Every unemployed veteran on the relief rolls was included in that proposed deficit—he will be taken care of out of it.

I cannot in honesty assert to you that to increase that deficit this year by $2,200,000,000 will in itself bankrupt the United States. Today the credit of the United States is safe. But it cannot ultimately be safe if we engage in a policy of yielding to each and all of the groups that are able to enforce upon the Congress claims for special consideration. To do so is to abandon the principle of Government by and for the American people and to put in its place Government by and for political coercion by minorities. We can afford all that we need; but we cannot afford all that we want.

I do not need to be a prophet to assert that if these certificates, due in 1945, are paid in full today, every candidate for election to the Senate or to the House of Representatives will in the near future be called upon in the name of patriotism to support general pension legislation for all veterans, regardless of need or age.

Finally, I invite your attention to the fact that solely from the point of view of the good credit of the United States, the complete failure of the Congress to provide additional taxes for an additional expenditure of this magnitude would in itself and by itself alone warrant disapproval of this measure.

I well know the disappointment that the performance of my duty in this matter will occasion to many thousands of my fellow citizens. I well realize that some who favor this bill are moved by a true desire to benefit the veterans of the World War and to contribute to the welfare of the Nation. These citizens will, however, realize that I bear an obligation as President and as Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy, which extends to all groups, to all citizens, to the present, and to the future. I cannot be true to the office I hold if I do not weigh the claims of all in the scales of equity. I cannot swerve from this moral obligation.

I am thinking of those who served their country in the Army and in the Navy during the period which convulsed the entire civilized world. I saw their service at first hand at home and overseas. I am thinking of those millions of men and women who increased crops, who made munitions, who ran our railroads, who worked in the mines, who loaded our ships during the war period.

I am thinking of those who died in the cause of America here and abroad, in uniform and out; I am thinking of the widows and orphans of all of them; I am thinking of 5,000,000 of Americans who, with their families, are today in dire need, supported in whole or in part by Federal, State, and local governments who have decreed that they shall not starve. I am thinking not only of the past, not only of today, but of the years to come. In this future of ours it is of first importance that we yield, not to the sympathy which we would extend to a single group or class by special legislation for that group or class, but that we should extend assistance to all groups and all classes who in an emergency need the helping hand of their Government.

I believe the welfare of the Nation, as well as the future welfare of the veterans, wholly justifies my disapproval of this measure.

Therefore, Mr. Speaker, I return, without my approval, House of Representatives bill no. 3896, providing for the immediate payment to veterans of the 1945 face value of their adjusted-service certificates.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *May 22, 1935.*

The Senate proceeded, as the Constitution prescribes, to reconsider the said bill, which is in the following words:

H. R. 3896

SEVENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: AT THE FIRST SESSION, BEGUN AND HELD AT THE CITY OF WASHINGTON ON THURSDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT To provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes

Whereas the immediate cash payment of the adjusted-service certificates will increase tremendously the purchasing power of millions of the consuming public, distributed uniformly throughout the Nation, and will provide relief for the holders thereof who are in dire need and distress because of the present unfortunate economic conditions; and will lighten immeasurably the burden which cities, counties, and States are now required to carry for relief; and

Whereas the payment of said certificates will not create any additional debt, but will discharge and retire an acknowledged contract obligation of the Government; and

Whereas since the Government of the United States is now definitely committed to the policy of spending additional sums of money for the purpose of hastening recovery from the present economic crisis, the immediate cash payment at face value of the adjusted-service certificates, with cancelation of interest accrued and refund of interest paid, is a most effective means to that end: Therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title V of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof three new sections, to read as follows:

Payment of certificates before maturity

Sec. 509. (a) The Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is authorized and directed to pay to any veteran to whom an adjusted-service certificate has been issued, upon application by him and surrender of the certificate and all rights thereunder (with or without the consent of the beneficiary thereof), the amount of the face value of the certificate as computed in accordance with section 501.

(b) No payment shall be made under this section until the certificate is in the possession of the Veterans' Administration, nor until all obligations for which the certificate was held as security have been paid or otherwise discharged.

(c) If at the time of application to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs for payment under this section the principal and interest on or in respect of any loan upon the certificate have not been paid in full by the veterans (whether or not the loan has matured), then, on request of the veteran, the Administrator shall (1) pay or otherwise discharge such unpaid principal and so much of such unpaid interest (accrued or to accrue) as is necessary to make the certificate available for payment under this section, and (2) deduct from the amount of the face value of the certificate the amount of such principal and so much of such interest, if any, as accrued prior to October 1, 1931.

(d) Upon payment under this section the certificate and all rights thereunder shall be canceled.

(e) A veteran may receive the benefits of this section by application therefor, filed with the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs. Such application may be made and filed at any time before the maturity of the certificate (1) personally by the veteran, or (2) in case physical or mental incapacity prevents the making or filing of a personal application, then by such representative of the veteran and in such manner as may be by regulations prescribed. An application made by a person other than a representative authorized by such regulations, or not filed on or before the maturity of the certificate, shall be held void.

(f) If the veteran dies after the application is made and before it is filed, it may be filed by any person. If the veteran dies after the application is made, it shall be valid if the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs finds that it bears the bona fide signature of the applicant, discloses an intention to claim the benefit of this section on behalf of the veteran, and is filed before the maturity of the certificate, whether or not the veteran is alive at the time it is filed. If the death occurs after the application is made or filed but before the receipt of the payment under this act, payment shall be made to the beneficiary designated.

(g) Where the records of the Veterans' Administration show that an application, disclosing an intention to claim the benefits of this section, has been filed before the maturity of the certificate, and the application cannot be found, such application shall be presumed, in the absence of affirmative evidence to the contrary, to have been valid when originally filed.

Sec. 510. (a) If, at the time this section takes effect, a veteran entitled to receive an adjusted-service certificate has not made application therefor, he shall be entitled, upon application made under section 302, to receive at his option either the certificate under section 501 or payment of the amount of the face value thereof under section 509.

(b) Subdivisions (b) and (c) of section 302, section 311, subdivision (b) of section 312, section 602, and subdivision (b) of section 604 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 38, secs. 612, 621, 622, 662, and 664), and hereby amended, to take effect as of December 31, 1934, by striking out "January 2, 1935" wherever it appears in such subdivisions and sections and inserting in lieu thereof "January 2, 1940."

Sec. 511. The Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, in the exercise of his powers to make regulations for payment under section 509, shall to the fullest extent practicable provide a method by which veterans may present their applications and receive payment in close proximity to the places of their residence.

SEC. 2. (a) Payment of the face value of adjusted-service certificates under section 509 or section 510 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, shall be made in United States notes not bearing intrest. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to issue such notes in such amount as may be required to make such payment, and of the same wording, form, size, and denominations as United States notes issued under existing law, except that the wording thereon shall conform to the provisions of this act. The Administrator of Veterans' Affairs and the Secretary of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed jointly to prescribe rules and regulations for the delivery of such notes in payment under section 509 or section 510 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, and there is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury such amount of such notes as may be necessary to make such payment.

(b) United States notes issued pursuant to the provisions of this act shall be lawful money of the United States and shall be fixed by law. Such notes shall be legal tender in payment of all debts and dues, public and private, and shall be receivable for customs, taxes, and all public dues, and when so received shall be reissued. Such notes, when held by any national-banking association or Federal Reserve bank, may be counted as a part of its lawful reserve. The provisions of sections 1 and 2 of the act of March 14, 1900, as amended (U. S. C., title 31, secs. 314 and 408), and section 26 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 31, sec. 409), are hereby made applicable to such notes in the same manner and to the same extent as such provisions shall apply at the time of the enactment of this act or in the future to United States notes.

SEC. 3. (a) Whenever the index number of the wholesale all-commodity prices rise above the index number of such prices for the years 1921 to 1929, as computed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor, notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary, the following methods for contracting the issues of currency in the United States may be in force and effect, in the manner and to the extent prescribed in subsection (b) of this section:

(1) Termination of the issuance and reissuance of Federal Reserve notes secured by direct obligations of the United States.

(2) Termination of the issuance and reissuance of national-bank circulating notes, and the retirement of such notes from circulation as rapidly as practicable.

(3) Termination of the issuance and reissuance of Federal Reserve notes secured only by gold or gold certificates.

(4) Termination of the issuance and reissuance of Federal Reserve notes secured by notes, drafts, bills of exchange, acceptances, or bankers' acceptances which are not issued in direct benefit of commerce, industry, or agriculture.

(b) Any such method of contracting currency issues may be applicable when the Secretary of the Treasury finds that its application is necessary in order to maintain the index number of wholesale all-commodity prices at the approximate level of the index number of such prices for the years 1921 to 1929, or to prevent undue expansion of the currency, and issues an order setting forth such finding. Each such order shall prescribe such rules and regulations as are necessary and appropriate to carry out the provisions of this section with respect to the method of contraction made applicable in the order. The Secretary may make such methods applicable in the order in which they are set forth in subsection (a) of this section, or in any order he chooses. When any such order is issued with respect to Federal Reserve notes, the Federal Reserve Board shall take such action as may be necessary to facilitate the enforcement of the order.

SEC. 4. Section 505 (authorizing annual appropriations ending with the year 1946 for the payment of adjusted-service certificates of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended), except the first sentence thereof, is hereby repealed. Amounts in the adjusted-service certificate fund are hereby made available for the expenses of printing and engraving United States notes issued under this Act, for paying fractional parts of a dollar which cannot be paid in United States notes issued under the provisions of this Act, and for paying the principal and interest on or in respect of loans pursuant to the provisions of subsection (c) of section 509 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended.

SEC. 5. This Act may be cited as "the Adjusted Compensation Act, 1935."

JOSEPH W. BYRNS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JNO. N. GARNER,
Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

(Endorsement:) I certify that this act originated in the House of Representatives.

SOUTH TRIMBLE, *Clerk.*

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) stated the question to be, Shall the bill pass, the objections of the President of the United States to the contrary notwithstanding?

On motion by Mr. Robinson and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at not later than 5 o'clock p. m. today, the Senate take a recess until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow; that at said hour the Senate resume the consideration of the veto message and continue same to its final disposition; and that no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 30 minutes on the subject matter.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2311) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 378) for the relief of Gerald Mackey.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 2045. An act to set aside certain lands for the Leech Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota; and

H. R. 7131. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed 18 enrolled bills, viz, S. 82, S. 1222, S. 1342, S. 1680, S. 1987, H. R. 157, H. R. 972, H. R. 1846, H. R. 2192, H. R. 2294, H. R. 3721, H. R. 3975, H. R. 4005, H. R. 4239, H. R. 5444, H. R. 5707, H. R. 6021, and H. R. 6654, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 249, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 82. An act to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work;

S. 1222. An act to further extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.;

S. 1342. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to Board of County Commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.";

S. 1680. An act to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof;

S. 1987. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.;

H. R. 157. An act to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

H. R. 972. An act for the relief of John Costigan;

H. R. 1846. An act for the relief of Daniel W. Seal;

H. R. 2192. An act for the relief of Harry B. Walmsley;

H. R. 2294. An act for the relief of Thaddeus C. Knight;

H. R. 3721. An act for the relief of Angelo J. Gillotti;

H. R. 3975. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach;

H. R. 4005. An act to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the time of making the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission;

H. R. 4239. An act authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Mich., certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Mich.;

H. R. 5444. An act to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5707. An act to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000;

H. R. 6021. An act to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6654. An act to increase the White House police force, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 249. Joint resolution to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 49, line 18,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Lonergan in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Byrnes,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, at 4 o'clock and 32 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, under its order of today, until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ADJUSTED-COMPENSATION OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, resumed the reconsideration of the bill (H. R. 3896) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, for controlled expansion of the currency, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.

The question being, Shall the bill pass, the objection of the President of the United States to the contrary notwithstanding?

Pending debate,

Mr. Russell raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

On the question, Shall the bill pass, the objections of the President of the United States to the contrary notwithstanding?

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 54 / Nays---------- 49 }

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hatch, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Long, McAdoo,

McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Couzens, Dieterich, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill do not pass, two-thirds of the Senators present not having voted in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

NOTICE OF MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE XVI

Mr. Clark, pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, gave notice in writing that he would hereafter move to suspend paragraphs 1 and 4 of rule XVI, relating to amendments to general appropriation bills, for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, certain amendments proposing to amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act so as to provide for the payment of adjusted-service certificates before maturity.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 6630. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Rio Grande City, Tex.;

H. R. 6834. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing Vernon W. O'Connor, of St. Paul, Minn., his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn.";

H. R. 6914. An act to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests, and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7291. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Boca Chica, Tex.;

H. R. 7873. An act to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767);

H. J. Res. 107. Joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; and

H. J. Res. 285. Joint resolution to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts, as follows:

On May 14, 1935:

H. R. 4442. An act making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On May 15, 1935:

H. R. 6084. An act to authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed $1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the electric-light and power, water, and telephone properties of the Citizens' Light, Power & Water Co. and to finance and operate the same, and validating the preliminary proceedings with respect thereto, and for other purposes.

On May 17, 1935:

H. R. 6718. An act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On May 20, 1935:

H. R. 3808. An act concerning the incorporated town of Seward, Territory of Alaska.

The Speaker of the House having signed 4 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 378, H. R. 2045, H. R. 6954, and H. R. 7131, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 6630, H. R. 6834, and H. R. 7291 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bill H. R. 6914 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; that the bill H. R. 7873 be referred to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation; that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 107) be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; and that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 285) be referred to the Committee on Immigration.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 378. An act for the relief of Gerald Mackey;

H. R. 2045. An act to set aside certain lands for the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota;

H. R. 6954. An act to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to Acadia National Park; and

H. R. 7131. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials:

A petition of Joe Sullivan, of Greggton, Tex., praying the enactment of old-age pension legislation;

A memorial of Miss Katie L. Carnegie, of Painesville, Ohio, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public utility companies;

A telegram from the Peace Action Committee, of Evanston, Ill., remonstrating against the passage of the so-called "bonus bill" over the President's veto; and

Telegrams from the Sioux Falls Press, of Sioux Falls, S. Dak., and citizens and veterans' organizations in the United States, urging the passage of the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 373. An act for the relief of the American Surety Co. of New York (Rept. No. 650);

H. R. 805. An act for the relief of Luther M. Turpin and Amanda Turpin (Rept No. 651); and

H. R. 1291. An act for the relief of the Muncy Valley Private Hospital (Rept. No. 652).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2708) for the relief of James M. Pace, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 653) thereon.

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1690. A bill for the relief of R. G. Andis (Rept. No. 654);

H. R. 1315. An act for the relief of Thomas J. Gould (Rept. No. 655); and

H. R. 4817. An act for the relief of Matthew E. Hanna (Rept. No. 656).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 1703. An act for the relief of Cletus F. Hoban (Rept. No. 657); and

H. R. 2689. An act for the relief of Mary Ford Conrad (Rept. No. 658).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 760) for the relief of John L. Hoffman, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 659) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 490. A bill for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd (Rept. No. 660);

S. 1070. A bill for the relief of William A. Thompson (Rept. No. 661); and

S. 1935. A bill for the relief of Marion Shober Phillips (Rept. No. 662).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1448. A bill for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918 (Rept. No. 663); and

H. R. 1492. An act for the relief of Harbor Springs, Mich. (Rept. No. 664).

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 280. A bill for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnston, and Esther L. Teckmeyer (Rept. No. 665);

S. 1656. A bill for the relief of Ward J. Lawton (Rept. No. 666); and

H. R. 285. An act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Halpin (Rept. No. 667).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 658. A bill for the relief of K. W. Boring (Rept. No. 668);

S. 1040. A bill for the relief of George W. Miller (Rept. No. 669);

S. 1046. A bill for the relief of E. Jeanmonod (Rept. No. 670);

S. 1052. A bill for the relief of The Washington Post Co. (Rept. No. 671);

S. 2076. A bill for the relief of Domenico Politano (Rept. No. 672);

S. 2393. A bill for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton (Rept. No. 673);

H. R. 2987. An act for the relief of E. W. Tarrence (Rept. No. 674); and

H. R. 4630. An act for the relief of William A. Ray (Rept. No. 675).

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6372) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the Cabeza de Vaca Expedition and the opening of the Old Spanish Trail, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 676) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4528. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La. (Rept. No. 677);

H. R. 5547. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Des Moines River at or near St. Francisville, Mo. (Rept. No. 678);

H. R. 6859. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of North Carolina to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Waccamaw River at or near Old Pireway Ferry Crossing, N. C. (Rept. No. 679);

H. R. 6630. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Rio Grande City, Tex. (Rept. No. 680);

H. R. 6997. An act authorizing the State of Illinois and the State of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River between Kaskaskia Island, Ill., and St. Marys, Mo. (Rept. No. 681); and

H. R. 7291. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Boca Chica, Tex. (Rept. No. 682).

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 578) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 683) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2635) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., and others, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 684) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 685) thereon.

Mr. Hastings submitted the views of a minority of the Committee on Interstate Commerce on the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes; which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 621.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

Executive reports were submitted, by unanimous consent, as follows:

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the international convention for the protection of industrial property, signed at London on June 2, 1934, by the plenipotentiaries of the United States of America and 28 other countries, at an international conference convened for the purpose of revising the convention of the international union for the protection of industrial property, signed at Paris on March 20, 1883, as revised at Brussells on December 14, 1900, at Washington on June 2, 1911, and at The Hague on November 6, 1925, reported it favorably and submitted a report (Exec. No. 9) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nomination of Norman Armour, of New Jersey, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Canada, reported it favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Raymond R. Staubus to be postmaster at Cissna Park, Ill., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

Mr. Schall, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Clifford A. Hedquist to be postmaster at Argyle, Minn., and certain other post-office nominations in that State, reported them favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2887) authorizing the Perry County Bridge Commission of Perry County, Ind., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cannelton, Ind.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2888) to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2889) to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2890) for the relief of Ralph H. Lasher, whose name appears in the Army records as Ralph C. Lasher; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2891) to provide for the adjustment and settlement of personal injury and death cases arising in certain foreign countries; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 135) authorizing the President to make payment or settlement of the adjusted-service certificates issued to veterans of the World War, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 136) authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

FARM CREDIT ACT OF 1935

Mr. Fletcher submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the amendment of the House, insert the following:

That this act may be cited as the "Farm Credit Act of 1935."

Sec. 2. (a) Section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1016), is further amended by striking out of the third sentence the following: "and made for the purpose of reducing and refinancing an existing mortgage".

(b) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the fifth sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Loans may be made under this section for any of the purposes for which Federal land banks are authorized by law to make loans, and for the following additional purpose, and none other: Refinancing, either in connection with proceedings under chapter VIII of the Bankruptcy Act of July 1, 1898, as amended, or otherwise, any indebtedness, secured or unsecured, of the farmer, or which is secured by a lien on all or any part of the farm property accepted as security for the loan."

(c) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the seventh sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "As used in this section, (1) the term 'farmer' means any person who is at the time, or shortly to become, bona fide engaged in farming operations, either personally or through an agent or tenant, or the principal part of whose income is derived from farming operations or livestock raising, and includes a personal representative of a deceased farmer; (2) the term 'person' includes an individual or a corporation engaged in the raising of livestock; and (3) the term 'corporation' includes any incorporated association; but no such loan shall be made to a corporation (A) unless all the stock of the corporation is owned by individuals themselves personally actually engaged in the raising of livestock on the land to be mortgaged as security for the loan, except in a case where the Land Bank Commissioner permits the loan if at least 75 per centum in value and number of shares of the stock of the corporation is owned by the individuals personally actually so engaged, and (B) unless the owners of at least 75 per centum in value and number of shares of the stock of the corporation assume personal liability for the loan. No loan shall be made to any corporation which is a subsidiary of, or affiliated (either directly or through substantial identity of stock ownership) with, a corporation ineligible to procure a loan in the amount applied for."

(d) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the eighth and ninth sentences and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Until February 1, 1940, the Land Bank Commissioner shall, in his name, make loans under this section on behalf of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, and may make such loans in cash or in bonds of the corporation, or if acceptable to the borrower, in consolidated farm loan bonds; but no such loans shall be made by him after February 1, 1940, except for the purpose of refinancing loans previously made by him under this section. As much as may be necessary of the assets of the corporation, including the bonds (and proceeds thereof) issued under section 4 of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation Act, may be used for the purposes of this section."

(e) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by inserting at the end thereof the following: "Any Federal land bank, when duly authorized by the Land Bank Commissioner and the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, shall have the power to execute any instrument relating to any mortgage taken to secure a loan made or to be made under this section, or relating to any property included in any such mortgage, or relating to any property acquired by the Land Bank Commissioner and/or the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation. Any such instrument heretofore or hereafter executed on behalf of the Land Bank Commissioner and/or the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation by a Federal land bank, through its duly authorized officers, shall be conclusively presumed to have been duly authorized by the Land Bank Commissioner and the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation."

Sec. 3. (a) Effective July 1, 1935, the first sentence of paragraph "Twelfth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the following: "within two years after such date, shall not exceed 4½ per centum per annum for all interest payable on installment dates occurring within a period of five years commencing sixty days after the date this paragraph takes effect; and no payment of the principal portion of any installment of any such loan shall be required during such five-year period if the borrower shall not be in default with respect to any other condition or covenant of his mortgage", and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "after such date, shall not exceed 3½ per centum per annum for all interest payable on installment dates occurring within a period of one year commencing July 1, 1935, and shall not exceed 4 per centum per annum for all interest payable on installment dates occurring within a period of two years commencing July 1, 1936; and no payment of the principal portion of any installment of any such loan outstanding on the date of the enactment of the Farm Credit Act of 1935 shall be required prior to July 11, 1938, if the borrower shall not be in default with respect to any other condition or covenant of his mortgage."

(b) Effective July 1, 1935, the second sentence of such paragraph "Twelfth" is amended by striking out the following: "the rate of interest on such loans for such five-year period shall be 5 per centum in lieu of 4½ per centum", and inserting in lieu thereof: "the rates of interest paid for the respective periods above specified shall be one-half of 1 per centum per annum in excess of the rates of interest paid during the corresponding periods by borrowers on mortgage loans made through national farm loan associations".

Sec. 4. The fourth sentence of section 24 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 913), is further amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That the declaration and payment of any such dividend shall be subject to the approval of the Land Bank Commissioner."

Sec. 5. (a) Paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of section 202 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1031), is further amended by striking out that portion of the paragraph which follows the second semicolon and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "and to discount for, or purchase from, any production credit association or bank for cooperatives organized under the Farm Credit Act of 1933, or any production credit association in which a Production Credit Corporation organized under such act holds stock, with its indorsement, any note, draft, bill of exchange, debenture, or other such obligation presented by such association or bank, and to make loans and advances direct to any such association or bank secured by such collateral as may be approved by the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration;".

(b) Paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of such section 202, as amended, is further amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "at such rates of commission as may be approved by the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration."

(c) Subsection (d) of such section 202, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1034), is hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. (a) Subsection (a) of section 203 of the Federal Farm Loan Act (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 1041) is amended by striking out the proviso and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Provided, That the aggregate amount of the outstanding debentures and similar obligations issued individually by any Federal intermediate credit bank, together with the amount of outstanding consolidated debentures issued for its benefit and account, shall not exceed ten times the surplus and paid-in capital of such bank".

(b) Such section 203 (U. S. C., title 12, secs. 1041–1043) is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsections:

"(d) Whenever it shall appear desirable to issue consolidated debentures of the twelve Federal intermediate credit banks and to sell them through a common selling agency, and the Federal intermediate credit banks shall, by resolutions, consent to the same, the banks may issue and sell said debentures subject to the provisions of this section and the provisions of section 21 of Title I of this Act, insofar as applicable. As used in this act, the term 'debentures' includes such consolidated debentures.

"(e) All debentures issued by Federal intermediate credit banks shall be lawful investments, and may be accepted as security, for all fiduciary, trust, and public funds, the investment or deposit of which shall be under the authority or control of the United States or of any officer or officers thereof."

Sec. 7. Subsection (a) of section 204 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1051), is further amended to read as follows:

"(a) Any Federal intermediate credit bank may, with the approval of the Intermediate Credit Commissioner, from time to time establish rates of discount and interest which, except with the approval of the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, shall not exceed by more than 1 per centum per annum the rate borne by the last preceding issue of debentures which it issued or in which it participated. Any Federal intermediate credit bank may be required by the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration to acquire, upon such terms as he may approve, loans and/or discounts of any other Federal intermediate credit bank."

Sec. 8. Section 208 of the Federal Farm Loan Act (U. S. C., title 12, secs. 1091–1094) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(e) The executive departments, boards, commissions, and independent establishments of the Government, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Federal Reserve Board, and the Federal Reserve banks are severally authorized, under such conditions as they may prescribe, to make available to any Federal intermediate credit bank, in confidence, upon the request of the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, such reports, records, or other information as they may have available relating to the condition of any institution to which a Federal intermediate credit bank has made, or contemplates making, loans, or which it is using, or contemplates using, as a custodian of securities or other credit instruments, or as a depositary."

Sec. 9. Paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of section 7 of the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1141e), is further amended to read as follows:

"(2) the construction or acquisition by purchase or lease, or refinancing the cost of such construction or acquisition, of physical facilities."

Sec. 10. Paragraph (1) of subsection (c) of section 7 of the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1141e), is further amended to read as follows:

"(1) No loan shall be made in an amount in excess of 60 per centum of the appraised value of the security therefor."

Sec. 11. Subsection (a) of section 8 of the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1141f), is further amended to read as follows:

"(a) Loans to any cooperative association shall bear such rates of interest as the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration shall from time to time determine to be necessary for the needs of the lending agencies and shall by regulation prescribe (but in no case shall the rate of interest exceed 6 per centum per annum on the unpaid principal): Provided, however, That the rate of interest on any loan made under the provisions of section 7 (a) (1) hereof, other than upon the security of commodities, shall conform as nearly as may be practicable to a rate 1 per centum in excess of the prevailing interest rate paid by production credit associations to the Federal intermediate credit bank of the land bank district in which the principal business office of the borrower is located; the rate of interest on any loan made upon the security of commodities shall conform, as nearly as may be practicable, to the prevailing interest rate on commodity loans charged borrowers from the Federal intermediate credit bank of the land bank district in which the principal business office of the borrower is located; and that the rate of interest on any loan made under the provisions of section 7 (a) (2) hereof shall conform as nearly as may be practicable to the prevailing rate on mortgage loans made to members of national farm loan associations."

Sec. 12. Subsection (a) of section 15 of the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1141j), is further amended to read as follows:

"(a) As used in this Act, the term 'cooperative association' means any association in which farmers act together in processing, preparing for market, handling, and/or marketing the farm products of persons so engaged, and also means any association in which farmers act together in purchasing, testing, grading, processing, disiributing, and/or furnishing farm supplies and/or farm business services: Provided, however, That such associations are operated for the mutual benefit of the members thereof as such producers or purchasers and conform to one or both of the following requirements:

"First. That no member of the association is allowed more than one vote because of the amount of stock or membership capital he may own therein; and

"Second. That the association does not pay dividends on stock or membership capital in excess of 8 per centum per annum.

"And in any case to the following:

"Third. That the association shall not deal in farm products, farm supplies, and farm business services with or for nonmembers in an amount greater in value than the total amount of such business transacted by it with or for members. All business transacted by any cooperative association for or on behalf of the United States or any agency or instrumentality thereof shall be disregarded in determining the volume of member and nonmember business transacted by such association."

Sec. 13. Section 34 of the Farm Credit Act of 1933 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 34. Subject to such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Chairman of its Board of Directors, the Central Bank is authorized: (a) to make loans to cooperative associations, as defined in the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended, for any of the purposes and subject to the conditions and limitations set forth in such act, as amended; (b) to make loans (by way of discount or otherwise) to banks for cooperatives organized under section 2 of this Act; (c) to buy from, and sell to, any such bank or any Federal intermediate credit bank any note, draft, bill of exchange, debenture, or other obligation; and (d) to borrow from, and discount or rediscount paper with, any and all such banks."

Sec. 14. Section 41 of the Farm Credit Act of 1933 (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1134c) is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 41. Subject to such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Governor, the banks for cooperatives are authorized: (a) to make loans to cooperative associations as defined in the Agricultural Marketing Act, as amended, for any of the purposes and subject to the conditions and limitations set forth in such act, as amended; (b) to make loans (by way of discount or otherwise) to any bank organized under this act; (c) to buy from, and sell to, any such bank or any Federal intermediate credit bank any note, draft, bill of exchange, debenture, or other obligation; and (d) to borrow from, and discount or rediscount paper with, any and all such banks."

Sec. 15. (a) The first sentence of subsection (a) of section 35 of the Farm Credit Act of 1933 (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1134k) is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "except that, in connection with any loan made on the security of commodities, the borrower shall be required to own, at the time the loan is made, only such amount of stock as may be prescribed by rules and regulations of the Governor."

(b) Subsection (a) of such section 35 is further amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Upon discharge of the loan, stock held by the borrowing association may be, and upon the concurrent or subsequent request of the borrowing association shall be, retired and canceled, and the association shall be paid therefor an amount equal to the amount paid for such stock or loaned to subscribe therefor, as the case may be, minus the pro rata impairment, if any, of capital and guaranty fund of the Central Bank, as determined by the Chairman of the Board of the Central Bank."

(c) Such section 35 is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(c) In any case where the debt of a borrower to the Central Bank is in default, the bank may, in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the Governor, retire and cancel all or a part of the stock of the defaulting borrower at the fair book value thereof (not exceeding par), in total or partial liquidation of the debt, as the case may be."

Sec. 16. (a) The first sentence of subsection (a) of section 30 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933 is amended by striking out the words "two years" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four years".

(b) The fourth sentence of subsection (b) of such section 30 is amended:

(1) By striking out the words "occurring more than sixty days after the date of enactment of this Act", and

(2) By striking out the words "a period of two years from the date of enactment of this Act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "a period of two years from the date of the enactment of the Farm Credit Act of 1935".

Sec. 17. (a) The first sentence of subsection (a) of section 31 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933 is amended by striking out the words "for two years from the date of the enactment of this Act" and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "until May 13, 1937,".

(b) Subsection (b) of such section 31 is amended by striking out the words "such two-year period" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the period of postponement".

(c) The first sentence of the Act entitled "An Act to authorize production credit associations to make loans to oyster planters", approved June 18, 1934 (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 1131j), is amended by striking out the following: "who are carrying on their operations under leases of oyster beds granted by any State or political subdivision thereof".

Sec. 18. Paragraph "Sixth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 771), is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "As used in this paragraph (1) the term 'person' includes an individual or a corporation engaged in the raising of livestock; and (2) the term 'corporation' includes any incorporated association; but no such loan shall be made to a corporation (A) unless all the stock of the corporation is owned by individuals themselves personally actually engaged in the raising of livestock on the farm to be mortgaged as security for the loan, except in a case where the Land Bank Commissioner permits the loan if at least 75 per centum in value and number of shares of the stock of the corporation is owned by the individuals personally actually so engaged, and (B) unless the owners of at least 75 per centum in value and number of shares of the stock of the corporation assume personal liability for the loan. No loan shall be made to any corporation which is a subsidiary of, or affiliated (either directly or through substantial identity of stock ownership) with, a corporation ineligible to procure a loan in the amount applied for."

Sec. 19. (a) The first sentence of the sixth paragraph of section 7 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 716), is amended to read as follows: "Ten or more persons who are the owners, or about to become the owners, of farm lands qualified as security for a mortgage loan under section 12 of this Act, may unite to form a national farm-loan association."

(b) The sixth paragraph of such section 7 is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "As used in this section, the term 'person' includes an individual, an incorporated association, and a corporation which is eligible for a loan under section 12 of this Act."

Sec. 20. (a) The first sentence of the fifth paragraph of section 9 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 745), is amended by striking out the words "any natural person" and inserting in lieu thereof "any person."

(b) The fifth paragraph of such section 9 is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "As used in this section, the term 'person' includes an individual, an incorporated association, and a corporation which is eligible for a loan under section 12 of this Act."

Sec. 21. The first sentence of the first paragraph of section 31 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 981), is amended to read as follows: "Any applicant for a loan under this Act, or officer or representative of any such applicant, who shall knowingly make any false statement in the application for such loan, and any member of a loan committee or any appraiser provided for in this Act who shall willfully overvalue any land offered as security for loans under this Act, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding $5,000, or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both."

Sec. 22. Paragraph "Fifth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 771), is further amended by inserting after the third sentence thereof the following: "In determining the earning power of land used for the raising of livestock, due consideration shall be given to the extent to which the earning power of the fee-owned land is augmented by a lease or permit, granted by lawful authority of the United States or of any State, for the use of a portion of the public lands of the United States or of such State, where such permit or lease is in the nature of a right adjunctive to such fee-owned land, and its availability for use as such during the terms of the loan is reasonably assured."

Sec. 23. On and after the date of enactment of this Act no person shall be eligible for appointment or election as an administrative or executive official or as a member of the board of directors of a Federal land bank, or shall continue to hold office as such member or as an ex-officio director of a Federal intermediate credit bank or of any corporation or bank organized pursuant to the Farm Credit Act of 1933, if such person has been finally adjudged guilty of a felony, or finally adjudged liable in damages in any civil proceeding for fraud, in any State or Federal court.

Sec. 24. (a) If any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected thereby.

(b) The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

And the House agree to the same.

DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
ROBERT F. WAGNER,
ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
JAMES F. BYRNES,
ROBERT D. CAREY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARVIN JONES,
H. P. FULMER,
WALL DOXEY,
CLIFFORD R. HOPE,
J. ROLAND KINZER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 22, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 82. An act to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work;

S. 1222. An act to further extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.;

S. 1342. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to board of county commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.;

S. 1680. An act to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof; and

S. 1987. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 6085. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks, the construction and improvement of sewers, and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $40,000; and

H. R. 6723. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg to further amend the bill by inserting on page 52, after line 5, the following:

No part of any appropriation made by this act or by later acts shall be available for payment to any contractor of the Navy Department who sells, or in any way imparts, to any person not in the employ of such contractor or a subcontractor thereof, any design, plan, patent, machinery, or other equipment used by the Navy Department at any time prior to five years after the first use thereof by the Navy Department.

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment was general legislation upon a general appropriation bill, particularly because of the language that "No part of any appropriation made by this act or by later acts shall be available for payment on a contract of the Navy Department."

The Vice President held that the amendment was, under rule XVI, paragraph 4, general legislation, and sustained the point of order.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg to further amend the bill by inserting on page 52, line 5, after the word "made", the following proviso:

: Provided further, That no contract for the construction of a vessel shall be entered into by the Navy Department, and no contract for the construction of a vessel once entered into by the Navy Department shall be modified, without the approval of the Comptroller General.

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment sought to place upon another official of the Government the duty, not now devolved upon him, of passing upon contracts before they are entered into, that it went beyond the scope of a limitation, and was general legislation, and therefore in violation of rule XVI, paragraph 4.

The Vice President, sustaining the question of order, said: "Let the Chair say for the benefit of the Members of the Senate, as well as the Record, that while he was a Member of another body, and had occasion a number of times to preside over the Committee of the Whole, and later on over the House itself, he was called upon to rule upon many amendments which appealed very much to the Chair. He would have liked to see them become part of the pending legislation; but as it was then the duty of the presiding officer to interpret the rules of the House of Representatives, as it is now his duty to interpret the rules of the Senate, he sometimes found himself in a position where he was compelled to sustain points of order against amendments for which otherwise he himself would have voted.

"The Chair desires to have the clerk read a ruling rendered in the House of Representatives by an able parliamentarian, Mr. Lehlbach, confirming an earlier ruling by Mr.

Crisp, of Georgia. The Chair will ask the clerk to read the ruling, which also applies to this particular amendment."

The Chief Clerk read as follows:

"The House, on January 7, 1929, had under consideration the Treasury and Post Office appropriation bill, when Mr. Byrns, of Tennessee, offered an amendment inserting in a section the following:

"'*Provided,* That no part of the appropriation herein made shall be available for paying any tax refund in excess of $75,000 which has not been approved by the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation.'

"Mr. Anthony made a point of order that the amendment would require the approval of the joint committee and was contrary to existing law.

"After debate, the Chairman, Mr. Lehlbach, sustained the point of order, saying:

"'It is a well-known rule of the House that amendments which limit expenditures of money appropriated for a general purpose by excluding some specific purpose embraced in the general purpose are in order, but the rule is clear that such limitation to be in order must simply forbid the use of the money for a certain given purpose. It is the rule that anything carrying an affirmative, substantive change in existing law, that limits the functions or jurisdiction of an executive officer so drastically as to constitute a change of policy, or that imposes upon a governmental agency new duties not imposed upon it by law, is beyond the definition of a limitation and is, therefore, not in order.

"'The amendment under consideration provides that no tax refunds shall be paid by the Treasury Department in excess of $75,000 which have not been approved by the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation. In the first place, ever since the existing income-tax law has been in force, the Treasury Department has had full discretion in making refunds where it was found that taxes had been improperly paid. To subject that function to the review of another body which has not at present that function is new legislation, involving an important change of policy, and is such a limitation on existing rights and powers of the Secretary of the Treasury as to constitute new legislation.

"'The point that remains, which is governing, in the mind of the Chair, is that it imposes upon the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation a function that is not now imposed upon it by law, and this incumbent of the Chair has repeatedly held that such imposition of new duties, in the guise of a limitation, is not in order. The Chair will cite but one precedent and that precedent, the Chair thinks, will be given weight by every Member of this House because of the person who handed down the decision, a person who is still a Member of this House and one whose knowledge of parliamentary law and whose clarity in expounding it is unquestioned. I read from a decision rendered by the gentleman from Georgia [Mr. Crisp] in the Sixty-fourth Congress, on March 11, 1916: "But such limitations must not give affirmative directions and must not impose new duties upon an executive officer of the Government."

"'Now, whether it is an executive officer or a legislative body, an agency of the Government must not, in the form of a limitation, have imposed new duties. Therefore, the amendment is held out of order.'" (Congressional Record, Jan. 7, 1929, pp. 1315, 1316.)

The clerk having concluded the reading of the decision, the Vice President further said:

"The Chair may say, for the benefit of the Record, that he was very much in favor of the amendment which was offered in the House of Representatives at that time. He was a member of the joint committee, and wanted an opportunity to function, but he could not get it.

"The Chair sustains the point of order."

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Vandenberg.

On motion by Mr. Pope to further amend the bill by inserting on page 52, after line 16, the following:

That none of the appropriations provided by this act or by later acts shall be available for the expenses of any naval missions to foreign countries or of any person acting as a teacher or instructor in foreign countries.

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order against the amendment, viz, that the words "or by later acts" would affect other appropriation bills, that it was therefore not a limitation upon the expenditure of funds under the pending bill, but was legislation upon a general appropriation bill, and in violation of the rule.

Mr. Pope thereupon modified his amendment by striking out the words "or by later acts."

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Bone to further amend the bill by inserting on page 43, line 6, after the numerals "$500", the following proviso:

Provided further, That not less than 25 per centum of each succeeding lot of aircraft, including the engines for such aircraft, the procurement of which is authorized by this act and hereafter undertaken, shall be constructed and/or manufactured in Government aircraft factories and/or other plants or factories owned and operated by the United States Government.

The foregoing proviso is subject to the further condition that if it shall be determined by the President that present plants, factories, and equipment owned and operated by the Government are not such as to permit the construction and/or manufacture of the said aircraft and/or engines in such Government plants and factories in the proportions therein specified and required, then and in that event the President may by proclamation suspend such requirement in whole or in part, to the extent that capacity in such plants, factories, and equipment is insufficient to meet such requirement.

Whenever any such proclamation is made, the President shall, at the opening of the next succeeding session of the Congress, submit to the Congress a detailed estimate of (1) the expansion of existing plants, factories, and facilities owned and operated by the Government, and (2) the increase in personnel required to operate the same, necessary for the meeting of the requirement specified in the foregoing proviso. The funds necessary for the enlargement and expansion of existing plants and facilities owned by the Government, for the construction and acquisition by condemnation or otherwise of plants, factories, facilities, and equipment, for the construction and manufacture of naval aircraft, and for the personnel required to operate the same, are hereby authorized to be appropriated.

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment modified the provisions of the so-called "Trammell Act" of March 27, 1934, with reference to the construction of aircraft in Government aircraft factories, and was therefore general legislation, and not in order under the rule.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Robinson in the chair) sustained the question of order.

On motion by Mr. Bone to further amend the bill by inserting on page 54, line 2, after the word "plants" the following:

; it being the intent and purpose of such acts that the Government shall, insofar as practicable, develop its navy yards, arsenals, and other plants and facilities to the end that it may—

(a) At all times hereafter be able to construct, maintain, and repair its authorized vessels and naval equipment;

(b) As speedily as possible become self-sufficient in time of war; and

(c) Insofar as may be possible, eliminate private profit in war and in the preparation therefor.

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment proposed to construe the so-called "Trammell Act" of March 27, 1934, as to the elimination of private profit, that it sought otherwise to modify the above act, and was therefore legislation and not in order on a general appropriation bill.

The Presiding Officer sustained the question of order.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the bill by inserting on page 52, after line 16, the following:

No part of the appropriations made in this act shall be used for the expenses of any naval maneuvers or war game held outside the territorial waters of the United States, unless the same shall have first been approved by the Secretary of State.

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment took away from the Secretary of the Navy the right to determine where maneuvers should be held and vested it in the Secretary of State and was therefore legislation.

The Presiding Officer sustained the question of order.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the bill by inserting on page 52, after line 16, the following:

No part of the appropriations made in this act shall be used for the salary or pay of any naval officer or of any official or employee of the Navy Department who shall make any public statement as to the policy of the United States in international affairs or its relation with foreign countries unless such statement is first approved by the Secretary of State.

Mr. Byrnes raised a question of order, viz, that it was general legislation upon a general appropriation bill.

The Presiding Officer sustained the question of order.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

The Presiding Officer, under the order of the Senate, referred to the appropriate committees, as in executive session, certain messages this day received from the President of the United States.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, at 4 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and expenditures of the Corporation for April 1935, including statements of authorizations made during that month, and the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

IMPORTS CARRIED IN AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, in further response to Senate Resolution 111, agreed to March 29, 1935, a report showing the value of agricultural imports on American and foreign vessels classified by country of exportation and by customs district, for the period January 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the United Bondholders Association of Chicago, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation to provide a separate Government conservator on bond issues in default, to replace so-called "bondholders protective committees"; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition, etc.:

A telegram from Margaret G. Fawcett, of New York City, urging the sustaining of the President's veto on the so-called "Patman bill" providing for the immediate payment of World War veterans' adjusted-compensation certificates;

A memorial of Mrs. Dora L. Edwards, of Sanford, N. C., remonstrating against the passage of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A communication from Olivia M. Cutting, of New York City, expressing thanks for the Senate resolution adopted regarding the death of her son, the late Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Bone presented a petition of Everett Local, No. 183, of the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite, and Paper Mill Workers, of Everett, Wash., praying the President to use the power granted him under the National Recovery Act to stop importations of newsprint and pulp from foreign countries; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1607) to amend section 109 of the Criminal Code so as to except officers of the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve not on active duty from certain of its provisions, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 686) thereon.

Mr. Gerry, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1973) to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925, to authorize the payment of a per diem in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of aviation charts, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 687) thereon.

Mr. Russell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1974) to authorize the transfer of officers of the Construction Corps of the Navy to the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 688) thereon.

Mr. Brown, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1977) to amend the act approved February 15, 1929, entitled "An act to permit certain warrant officers to count all active service rendered under temporary appointments as warrant or commissioned officers in the Regular Navy, or as warrant or commissioned officers in the United States Naval Reserve Force, for the purpose of promotion to chief warrant rank, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 689) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1604) to provide for the better administration of justice in the Navy, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 690) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1975. A bill to authorize certain officers of the United States Navy, and officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered (Rept. No. 691);

S. 1976. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and for other purposes", approved April 15, 1926, so as to equalize the allowances for quarters and subsistence of enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps (Rept. No. 692);

S. 2230. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, for a rear range light (Rept. No. 693); and

S. 2460. A bill to amend the act of June 6, 1924, entitled "An act to amend in certain particulars the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended, and for other purposes" (Rept. No. 694).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1045) for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 695) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1326. A bill for the relief of Robert A. Dunham (Rept. No. 696); and

S. 1640. A bill for the relief of Dan Meehan (Rept. No. 697).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1960) for the relief of the Florida National Bank & Trust Co., a national banking corporation, as successor trustee for the estate of Phillip Ullendorff, deceased, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 698) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2520) for the relief of T. D. Randall & Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 699) thereon.

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1064) for the relief of Albert Gonzales, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 700) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 928) for the relief of Rene Hooge, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 701) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2373. A bill for the relief of Harry Jarrette (Rept. No. 702); and

S. 2374. A bill for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso (Rept. No. 703).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1980. A bill for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn (Rept. No. 704);

S. 2168. A bill for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 705);

S. 2590. A bill for the relief of James E. McDonald (Rept. No. 706); and

H. R. 3073. An act for the relief of William E. Smith (Rept. No. 707).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1833) for the relief of W. L. Horn, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 708) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the attorney general of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 602), reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 709) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2257. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide additional pay for personnel of the United States Navy assigned to duty on submarines and to diving duty", to include officers assigned to duty at submarine training tanks and diving units, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 710); and

S. 2378. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass. (Rept. No. 711).

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7873) to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact signed at Sante Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 712) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 713) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, reported additional amendments to the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes, heretofore reported.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill be reprinted, showing the amendments heretofore agreed to by the Senate, and the additional amendments this day reported by him.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2253) to make better provision for the government of the military and naval forces of the United States by the suppression of the attempts to incite the members thereof to disobedience, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 714) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2646. A bill to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 716); and

H. R. 5711. An act to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor (Rept. No. 718).

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2259) to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 720) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2591. A bill for the relief of Lyman C. Drake (Rept. No. 715); and

H. R. 4708. An act for the relief of E. F. Droop & Sons Co. (Rept. No. 717).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2738) to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 719) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2892) to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended and supplemented; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2893) granting a pension to Amanda Boyd; and

A bill (S. 2894) for the relief of William H. Kelly; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2895) to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California"; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 2896) to require the furnishing of heat in living quarters in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2897) for the relief of Lt. Robert A. J. English, United States Navy (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2898) for the relief of John A. Bass; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 2899) to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2900) granting a pension to certain Indians on the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2901) granting an increase of pension to Mary M. Bartlett; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2902) to amend section 201 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2903) for the protection and control of the blue crab (Callinectes sapidus) in any State or Territory, and authorizing the Department of Commerce to define the seasons and regulate the manner and conditions under which they may be taken or destroyed; to the Committee on Commerce.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6114) to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, S. 2311, H. R. 6085, and H. R. 6723, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 3019, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 2311. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.;

H. R. 6085. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks, the construction and improvement of sewers, and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $35,000; and

H. R. 6723. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $30,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Shipstead in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Vandenberg, inserting on page 54, after line 2, a provision prohibiting payment of funds to contractors on contracts unless the bid was accompanied by estimates, was reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes,

The amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called,

When

Seventy-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 55 / Nays---------- 18 }

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Bulkley, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Black, Bulow, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Donahey, Frazier, King, La Follette, McGill, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, and Wheeler.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes,

Resolved, That the Senate insist on its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President, and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Trammell, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Keyes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

On motion by Mr. Smith,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Smith to amend the bill by striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof certain matter (being the same as the text of H. R. 8052),

COMPENSATION OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS OF MINNESOTA

On motion by Mr. Schall, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 2046) to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act, heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 12 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, MAY 27, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, May 24, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 24, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 2311) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.

ADDITIONAL CADETS AT UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, together with an amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ELECTRIC RATES IN MAINE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of Maine on January 1, 1935; which, together with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the legislative establishment, under the Architect of the Capitol, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $5,500; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1522. An act to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1523. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1524. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1525. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Joint School District No. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

S. 1526. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

S. 1528. An act for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1530. An act to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont.;

S. 1533. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 1534. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.;

S. 1535. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation;

S. 1536. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.; and

S. 1537. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children.

The House has passed the following bill and joint resolution of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1212. An act to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States; and

S. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 2756. An act authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have or claim to have against the United States, and for other purposes;

H. R. 3003. An act to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Miss., and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4354. An act to repatriate native-born women who have heretofore lost their citizenship by marriage to an alien, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5210. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children;

H. R. 5213. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children;

H. R. 5216. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 5917. An act to appoint an additional circuit judge for the ninth judicial district;

H. R. 6204. An act to authorize the assignment of officers of the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6315. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont.;

H. R. 6987. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 7 meets Texas Highway No. 87;

H. R. 7081. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr.;

H. J. Res. 27. Joint resolution providing for extension of cooperative work of the Geological Survey to Puerto Rico; and

H. J. Res. 208. Joint resolution to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, S. 1384, H. R. 2046, and H. R. 6114, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1384. An act to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes;

H. R. 2046. An act to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act; and

H. R. 6114. An act to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 2756 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bill H. R. 3003 and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 208 be referred to the Committee on the Library; that the bill H. R. 4354 be referred to the Committee on Immigration; that the bill H. R. 5917 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bills H. R. 6987 and H. R. 7081 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 27 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs; and that the bills H. R. 5210, H. R. 5213, H. R. 5216, H. R. 6204, and H. R. 6315 be placed on the calendar.

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PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii favoring an amendment of the Hawaiian Organic Act relating to public lands; and

A copy of an act of the session laws of Hawaii 1935 to amend the revised laws of Hawaii relating to public lands; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Resolutions adopted by the board of governors of the Washington State Bar Association and the board of trustees of the Seattle Bar Association, of Seattle, Wash., favoring the erection of a new judicial building to properly accommodate and house the United States district court and circuit court of appeals when sitting at Seattle; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted by the Maine Petroleum Industries Committee memorializing Congress to permit the Federal tax on gasoline to lapse on June 30, 1935, and to leave to the States exclusively the power and right to tax gasoline sales in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and resolution:

A petition of citizens of Hattiesburg, Miss., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey expressing its deep sorrow at the death of Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by four councils of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty in the State of New York remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the present alien deportation law; and

A resolution adopted by Mount Vernon Post, No. 3, American Legion, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., remonstrating against any clemency, consideration, or bargaining for or with Grover Cleveland Bergdoll or his representatives; to the Committee on Immigration.

A resolution adopted by the legislative committee of the Rochester Association of Credit Men, of Rochester, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of title 2 of the Banking Act of 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Essex County Farm Bureau Association, of Westport, N. Y., favoring an increase of tariff rates on iron and ore imports; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, of Utica, N. Y., urging the amendment of the Constitution to permit the making of laws necessary for the general welfare of the Nation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Aviators' Post, No. 743, American Legion, of New York City, favoring the furnishing of adequate equipment, hangar, and administrative facilities at Mitchel Field, N. Y., for the exclusive use of the Reserve flying units of the Second Corps Area, War Department; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petitions of the Bronx Irish-American Civic Association of the Bronx and citizens of the State of New York, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Copeland presented a petition of members of the Presbyterian Church of Webster, N. Y., praying the enactment of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Harrison presented a copy of a radio address by Hon. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, on May 22, 1935, on the occasion of Maritime and Foreign Trade Week, on the subject Restoration of International Trade; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted at Rochester, N. Y., by the Steuben Society of America, in national council meeting assembled, favoring an amendment to the Constitution providing for a referendum on the declaration of war and the enactment of legislation to regulate shipments to belligerents and to take the profits out of war; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Women's State Republican Club of New Jersey, Inc., of Trenton, N. J., remonstrating against placing the control of the Federal Reserve banks in the hands of a politically appointed board and opposing the establishment of a central bank; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Fletcher presented a petition of citizens of Hillsborough County, Fla., praying the restoration of pensions to Spanish War veterans in effect before the passage of the so-called "economy act"; which was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Fletcher presented a resolution adopted by the Sarasota County Agricultural Club, of Sarasota, Fla., favoring the regulation of celery-crop shipments through an agricultural marketing agreement.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2899) to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1186. A bill for the relief of Frank P. Ross (Rept. No. 722); and

S. 1490. A bill for the relief of Earl A. Ross (Rept. No. 723).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 430) for the relief of Anna Hathaway, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 724) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 895) to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Atlantic Works, of Boston, Mass., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 725) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 11) to repeal section 389 of the United States Code, being section 239 of the United States Criminal Code, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 726) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1949. A bill authorizing the President to order David J. Fitzgerald before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether he be placed on the retired list (Rept. No. 727); and

H. R. 231. An act for the relief of Thomas M. Bardin (Rept. No. 728).

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 107) authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1577) for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 729) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1084) for the relief of W. F. Lueders, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 730) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1527. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children (Rept. No. 731); and

S. 1529. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children (Rept. No. 732).

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2584) to amend the act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, by including therein the name of Gustaf E. Lambert, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 733) thereon.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2589) to authorize the presentation of a Congressional Medal of Honor to Lewis Hazard, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 734) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1010) for the relief of Fred Edward Nordstrom, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 735) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3285. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Oswego, Oneida, Seneca, and Clyde Rivers in Oswego, Onondaga, Oneida, Madison, Cayuga, Wayne, Seneca, Tompkins, Schuyler, Yates, and Ontario Counties, N. Y., with a view to the controlling of floods (Rept. No. 736); and

H. R. 6834. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing Vernon W. O'Connor, of St. Paul, Minn., his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn." (Rept. No. 737).

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2621) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 738) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4665) to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 721) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 2904) to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2905) to increase the efficiency of the Coast Guard; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Moore and Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2906) to provide for exclusive jurisdiction of district courts sitting in equity over reorganization of railroads engaged in interstate commerce, and to vest special authority in the Interstate Commerce Commission relating thereto, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 2907) for the relief of E. C. Beaver, who suffered loss on account of the Lawton, Okla., fire, 1917; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2908) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Delaware Tribe of Indians in the State of Oklahoma; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2909) to protect the public against fraud by prohibiting the sale or shipment in interstate or foreign commerce of misbranded articles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 2910) to add certain lands to the Weiser National Forest; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2911) for the relief of Mrs. Helen Mahar Johnson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 2912) to repatriate native-born women who have heretofore lost their citizenship by marriage to an alien, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2913) for the relief of Maurice C. Poss; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 2914) to provide for the establishment of a corporation known as the "Federal Mortgage Bank" creating a permanent discount and purchase system for mortgages on urban real estate, designed by comprehensive yet conservative action, to fill a gap in the national financial structure to the end of stabilizing mortgage practice, easing mortgage credit, and by the establishment of an adequate agency preventing periodic frozen condition in financial institutions; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2915) for the relief of Joseph C. Holley; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2916) granting an increase of pension to Mary M. Bartlett; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2917) authorizing an appropriation to the American Legion for its use in effecting a settlement of the remainder due on, and the reorganization of, Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the Commander in Chief, officers, and men of the expeditionary forces; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 2918) to provide for certain alterations in the gallery area of the Senate wing of the Capitol; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 2919) to authorize the collection of penalties, damages, and costs for stock trespassing on Indian lands; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 2920) to provide for the payment of veterans' adjusted-service certificates, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 137) directing the Comptroller General of the United States to correct an error made in the adjustment of the account between the State of New York and the United States, adjusted under the authority contained in the act of February 24, 1905 (33 Stat. L. 777), and appropriated for in the Deficiency Act of February 27, 1906; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 138) relative to inviting the International Statistical Institute to hold its session in the United States in 1939; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Vocational education; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Ralph H. Lasher; and Harrison Schermerhorn Markham; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Julia McBride; to the Committee on Pensions.

PUBLIC-WORKS PROJECTS FOR FLOOD CONTROL

On motion by Mr. Johnson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2811) to authorize and adopt certain Public Works projects for controlling floods, improving navigation, regulating the flow of certain streams of the United States, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Johnson,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Smith, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain other words,

Pending debate,

LEGALITY OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY CODES

Mr. Black presented a copy of the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, together with the concurring opinions of Justices Cardozo and Stone, rendered today, in the case of *A. L. A. Schechter Poultry Corporation, and others, petitioners,* v. *The United States of America,* and the case of the *United States of America, petitioner,* v. *A. L. A. Schechter Poultry Corporation, and others,* involving the legality of the "Live Poultry Code", promulgated under the National Industrial Recovery Act, which was ordered to be printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1023) to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.

The House insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. McReynolds, Mr. Bloom, and Mr. Fish managers at the same on its part.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on the substitute amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Smith,

Pending debate,

PUERTO RICAN HURRICANE RELIEF COMMISSION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 88) to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

The Senate proceeded to consider said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ORDER FOR CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That immediately following the convening of the Senate on tomorrow it proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

CONTINUATION OF RIO GRANDE COMPACT

On motion by Mr. Adams, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7873) to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767); and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 57 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, ,Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Costigon, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3641. An act to amend section 559 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department;

H. R. 3642. An act to amend section 483 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department;

H. R. 6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;

H. R. 6623. An act to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want;

H. R. 6656. An act to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., by means of an overhead bridge, to cross New York Avenue NE., to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial sidetracks, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7167. An act to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7781. An act to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7874. An act to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia;

H. J. Res. 201. Joint resolution giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment; and

H. J. Res. 280. Joint resolution for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Maine Avenue."

The Speaker of the House having signed 13 enrolled bills, viz, S. 1522, S. 1523, S. 1524, S. 1525, S. 1526, S. 1528, S. 1530, S. 1533, S. 1534, S. 1535, S. 1536, S. 1537, and S. 2105, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1522. An act to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1523. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1524. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1525. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Joint School District No. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

S. 1526. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

S. 1528. An act for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1530. An act to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazier, Mont.;

S. 1533. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 1534. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.;

S. 1535. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation;

S. 1536. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.;

S. 1537. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children; and

S. 2105. An act to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions, except the bill H. R. 7874, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 3641, H. R. 3642, H. R. 6510, H. R. 6623, H. R. 6656, H. R. 7167, H. R. 7447, and the joint resolutions H. J. Res. 201 and H. J. Res. 280 be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia; and that the bill H. R. 7781 be placed on the calendar.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The following bills were thereupon considered, and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 2119. A bill for the relief of Amos D. Carver, S. E. Turner, Clifford N. Carver, Scott Blanchard, P. B. Blanchard, James B. Parse, A. N. Blanchard, and W. A. Blanchard, and/or the widows of such of them as may be deceased;

S. 1943. A bill to prescribe the procedure and practice in condemnation proceedings brought by the United States of America, including acquisition of title and the taking of possession under declarations of taking;

S. 1138. A bill for the relief of Art Metal Construction Co. with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income or profits taxes paid to the United States for the calendar year 1918 in excess of the amount of taxes lawfully due for such period;

S. 2364. A bill relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees;

S. 490. A bill for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

S. 1070. A bill for the relief of William A. Thompson;

S. 578. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes;

S. 1326. A bill for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

S. 1640. A bill for the relief of Dan Meehan;

S. 928. A bill for the relief of Rene Hooge;

S. 2374. A bill for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso;

S. 2373. A bill for the relief of Harry Jarrette;

S. 2259. A bill to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes;

S. 2738. A bill to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree;

S. 895. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Atlantic Works, of Boston, Mass.;

S. 1577. A bill for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray; and

S. 1833. A bill for the relief of W. L. Horn.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 626) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act so as to include hops as a basic agricultural commodity.

The vote ordering the engrossment and third reading of the bill was reconsidered by unanimous consent, and the bill having been amended on the motion of Mr. McNary,

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the further consideration of the said bill be temporarily postponed.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2361) to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices; and no amendment being made,

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; and

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2213) to define the exterior boundaries of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico, and for other purposes.

The amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Hatch, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting certain language, was reconsidered by unanimous consent, and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. Hatch, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was subsequently reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1453) to create a board of shorthand reporting, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

The vote by which the said bill failed to pass was reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2512) to define lobbyists, to require registration of lobbyists, and to provide regulation thereof; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to require registration of persons engaged in influencing legislation or Government contracts and activities."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

S. 12. A bill to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act;

S. 2608. A bill to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933;

S. 2642. A bill to incorporate the American National Theater and Academy;

S. 2462. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Worley, Idaho, in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children in the town of Worley and county of Kootenai, Idaho;

S. 2656. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to grant concessions on reservoir sites and other lands in connection with Indian irrigation projects and to lease the lands in such reserves for agricultural, grazing, or other purposes;

S. 272. A bill for the relief of William Frank Lipps;

S. 2426. A bill to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes;

S. 1929. A bill to clarify the status of the National Zoological Park;

S. 280. A bill for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnston, and Esther L. Teckmeyer;

S. 1656. A bill for the relief of Ward J. Lawton;

S. 658. A bill for the relief of K. W. Boring;

S. 1040. A bill for the relief of George W. Miller;

S. 1046. A bill for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;

S. 1052. A bill for the relief of The Washington Post Co.;

S. 2076. A bill for the relief of Domenico Politano;

S. 2393. A bill for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton;

S. 2635. A bill authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., and others;

S. 1973. A bill to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925, to authorize the payment of a per diem in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of aviation charts;

S. 1977. A bill to amend the act approved February 15, 1929, entitled "An act to permit certain warrant officers to count all active service rendered under temporary appointments as warrant or commissioned officers in the Regular Navy, or as warrant or commissioned officers in the United States Naval Reserve Force, for the purpose of promotion to chief warrant rank;

S. 1604. A bill to provide for the better administration of justice in the Navy;

S. 1045. A bill for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

S. 1960. A bill for the relief of the Florida National Bank & Trust Co., a national banking corporation, as successor trustee for the estate of Phillip Ullendorff, deceased;

S. 2520. A bill for the relief of T. D. Randall & Co.;

S. 1064. A bill for the relief of Albert Gonzales;

S. 2168. A bill for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania;

S. 2230. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light;

S. 2378. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.;

S. 2591. A bill for the relief of Lyman C. Drake;

S. 430. A bill for the relief of Anna Hathaway;

S. 1949. A bill authorizing the President to order David J. Fitzgerald before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether he be placed on the retired list;

S. 2584. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, by including therein the name of Gustaf E. Lambert;

S. 2621. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children;

S. 2899. A bill to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress;

S. 1010. A bill for the relief of Fred Edward Nordstrom; and

S. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian-reservation roads.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2638) to amend the law governing the leasing of unallotted Indian lands for mining purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Hayden,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 18) authorizing the appointment of a committee to receive evidence and take testimony in impeachment trials; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2326) authorizing the Secretary of War to lease or to sell certain lands and buildings known as "Camp Eagle Pass, Tex.", to the Eagle Pass and Piedras Negras Bridge Co.; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to sell to the Eagle Pass and Piedras Negras Bridge Co. a portion of the Eagle Pass Military Reservation, Tex., and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following resolutions:

S. Res. 137. Resolution to pay certain funeral expenses of the late Senator Bronson Cutting;

S. Res. 122. Resolution for an investigation of the labor conditions in the Panama Canal Zone; and

S. Res. 136. Resolution relative to gratuities charged in settlements with the Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 131) providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 1521) to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 5216) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 1521 be postponed indefinitely.

The bill (S. 2094) to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont., having been reached,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6315) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2094 be postponed indefinitely.

The bill (S. 1974) to authorize the transfer of officers of the Construction Corps of the Navy to the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 6204) to authorize the assignment of officers of the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 1974 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 65. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Virginia, at or near the north end of Hog Island, Northampton County;

H. R. 2015. An act for a Coast Guard station at the eastern entrance to Cape Cod Canal, Mass.;

H. R. 1291. An act for the relief of the Muncy Valley Private Hospital;

H. R. 2689. An act for the relief of Mary Ford Conrad;

H. R. 1492. An act for the relief of Harbor Springs, Mich.;

H. R. 285. An act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Halpin;

H. R. 4630. An act for the relief of William A. Ray;

H. R. 6372. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the Cabeza de Vaca Expedition and the opening of the Old Spanish Trail;

H. R. 4528. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La.;

H. R. 5547. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Des Moines River at or near St. Francisville, Mo.;

H. R. 6859. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of North Carolina to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Waccamaw River, at or near Old Pireway Ferry Crossing, N. C.;

H. R. 6997. An act authorizing the State of Illinois and the State of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River between Kaskaskia Island, Ill., and St. Marys, Mo.;

H. R. 7291. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Boca Chica, Tex.;

H. R. 3073. An act for the relief of William E. Smith;

H. R. 4708. An act for the relief of E. F. Droop & Sons Co.;

H. R. 231. An act for the relief of Thomas M. Bardin;

H. R. 3285. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Oswego, Oneida, Seneca, and Clyde Rivers in Oswego, Onondaga, Oneida, Madison, Cayuga, Wayne, Seneca, Tompkins, Schuyler, Yates, and Ontario Counties, N. Y., with a view to the controlling of floods;

H. R. 6834. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing Vernon W. O'Connor, of St. Paul, Minn., his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to construct,

maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn."; and

H. J. Res. 107. Joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution pass to a third reading.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 602); and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to amend the act entitled 'An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California', approved May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. 602)."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 2646) to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia having been reached,

The bill (H. R. 7874) of an identical title, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2646 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4665) to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "An act authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 59. An act to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7205. An act to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 11) to repeal section 389 of the United States Code, being section 239 of the United States Criminal Code; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to amend section 389, title 18, of the United States Code, being section 239 of the United States Criminal Code."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2589) to authorize the presentation of a Congressional Medal of Honor to Lewis Hazard; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "A bill to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished conduct to Lewis Hazard."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 1527) to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 5210) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 1527 be postponed indefinitely.

The bill (S. 1529) to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 5213) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 1529 be postponed indefinitely.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof, was reconsidered.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On May 22, 1935:

S. 1776. An act granting a leave of absence to settlers of homestead lands during the year 1935.

On May 23, 1935:

S. J. Res. 98. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library."

On May 24, 1935:

S. 1222. An act to further extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Garrison, N. Dak.;

S. 1342. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to board of county commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.";

S. 1680. An act to include within the Deschutes National Forest, in the State of Oregon, certain public lands within the exchange boundaries thereof; and

S. 1987. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.

On May 27, 1935:

S. 1803. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games.

On May 28, 1935:

S. 2311. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the legislative establishment, pertaining to the Library of Congress, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $40,000; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 27, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1384) to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Young Democratic Club of Nelson County, North Dakota, of Lakota, N. Dak., favoring the allocation of additional funds to the Bureau of Biological Survey, Department of Agriculture, to carry out a program of water and wildlife conservation in North Dakota; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Civic Leaders Club, of Los Angeles, Calif., remonstrating against the use of Emergency Relief Administration appropriations for teachers in schools who teach communism; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the Good Will and Boosters organizations of the Union Pacific System, of Hastings, Nebr., urging the enactment of legislation providing for equal regulation of all forms of transportation and one regulatory body to administer such legislation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Chicago, Ill., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorials:

A petition of Lizzie Gatlin, of Marianna, Ark., praying the passage of old-age-pension legislation;

Memorials of N. A. Shrader, of Chariton, Iowa, and C. H. and Harry Snider, of Dundas, Ill., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act;

Memorials of citizens of the United States remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A resolution adopted by the Code Authority for the Safety Razor and Safety Razor Blade Manufacturing Industry at New York City favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Immigration:

A resolution adopted by Nathan Hale Council, No. 113, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Ridgewood, Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the present alien deportation law; and

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the County Committee of the Kings County American Legion, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the granting of any clemency to Grover Cleveland Bergdoll.

Mr. Norris presented a resolution adopted by the Senate of the State of Nebraska endorsing the President's program for recovery.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1179. A bill for the relief of James H. Smith (Rept. No. 739); and

S. 1735. A bill for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters (Rept. No. 740).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1865) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of W. S. O'Brien against the United States, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 741) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1152) relating to the carriage of goods by sea, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 742) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2921) for the relief of Botany Worsted Mills, a corporation, of Passaic, N. J.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 2922) for the relief of Rose Stratton; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2923) for the relief of the Cold Spring Brewing Co., of Cold Spring, Minn., and the Schuster Brewing Co., of Rochester, Minn.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 2924) for the relief of Prince Royal, Sr.; Kathleen Royal Hayes; Victor A. Royal; Lucile Royal; and Prince Royal, Jr.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 2925) for the relief of the city of Worcester, Mass.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2926) to authorize the Commissioner of Education in the Department of the Interior to conduct a study and disseminate his findings and recommendations regarding suitable aviation instruction courses for the public schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 2927) for the relief of Abner E. McGuire; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2928) granting a pension to Don Shelton; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2929) for the relief of Frank I. Otis; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Schwellenbach and Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 2930) to provide a preliminary examination of the Sammamish River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods;

A bill (S. 2931) to provide a preliminary examination of the Puyallup River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

A bill (S. 2932) to provide for a survey of the Nooksack River and its tributaries in the State of Washington with a view to the control of its floods and to conservation of soil from erosion;

A bill (S. 2933) to provide a preliminary examination of the Nisqually River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

A bill (S. 2934) to provide a preliminary examination of the Duwamish River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods;

A bill (S. 2935) to provide a preliminary examination of Cowlitz River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

A bill (S. 2936) to authorize preliminary examination and survey of the Duwamish River, Wash.;

A bill (S. 2937) to provide a preliminary examination of the Columbia River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods; and

A bill (S. 2938) to provide a preliminary examination of Cedar River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2939) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Ronald A. Cox; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 2940) to extend to the widows of Foreign Service officers the benefits of section 18 of the act entitled "An act for the reorganization and improvement of the Foreign Service, and for other purposes", approved May 24, 1924, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1807) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

PURE FOOD, DRUGS, AND COSMETICS ACT

On motion by Mr. Copeland that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 5) to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and for other purposes,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. THOMAS of Utah in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Copeland's motion was agreed to; and

The Senate resumed the consideration of the said bill.

Mr. Byrnes raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The additional amendments reported on the 24th instant were agreed to, with the exception of the amendment on page 16, line 13, which was amended on the motion of Mr. Vandenberg, and, as amended, agreed to.

No further amendment being proposed,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to prevent the adulteration, misbranding, and false advertising of food, drugs, devices, and cosmetics in interstate, foreign, and other commerce subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, for the purposes of safeguarding the public health, preventing deceit upon the purchasing public, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

PUBLIC UTILITY ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Wheeler that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1023, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 88, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

S. 1023. An act to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.; and

S. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

CLAIM OF PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSIONERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chief clerk of the Court of Claims, transmitting, pursuant to law, a certified copy of the special findings of fact and opinion of the court in the case of Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners against the United States; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to furnish aid in the construction of check dams in the Salinas River Valley; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Maryland requesting an appropriation for the Bureau of Fisheries to conduct a thorough biological survey of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries for the purpose of ascertaining facts relative to the spawning grounds and migratory and other habits of certain fish; to the Committee on Commerce.

Joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Maryland requesting Congress to create a centenary planning and building commission of the United States Naval Academy, and to station the ship *Constellation* at Fort McHenry, Baltimore; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A resolution adopted at New York City by the Convention of the Toilet Goods Industry favoring the removal of the excise tax levied on the industry by the Revenue Act of 1932; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Code Authority of the Graphic Arts Association, Houston-Galveston region, of Houston, Tex., favoring the continuance of direct-mail advertising through the Post Office Department through a simplified form of addressing mail matter to be delivered by city and village letter carriers; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Maryland favoring the construction of a highway connecting Washington, D. C., with Gettysburg, Pa.; and

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the National Association of Safety Razor and Blade Manufacturers, Inc., favoring an extension of the National Industrial Recovery Administration.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by Navy Post, No. 16, American Legion, of New York City, favoring the traveling of United States representatives to the Olympic Games in Germany in ships of United States registry manned by American officers and crews; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Capper presented a petition of members of the First Presbyterian Church of Junction City, Kans., praying peace; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Fletcher presented a petition of celery growers of Manatee County, Fla., praying the control of the marketing of the celery crop under an agricultural adjustment marketing agreement; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorial; which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A petition of Union No. 2172, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of Boston, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for a graduated tax on cigarettes; and

A resolution adopted by Greenfield (Mass.) Lodge, No. 997, Loyal Order of Moose, remonstrating against the processing tax on cotton.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the enactment of unemployment insurance, old-age pension, and maternal and infant health legislation; and

Petitions of citizens and railroad employee organizations praying an extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act and other legislation relating to retirement of railroad employees.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 743) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2649) to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 744) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 133) for designation of a street to be known as "Missouri Avenue", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 745) thereon.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 28, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1522. An act to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1523. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1524. An act to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1525. An act to provide funds for cooperation with joint school district no. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

S. 1526. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

S. 1528. An act for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1530. An act to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont.;

S. 1533. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District, No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 1534. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.;

S. 1535. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District, No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation;

S. 1536. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.; and

S. 1537. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the School Board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 2941) for the relief of Izelda Boisoneau;

A bill (S. 2942) for the relief of John Hoffman; and

A bill (S. 2943) for the relief of John Morris; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 2944) to prevent and make unlawful the practice of law before Government departments, bureaus, commissions, and their agencies by those other than duly licensed attorneys at law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 2945) granting a pension to Lulu Sigel Schehl; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 2946) for the relief of Mathilda Carson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 2947) authorizing payment to the Sisseton and Wahpeton Bands of Sioux Indians for certain lands ceded by them to the United States by a treaty of July 23, 1851; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 2948) granting a pension to John M. Newburgh; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2949) granting a pension to William Elk Sky (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 2950) granting the consent of Congress to the county of Saline, Mo., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Miami, Mo.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 2951) for the relief of Harry Warren Halterman (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 2952) for the relief of the Birmingham Drainage District, State of Missouri (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 2953) to provide for the inspection, control, and regulation of steam boilers and unfired pressure vessels in the District of Columbia; and

A bill (S. 2954) to control and regulate the discharge or emission of smoke, soot, noxious gases, cinders, or fly ash into open air in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Wagner:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 139) requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REGISTRATION OF LOBBYISTS

Mr. Clark entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 2512) to define lobbyists, to require registration of lobbyists, and provide regulation thereof; and,

On motion by Mr. Clark, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the House of Representatives be requested to return the said bill to the Senate.

Mr. Black subsequently entered a motion to reconsider the vote requesting the House of Representatives to return the said bill to the Senate.

ADDITIONAL CADETS AT UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

Mr. Sheppard entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy; and

He submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 16), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

"*Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring)*, That the action of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Vice President of the United States, respectively, in signing the enrolled bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes, be, and the same is hereby, rescinded; and that the House of Representatives be, and it is hereby, requested to return to the Senate the message announcing its agreement to the amendments of the House to the said bill."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

REMOVAL OF SENATE TO PRESENT CHAMBER

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 143), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

"*Resolved*, That the proceedings held in the United States Senate on January 4, 1859, upon the occasion of its removal from the old historic chamber, now occupied by the United States Supreme Court, to the present chamber which it now occupies, be printed, with illustrations, as a Senate document and that 5,000 additional copies be printed for the use of the Senate document room."

ASSISTANT CLERKS TO SENATORS

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 144), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

"*Resolved*, That each Senator may appoint at the close of the present session of Congress one assistant clerk to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at $2,220 per annum until otherwise ordered by the Senate."

FOREIGN TRADE AGREEMENTS

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 145), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

"Whereas the opinions of the Supreme Court in recent decisions respecting the constitutional invalidity of the National Industrial Recovery Act clearly limit the authority of Congress to delegate its legislative power, and demonstrate that this authority was exceeded in section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (relating to reciprocal foreign trade agreements): Therefore be it

"*Resolved*, That it is the sense of the Senate that no foreign trade agreements shall hereafter be entered into pursuant to the authority contained in section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and that any foreign trade agreements heretofore entered into pursuant to such section should be terminated at the earliest practicable date."

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Wheeler's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes; and

After debate,

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

Pending debate,

Mr. Russell raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Burke in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Hastings raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 4 o'clock and 50 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Friday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Ashurst raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Wednesday, May 29, 1935, was approved.

PUERTO RICAN SUGAR ACTIVITIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 105, agreed to April 9, 1935, a report relative to loans, grants, or subsidies to sugar producers in Puerto Rico or for supporting or reorganizing sugar production by the so-called "Chardon" plan or otherwise in Puerto Rico with public money drawn from the sugar-processing tax or other sources; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to eliminate the long-and-short-haul clause from the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act so as to effectively permit railroads to establish rates to the Pacific coast from the Middle West which will enable Middle West industries to meet the competition of eastern manufacturers using water transportation through the Panama Canal; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution of the Senate of the State of Nebraska favoring a congressional investigation of the sugar-beet industry; and

A petition of Percy H. O'Brien, of Los Angeles, Calif., praying the repeal of the National Bank and Federal Reserve Acts and to enact legislation providing for a Federal central bank; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to keep the United States out of foreign wars, controversies, and entanglements; and

A resolution adopted by the Illinois Legislative Committee of the Legislature of the State of Illinois favoring an appropriation of $100,000 for the purpose of duplicating and furnishing the State with World War records destroyed in the Springfield arsenal fire February 1934; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the New Jersey Mosquito Extermination Association favoring the strengthening and enlargement of research work on mosquitoes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A petition of Charles V. Fyke and R. P. Dunlap, of Kansas City, Mo., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of scrip money and forced circulation and its redemption in the regular currency of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

A telegram from members of Local Union 2935, United Mine Workers of America, of Sharples, W. Va., favoring the seating of Rush D. Holt as United States Senator from West Virginia when he becomes 30 years of age; and

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the National Society, Daughters of the Revolution, of New York City, favoring the building of

the Navy to the strength permitted by the London Naval Treaty, and the passage of the Navy Appropriation Act with sufficient funds to carry out plans for new construction and the replacement of old naval vessels;

A petition of citizens of New York City praying the extension of the National Industrial Recovery Administration;

A memorial of Mrs. H. B. Turner, of Toulon, Ill., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A resolution adopted by Local No. 271, International Association of Machinists, of Birmingham, Ala., expressing sympathy at the death of Senator Bronson Cutting.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial; which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Young Men's Board of Trade, of New York City, favoring the termination of the Federal tax on gasoline; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Harmony Council, No. 21, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Syracuse, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 916) to carry into effect the decisions of the Court of Claims in favor of claimants in French spoliation cases not heretofore paid, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 746) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2743) to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 747) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2895) to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 748) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2611) to authorize the Utah Pioneer Trails and Landmarks Association to construct and maintain a monument on the Fort Douglas Military Reservation, Salt Lake City, Utah, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 749) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bills and joint resolutions reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2818. A bill for the relief of Blanche L. Gray (Rept. No. 750);

S. 2891. A bill to provide for the adjustment and settlement of personal injury and death cases arising in certain foreign countries (Rept. No. 751);

H. R. 4448. An act to provide funds for acquisition of a site, erection of buildings, and the furnishing thereof for the use of the Diplomatic and Consular Establishments of the United States at Helsingfors, Finland (Rept. No. 752);

H. R. 4901. An act to authorize appropriations to pay the annual share of the United States as an adhering member of the International Council of Scientific Unions and associated unions (Rept. No. 753);

H. R. 6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor (Rept. No. 754);

H. R. 6673. An act providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee on Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the commissions established by that committee (Rept. No. 755);

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended (Rept. No. 756);

S. J. Res. 139. Joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939 (Rept. No. 757); and

H. J. Res. 182. Joint resolution to provide for membership of the United States in the Pan American Institute of Geography and History, and to authorize the President to extend an invitation for the next general assembly of the Institute to meet in the United States in 1935, and to provide an appropriation for expenses thereof (Rept. No. 758).

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6836) to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to the National Archives Establishment, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 759) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2832. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 760);

H. R. 6987. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 7 meets Texas Highway No. 87 (Rept. No. 761); and

H. R. 7081. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownsville, Nebr. (Rept. No. 762).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 203) to provide for a preliminary examination of the Connecticut River, with a view to the control of its floods and prevention of erosion of its banks in the State of Connecticut, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 763) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 122) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 764) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2551) to make immediately available the unexpended balances of certain appropriations for the construction or reconstruction of roads and bridges in the flood areas of Missouri, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Kentucky, and Alabama, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 765) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2865) to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 766) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom were referred the following bill and joint resolution, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2737. A bill authorizing the erection in the District of Columbia of a suitable terminal marker for the Jefferson Davis National Highway (Rept. No. 767); and

H. J. Res. 204. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand (Rept. No. 768).

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2583) establishing certain commodity divisions in the Department of Agriculture, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 769) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the resolution (S. Res. 138) for an investigation of the awarding of public-building contracts and certain matters in connection therewith, and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2955) for the relief of Emil Zumbrunn; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2956) for the relief of Herman Edward Rohwer; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2957) for the relief of Helen Mahar Johnson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2958) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 2959) granting a pension to Samuel E. Jarvis (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 2960) for the relief of John M. Green; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 2961) for the relief of Peter Cymboluk (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2962) to correct the military record of John Pate; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2963) to amend the act of Congress approved March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1109), relating to the restoration of Fort McHenry, in the State of Maryland; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2964) for the relief of Lydia M. White; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2965) to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920;

A bill (S. 2966) to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2967) to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2968) granting a pension to Elizabeth Campbell (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Coolidge:

A bill (S. 2969) to authorize the deportation of criminals, to guard against the separation from their families of aliens of the noncriminal classes, to provide for legalizing the residence in the United States of certain classes of aliens, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 2970) to authorize the deportation of the habitual criminal, to guard against the separation from their families of aliens of the noncriminal classes, to provide for the legalizing the residence in the United States of certain classes of aliens, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2971) for the relief of Robert H. Leys; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barbour:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 140) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (D. C.) 1935 I. B. P. O. E. of W.; and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

INVESTIGATION OF AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS AND AIRPLANE INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Mr. Hatch and Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 146), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

Whereas an airplane owned by Transcontinental Western Air, Inc., while engaged in interstate commerce, was wrecked near Macon, in the State of Missouri, on the 6th day of May 1935, resulting in the death of five persons, among whom was an honored Member of this body, Hon. Bronson M. Cutting; and

Whereas it is imperative that life and property transported through interstate air commerce should be accorded the greatest degree of safety obtainable through the use of every reasonable safeguard; and

Whereas it is essential, in order to protect life and property in transportation through the air, that a thorough and searching inquiry should be made into the causes of the wreck referred to and into the efforts, if any, for the prevention of accidents of like character, and the safeguards, if any, provided both by the companies engaged in interstate air commerce and the precautions and safeguards, if any, required by governmental agencies; and

Whereas such investigation and the knowledge to be derived therefrom are necessary to enable the Congress to adopt legislation for the protection of life and property by air transportation: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce, or a subcommittee thereof, be, and it is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate fully and thoroughly the said wreck of the airplane owned by Transcontinental Western Air, Inc., which occurred on the 6th day of May 1935 near Macon, in the State of Missouri, and any other accidents or wrecks of airplanes engaged in interstate air commerce in which lives have been lost; and to investigate fully and thoroughly interstate air commerce, the precautions and safeguards provided therein, both by those engaged in such interstate air transportation and by officials or departments of the United States Government; and to investigate fully and thoroughly the activities of those entrusted by the Government with the protection of property and life by air transportation, and the degree, adequacy, and efficiency of supervision by any agency of Government, including inspection and frequency thereof, and to take testimony in all aspects in relation to any of the matters herein indicated and in relation to any subject related thereto.

Resolved further, That the said Committee on Commerce, or the subcommittee appointed for the purpose, shall determine what legislation, if any, shall be adopted in the interest of safety of life and property transported in interstate air commerce, and what legislation, if any, shall be adopted to prevent accidents in the air and to provide appropriate safeguards for their prevention; be it further

Resolved, That for the purposes of this resolution such committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold hearings, sit, and act at such times and places during the sessions or recesses of the Senate during the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses until a final report is submitted; to employ such counsel, experts, clerical, stenographic, and other assistance; and to require, by subpena or otherwise, the attendance of witnesses, the production of books, papers, and documents; to administer oaths, take testimony, and make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of such committee, not to exceed the sum of ——, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

CLAIMS OF INDIANS OF CALIFORNIA

Mr. King entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the attorney general of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 6102); and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the House of Representatives be requested to return the said bill to the Senate.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes; when,

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside; and

APPROPRIATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Chair; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Tydings, Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce, and through the mails, to regulate the sale and transmission of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

COMMITTEE SERVICE

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That Mr. Chavez be assigned to service on the following committees: Foreign Relations, Indian Affairs, Irrigation and Reclamation, Post Offices and Post Roads, and Public Buildings and Grounds.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That Mr. White be excused from further service as a member of the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

That the following Senators be assigned to membership on the following committees:

Mr. McNary to the Committee on Manufactures;

Mr. Nye to the Committee on Military Affairs;

Mr. White to the Committee on Foreign Relations; and

Mr. Gibson to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 20 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 3, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, May 31, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN RHODE ISLAND

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of Rhode Island on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

CRUDE PHOSPHATES AND SUPERPHOSPHATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 298 (72d Cong.), a report of an investigation with respect to phosphates, crude, and superphosphate; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

Joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, as follows:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the creation of a National Civil Academy; and

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to aid in the rehabilitation of employable blind persons in the United States; to the Committee on Education and Labor; and

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation for the employment of jobless citizens in the mining of chromium and tin deposits of the United States; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Young Democratic Club of Grand Forks County, N. Dak., favoring the allocation of necessary funds to the Bureau of Biological Survey, Department of Agriculture, to carry on the present program of water and wildlife conservation in North Dakota; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the Maine State Petroleum Committee, of Portland, Maine, favoring the abolishment of the Federal tax on gasoline and to relinquish to the States the power exclusively to tax such sales in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to extend the civil service to unclassified postal employees; and

A petition of Rank and File Veterans, of Minneapolis, Minn., praying the immediate full cash payment of the soldiers' bonus.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Florida, and petition which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A concurrent resolution indorsing the objects for which the Florida Agricultural Tariff Association is striving and expressing confidence in its management in the matter of the restoration of the tariff duties on importations of fresh vegetables from Cuba and Mexico;

A concurrent resolution favoring the restoration of the tariff on all imported vegetables from Cuba to the maximum rates allowed in the reciprocal agreement with that country during the entire year; and

A petition of citizens of Tampa, Fla., praying the conduct of the petroleum industry without interference or bureaucratic control by the Federal Government.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to eliminate the long-and-short-haul clause from the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring the allotment of public works funds for the repair of city sidewalks and streets in that State.

Mr. Duffy presented an identical joint resolution.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a memorial of citizens of the State of Maryland remonstrating against an appropriation for the construction of a canal from Struthers, Ohio, to Beaver Falls, Pa.; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 810) equalizing annual leave of employees of the Department of Agriculture stationed outside the continental limits of the United States, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 770) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5456) relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 146) to investigate certain airplane accidents and interstate air commerce, reported it with an amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2556) to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 771) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2286) providing for the allocation of net revenues of the Shoshone power plant of the Shoshone Reclamation Project in Wyoming, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 772) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2015) to extend the time for naturalization of alien veterans of the World War, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 773) thereon.

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2689) for the relief of the city of New York, reported it without amendment.

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5917) to appoint an additional circuit judge for the ninth judicial district, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 774) thereon.

Mr. Bankhead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1389) to amend section 7, title 1, of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (Public, No. 10, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 31 (1933), 7 U. S. C., art. 601 et seq. as amended by sec. 221 of the National Industrial Recovery Act, Public, No. 67, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 210, 15 U. S. C., art. 607), so as to eliminate from said section as amended the limitation of time allowed to the Secretary of Agriculture for disposing of all cotton held by him, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 775) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 26) requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Erikson Day, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, who were directed by Senate Resolution 7, agreed to March 16, 1935, to make inquiry into the steamships *Morro Castle* and *Mohawk* disasters, submitted a preliminary report (No. 776), which was ordered to be printed.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Logan, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Claims:

S. 2570. A bill directing the Court of Claims to reopen certain cases and to correct the errors therein, if any, by additional judgments against the United States; and

S. 2571. A bill directing the Court of Claims to reopen the case of William G. Maupin, Jr., and others against the United States Docket No. 34,681, and to correct the errors therein, if any, by an additional judgment against the United States.

On motion by Mr. Schwellenbach, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Pensions be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 1107) for the relief of Sarah E. Thompson and that it be referred to the Committee on Claims.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on May 29, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill and joint resolution:

S. 1023. An act to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.; and

S. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican and Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Carey and Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 2972) to extend the boundaries of the Grand Teton National Park of Wyoming and to create the Jack-

son's Hole National Game Refuge in the State of Wyoming, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Copeland (by request):

A bill (S. 2973) to create the office of Commissioner of Publications; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 2974) for the relief of Walter W. Johnston; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gibson:

A bill (S. 2975) for the relief of Harry C. Taber; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2976) for the relief of John Edgar White, minor; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2977) authorizing the George Washington Memorial Bridge Public Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Potomac River at or near Dahlgren, Va.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 2978) granting a pension to Elizabeth Fahrenwald (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 141) creating a committee to improve the requirements for vessel construction, to prepare rules covering personnel of vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

DISPOSAL OF OBSOLETE CONGRESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 17), which was referred to the Committee on Printing:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That a statement of certain noncurrent and obsolete publications now in the folding rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives, respectively, shall be prepared by the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate and Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives, respectively, and submitted to the Joint Committee on Printing, which is hereby authorized to dispose of the same in the following manner:

First. A printed statement of such publications shall be submitted to each Senator, Representative, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, and officer of the Senate and House of Representatives, and any Member or officer of either House having any of such publications to his credit may dispose of the same in the usual manner at any time before September 1, 1935.

Second. Upon the expiration of the aforesaid time the Joint Committee on Printing shall furnish to all Members of the Senate and House of Representatives, respectively, as promptly as practicable, a list of the publications herein referred to then remaining in the folding rooms, and thereupon such publications shall be subject to the order of any Senator, Representative, Delegate, or Resident Commissioner, in the order in which they are applied for, for a period of 30 days after the day when such list shall be furnished by the Joint Committee on Printing, but no application for the transfer of these publications may be honored.

Third. The Joint Committee on Printing shall furnish a list of all such publications remaining in the folding room at the expiration of the last-named period to the various departments, independent offices, and establishments of the Government at Washington, including the Superintendent of Documents, Smithsonian Institution, Library of Congress, National Archives Establishment, Bureau of American Republics, and the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and such publications shall be turned over to any department, independent office, or establishment making written request therefor and shall be allocated in the order in which their application is made, and all such publications which shall remain in the folding rooms for a period of 10 days after such list shall have been furnished to the departments, independent offices, or establishments aforesaid shall be delivered to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, for such disposition as he may deem to be to the best interests of the Government.

Fourth. No publication which is described in the list aforesaid shall thereafter be returned to the folding rooms from any source.

INVESTIGATION OF STEAMSHIPS "MORRO CASTLE" AND "MOHAWK" DISASTERS

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 147), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the sum of $25,000 be made available to the Committee on Commerce from the contingent fund of the Senate to cover expenses incurred by the committee in the continued exercise of its privileges and duties prescribed by Senate Resolution Numbered 7, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter named, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Robert H. Leys; to the Committee on Claims.

Frank I. Otis; and John Pate; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Herman Edward Rohwer; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1609. An act for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps; and

S. 2899. An act to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Cary, Mr. Umstead, Mr. Thom, Mr. Johnson of West Virginia, Mr. Scrugham, Mr. McLeod, and Mr. Ditter managers at the same on its part.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 448. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of the Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Georgia with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 449. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 654. An act authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands;

S. 1317. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods; and

S. 2241. An act to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484).

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. McSwain, Mr. Hill of Alabama, and Mr. Ransley managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4665) to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Sumners of Texas, Mr. Gregory, and Mr. Perkins managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed 25 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 65, H. R. 231, H. R. 285, H. R. 1291, H. R. 1492, H. R. 2015, H. R. 2689, H. R. 3073, H. R. 3285, H. R. 4528, H. R. 4630, H. R. 4708, H. R. 5210, H. R. 5213, H. R. 5216, H. R. 5547, H. R. 6204, H. R. 6315, H. R. 6372, H. R. 6834, H. R. 6859, H. R. 6997, H. R. 7291, H. R. 7873, and H. R. 7874, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 107, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

H. R. 65. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Virginia, at or near the north end of Hog Island, Northampton County;

H. R. 231. An act for the relief of Thomas M. Bardin;

H. R. 285. An act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Halpin;

H. R. 1291. An act for the relief of the Muncy Valley Private Hospital;

H. R. 1492. An act for the relief of Harbor Springs, Mich.;

H. R. 2015. An act for a Coast Guard station at the eastern entrance to Cape Cod Canal, Mass.;

H. R. 2689. An act for the relief of Mary Ford Conrad;

H. R. 3073. An act for the relief of William E. Smith;

H. R. 3285. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Oswego, Oneida, Seneca, and Clyde Rivers in Oswego, Onondaga, Oneida, Madison, Cayuga, Wayne, Seneca, Tompkins, Schuyler, Yates, and Ontario Counties, N. Y., with a view to the controlling of floods;

H. R. 4528. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La.;

H. R. 4630. An act for the relief of William A. Ray;

H. R. 4708. An act for the relief of E. F. Droop & Sons Co.;

H. R. 5210. An act to provide funds for cooperation with school district no.17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings, to be available to Indian children;

H. R. 5213. An act to provide funds for cooperation with school district no. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children;

H. R. 5216. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 5547. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Des Moines River at or near St. Francisville, Mo.;

H. R. 6204. An act to authorize the assignment of officers of the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6315. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in construction of a public-school building, to be available to Indian children of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont.;

H. R. 6372. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the Cabeza de Vaca Expedition and the opening of the Old Spanish Trail;

H. R. 6834. An act to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing Vernon W. O'Connor, of St. Paul, Minn., his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn.";

H. R. 6859. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of North Carolina to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Waccamaw River at or near Old Pireway Ferry Crossing, N. C.;

H. R. 6997. An act authorizing the State of Illinois and the State of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River between Kaskaskia Island, Ill., and St. Marys, Mo.;

H. R. 7291. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Boca Chica, Tex.;

H. R. 7873. An act to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767);

H. R. 7874. An act to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia; and

H. J. Res. 107. Joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT JUDGE IN MASSACHUSETTS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4665) to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Ashurst,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Ashurst, Mr. King, and Mr. Borah.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 1935)

The President pro tempore called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a joint communication from the Chairman and the Secretary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report covering the operations of the Corporation from the first quarter of 1935 and for the period from February 2, 1932, to March 31, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

WASHINGTON-LINCOLN MEMORIAL-GETTYSBURG BOULEVARD COMMISSION

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Tydings and Mr. Guffey as the members on the part of the Senate of the Washington-Lincoln Memorial-Gettysburg Boulevard Commission, in accordance with the provisions of Public Resolution No. 19, approved May 20, 1935.

AMENDMENT OF SECTION 1383 OF REVISED STATUTES

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1212) to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and

On motion by Mr. Trammell,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

KENNESAW MOUNTAIN NATIONAL MEMORIAL MILITARY PARK, GA.

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message yesterday received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Fletcher, and Mr. Carey.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate petitions and a memorial, as follows:

Petitions of citizens of the States of Georgia and Louisiana praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A memorial of Mrs. Carrie Gorke, of Independence, Oreg., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Committee Pro-Puerto Rican Economical and Political Legislation, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the solution of Puerto Rico's economic problems in harmony with the immediate needs of the people; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the New York Board of Trade, Inc., of New York City, remonstrating against the passage of the proposed Banking Act of 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Young Democrats of Boston, Mass., favoring the submission to the States immediately of a constitutional amendment giving Congress the power to regulate the wages, hours, and condition of employment of all persons engaged in industry in the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by Beverly Lodge No. 1254, Loyal Order of Moose, in the State of Massachusetts, remonstrating against the processing tax on cotton and importations affecting the textile industry; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by Mollie Pitcher Council, No. 10, of Natick, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A petition of the Bookbinders Joint Conference Board of Boston, Mass., and vicinity praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes, a 30-hour work week in industry, and some form of national industry recovery legislation that will retain the minimum wages and maximum hours and other conditions beneficial to labor.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Coolidge presented the following petitions:

A petition of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying the immediate passage of unemployment insurance, old-age pension, and maternal and infant health legislation;

A petition of citizens of Worcester, Mass., praying a rehearing on the Railroad Retirement Act;

A resolution adopted by members of North Union Lodge No. 74, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, of Boston, Mass., favoring an extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act of 1933; and

A petition of members of Local Union No. 1841, Worsted Workers, of Worcester, Mass., praying the enactment of labor legislation essential to the welfare of textile workers.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Johnson presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation to aid in the rehabilitation of employable blind persons in the United States; and

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the creation of a National Civil Academy; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation extending the civil service to unclassified postal employees; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing employment for citizens in the mining of chromium and tin deposits of the United States; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

COST OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEE ACCIDENTS, 1932

Mr. Wagner presented a copy of a report on the cost of railroad employee accidents, 1932, prepared by the Section of Labor Relations of the office of Federal Coordinator of Transportation; which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2001. A bill to amend section 4426 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended by the act of Congress approved May 16, 1906 (Rept. No. 777); and

S. 2010. A bill to improve the living accommodations on vessels under 100 tons (Rept. No. 778).

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3462) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes, reported it with amendments.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2421) to amend the act entitled "An act forbidding the transportation of any person in interstate or foreign commerce, kidnaped, or otherwise unlawfully detained, and making such act a felony", as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 779) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2779) to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 780) thereon.

Mr. Donahey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2715) conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of the Choctaw Indians of the State of Mississippi, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 781) thereon.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2406. A bill for the relief of Nancy Jordan (Rept. No. 782); and

S. 2545. A bill to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans. (Rept. No. 783).

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2756) authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 784) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 27) providing for extension of cooperative work of the Geological Survey to Puerto Rico, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 785) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 285) to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 786) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 2979) to authorize the construction and maintenance of garages for employees of Veterans' Administration facilities; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 2980) for the relief of Mrs. Ruby Rardon; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 2981) for the relief of George P. Wright; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 2982) for the relief of H. B. Van Brunt; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 2983) to amend the Plant Quarantine Act of August 20, 1912; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 2984) granting a pension to Lottie B. Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 2985) to amend the act of February 28, 1925 (Public, No. 506, 68th Cong.), as amended, for the purpose of permitting certain reclassified or reinstated employees of the Postal Service to be advanced more than one grade within 1 year; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 2986) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide a government for the Territory of Hawaii", approved April 30, 1900, as amended, and known as the "Hawaiian Organic Act", by amending section 73 thereof, relating to public lands; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 2987) for the relief of Hiram G. Hines; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 2988) for the relief of Hester Goff; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Austin:

A bill (S. 2989) granting an increase of pension to May S. King; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 2990) to preserve from extinction the American eagle, emblem of the sovereignty of the United States of America; to the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources.

A bill (S. 2991) granting a pension to Holy Woman Lone Butte or Eagle Horn (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2992) to amend section 3342 of the Revised Statutes to modify the requirements with respect to affixing internal-revenue stamps on containers of fermented liquors; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 2993) for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 2994) for the relief of Thomas J. Jackson (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 142) providing for the continuance of the wildlife restoration program and other conservation projects; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Smith:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 143) authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblage of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

TAXATION SYSTEM IN VIRGIN ISLANDS

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 148):

Resolved, That the committee appointed pursuant to Senate Resolution Numbered 98, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to April 1, 1935, in addition to the authority conferred upon it by said resolution, shall have authority to make a full and complete investigation of the system of taxation in the Virgin Islands; and the limit of expenditures under said resolution is hereby increased by $10,000.

Ordered, That the resolution be referred under the rule to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

WITHDRAWAL OF PAPERS

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the papers accompanying the bill (S. 4988, 72d Cong.) for the relief of Bruce F. Ramsey be withdrawn from the files of the Senate, no adverse report having been made thereon.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate:

S. 1469. An act to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona;

S. 1513. An act to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 1539. An act relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

S. 1712. An act to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries;

S. 1942. An act to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927;

S. 2505. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 2530. An act to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian reservation roads.

The House has passed the bill (S. 462) to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 16) to rescind the action of the Vice President and Speaker in signing S. 2105, "An act to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes."

I am directed by the House of Representatives to return to the Senate, pursuant to the provision in Senate Concurrent Resolution 16, the message of the Senate announcing its agreement to the amendments of the House to the bill S. 2105.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 1414. An act to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the eastern district of Virginia;

H. R. 1993. An act giving superintendents at classified post-office stations credit for substitutes serving under them;

H. R. 2024. An act for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899;

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pension, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay, and insurance, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4123. An act providing for the payment of $15 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of the Red Lake Band of Minnesota from the timber funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States;

H. R. 4324. An act to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements;

H. R. 4707. An act validating certain applications for and entries of public lands, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5596. An act granting equipment allowance to third-class postmasters;

H. R. 5723. An act to give certain railway postal clerks the same time credits for promotion purposes as were given others who were promoted on July 1 when automatic promotions were restored;

H. R. 5774. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Rogue River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5775. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siuslaw River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5776. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Yaquina River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5777. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siletz River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 6465. An act to accept the cession by the State of Arkansas of jurisdiction over all lands now or hereafter included within the Hot Springs National Park, Ark., and for other purposes;

H. R. 6544. An act to conserve the water resources and to encourage reforestation of the watersheds of Santa Barbara County, Calif., by the withdrawal of certain public land, included within the Santa Barbara National Forest, Calif., from location and entry under the mining laws;

H. R. 6616. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to accept from the State of Utah title to a certain State-owned section of land and to patent other land to the State in lieu thereof, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6717. An act to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932;

H. R. 6719. An act to amend the Canal Zone Code;

H. R. 6734. An act to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6772. An act to amend the Grain Futures Act to prevent and remove obstructions and burdens upon interstate commerce in grains and other commodities by regulating transactions therein on commodity futures exchanges, to limit or abolish short selling, to curb manipulation, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6990. An act to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7025. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to furnish transportation to persons in the service of the United States in the Virgin Islands, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7083. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Ind.;

H. R. 7220. An act to provide for the use of the U. S. S. *Olympia* as a memorial to the men and women who served the United States in the War with Spain;

H. R. 7235. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes";

H. R. 7313. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Gafford Creek, Ark.;

H. R. 7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River;

H. R. 7380. An act authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7451. An act authorizing the erection of a memorial to Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski at Savannah, Ga.;

H. R. 7600. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska;

H. R. 7680. An act to amend the act of May 18, 1934, providing punishment for killing or assaulting Federal officers;

H. R. 7688. An act to provide for the appointment and promotion of substitute postal employees, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7709. An act to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the Post Office when appointed as regular laborer; and

H. R. 7731. An act to provide for the erection of a statue of Abraham Lincoln in the Gettysburg National Cemetery.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 1414 and H. R. 7680 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bills H. R. 1993, H. R. 5596, H. R. 5723, H. R. 6717, H. R. 6990, H. R. 7688, and H. R. 7709 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; that the bill H. R. 2024 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bill H. R. 3979 be referred to the Committee on Finance; that the bills H. R. 4123 and H. R. 4324 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bills H. R. 4707, H. R. 6465, H. R. 6544, H. R. 6616, and H. R. 6734 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys; that the bills H. R. 5774, H. R. 5775, H. R. 5776, H. R. 5777, H. R. 7083, H. R. 7313, H. R. 7314, and H. R. 7600 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bill H. R. 6719 be referred to the Committee on Interoceanic Canals; that the bill H. R. 6772 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; that the bills H. R. 7025 and H. R. 7380 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs; that the bill H. R. 7220 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; that the bill H. R. 7235 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; and that the bills H. R. 7451 and H. R. 7731 be referred to the Committee on the Library.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Dickinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Lewis in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MILITARY ACADEMY CADETS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nominations of John Drake Bristor to be a second lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, Regular Army, and certain other nominations for appointment in the Regular Army (being members of the graduating class at the Military Academy), reported them favorably.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, subsequently proceeded to consider the said nominations; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the President of the United States thereof.

NAVAL ACADEMY MIDSHIPMEN

On motion by Mr. Trammell, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate, as in executive session, proceeded to consider the nomination of William C. Abhan to be ensign in the Navy, and certain other nominations in the Navy and Marine Corps (being members of the graduating class at the Naval Academy); and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the President of the United States thereof.

ADDITIONAL CADETS AT MILITARY ACADEMY

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by him to reconsider the vote agreeing to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy; and

The motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Sheppard's motion that the Senate agree to the amendments of the House to the said bill,

He withdrew the said motion.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the said amendments and ask a conference with the House of Representatives on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Lewis in the chair) appointed Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Fletcher, and Mr. Carey.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson,

Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 7 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and referred to the Committee on the Library:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith for the information of the Congress the report of the Commission of Fine Arts of their activities during the period July 1, 1929, to December 31, 1934.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 5, 1935.*

(NOTE.—Report accompanied similar message to the House of Representatives.)

WILLAMETTE NATIONAL FOREST, OREG.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 462) to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. McNary,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from Levi Stevens Lewis, of Denver, Colo., relative to income derived from railroad operations; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A petition of Rev. J. J. Williams, of Ichula, Miss., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation;

A resolution adopted by the New Deal Reporters Club, of Astoria, Oreg., urging the passage of social security legislation; and

A resolution adopted at Dallas, Tex., at a joint meeting of railway labor representatives urging the enactment of legislation extending the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act of 1933.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts urging the enactment of legislation to require the use of granite in the construction of public buildings to be erected under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against any reciprocal tariff agreement with Switzerland which will reduce the tariff on watch movements; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A petition of citizens of Leominster, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation providing for a Federal central bank for the control and issuance of currency; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A petition of members of Local Union No. 1917, United Textile Workers of America, of Franklin, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation that will save for labor all the beneficial parts of codes under the National Industrial Recovery Act; to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2780) to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 787) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2626) to authorize the sale of Federal buildings, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 788) thereon.

Mr. Bankhead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7160) to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 789) thereon.

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2774) for the relief of certain officers on the retired list of the Navy and Marine Corps, who have been commended for their performance of duty in actual combat with the enemy during the World War, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 790) thereon.

Mr. Hale, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2846. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired (Rept. No. 791); and

H. R. 5564. An act for the relief of Capt. Russell Willson, United States Navy (Rept. No. 792).

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted a report (No. 794) to accompany the bill (S. 2689) for the relief of the city of New York, heretofore reported; which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2761) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 795) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach (for himself and Mr. Shipstead), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 67) to repeal certain laws providing that certain aliens who have filed declarations of intention to become citizens of the United States shall be considered citizens for the purposes of service and protection on American vessels, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 796) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2664) to aid in defraying the expenses of the Third Triennial Meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World, to be held in this country in June 1936, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 797) thereon.

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1613) for the relief of Andrew J. McCallen, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 798) thereon.

Mr. Dickinson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2566) for the relief of Percy C. Wright, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 799) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 143) authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblage of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

SENATOR FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. George, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, submitted the following report (No. 793):

The Committee on Privileges and Elections, to which was referred the election contest of *Dennis Chavez* v. *Bronson M. Cutting* for a seat in the United States Senate from the State of New Mexico, hereby dismisses the said contest upon the request of the petitioner and the respondent (by his attorneys, who have filed an answer with certain exhibits). In thus dismissing the contest, the committee deems it proper to say that no evidence has been adduced, and there is nothing in the record which, in any way, reflects, either directly or indirectly, upon the honor or integrity of the late Senator Bronson M. Cutting.

The committee recommends the discharge of all subpenas served upon certain State and county officials of the State of New Mexico in said contest and that said officials be relieved from further response thereto.

On motion by Mr. George:

Resolved, That the Senate agree to the said report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 2995) for the relief of Eugene Stortz; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 2996) for the relief of the Eberhart Steel Products Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 2997) to incorporate the National Society, Daughters of the Union, 1861–1865, Inc.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Pope, Mr. Nye, Mr. Bone, Mr. George, and Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 2998) to control the trade in arms, ammunition, and implements of war; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 2999) to establish a Federal Farm Board to aid in the orderly marketing and in the control and disposition of the surplus of agricultural commodities in interstate and foreign commerce; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3000) to amend the Silver Purchase Act of 1934; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Murray:

A bill (S. 3001) for the relief of Walter F. Brittan; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3003) authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of the Coos River and its tributaries, Oregon; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 3004) to amend section 602½ of the Revenue Act of 1934; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 3005) authorizing the appointment of Louis Hunter Gwinn as a lieutenant, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Pittman, Mr. Norbeck, Mr. Clark, Mr. Bailey, Mr. McNary, Mr. Byrd, and Mr. White:

A bill (S. 3006) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes; to the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Nye and Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3007) to amend the act creating the Federal Trade Commission, to define its powers and duties, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PRESERVATION OF OLD DOCUMENTS IN SENATE LIBRARY

Mr. Robinson, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 149), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate such sums as may be necessary, not to exceed $1,500, for the purpose of adequately providing for the preservation of old documents on file in the Senate Library.

CLASSIFICATION AND PAYMENT OF SENATE PAGES

Mr. Reynolds, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 150), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That it shall be the duty of the Sergeant at Arms to classify the pages of the Senate so that at the close of the present and each succeeding Congress one-third the number shall be removed; and in no case shall a page be appointed younger than 12 years, or remain in office after the age of 18 years, or for a longer time than three Congresses, or 6 years; and

Resolved further, That the pages of the Senate shall be paid, from the contingent fund of the Senate, a salary of $4 per day during the adjourned periods of the Congress.

DEPORTATION AND CITIZENSHIP OF CERTAIN ALIENS

On motion by Mr. Coolidge, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Immigration be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2970) to authorize the deportation of the habitual criminal, to guard against the separation from their families of aliens of the noncriminal classes, to provide for legalizing the residence in the United States of certain classes of aliens, and for other purposes, and that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 38. An act for the relief of Winifred Meagher;

S. 279. An act to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations;

S. 285. An act to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden;

S. 535. An act for the relief of William Cornwell and others;

S. 557. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

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S. 742. An act for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

S. 905. An act for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

S. 931. An act for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.;

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S. 1038. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

S. 1386. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim, or claims, of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska;

S. 1487. An act for the relief of Mick C. Cooper;

S. 2146. An act for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park; and

S. 2467. An act for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 42. An act for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon;

S. 209. An act for the relief of Carmine Sforza;

S. 416. An act for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.; and

S. 581. An act for the relief of Harold E. Seavey.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 41. An act for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

S. 1121. An act for the relief of Isidor Greenspan;

S. 1474. An act for the relief of Paul H. Creswell; and

S. J. Res. 92. Joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 350. An act for the relief of Florenz Gutierrez;

H. R. 616. An act for the relief of Homer J. Williamson;

H. R. 949. An act for the relief of Irvin Pendleton;

H. R. 1292. An act for the relief of Grace McClure;

H. R. 1541. An act for the relief of Evelyn Jotter;

H. R. 1880. An act for the relief of Ivan H. McCormack;

H. R. 2086. An act for the relief of Walter C. Holmes;

H. R. 2293. An act for the relief of William Kelley;

H. R. 3107. An act for the relief of William Louis Pitthan;

H. R. 3109. An act for the relief of Herman W. Bensel;

H. R. 3230. An act for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.;

H. R. 3573. An act for the relief of Jens H. Larsen;

H. R. 3826. An act for the relief of John Evans;

H. R. 4428. An act for the relief of Caroline (Stever) Dykstra;

H. R. 4567. An act for the relief of Robert E. Callen;

H. R. 4651. An act for the relief of the Noble County (Ohio) Agricultural Society;

H. R. 4820. An act for the relief of Lawrence S. Copeland;

H. R. 4822. An act for the relief of Thomas F. Olsen;

H. R. 4824. An act for the relief of Capt. George W. Steele, Jr., United States Navy;

H. R. 4827. An act for the relief of Don C. Fees;

H. R. 4828. An act for the relief of John L. Summers, disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4853. An act for the relief of Charles H. Holtzman, former collector of customs, Baltimore, Md.; George D. Hubbard, former collector of customs, Seattle, Wash.; and William L. Thibadeau, former customs agent; and

H. R. 5041. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Lela C. Brady and Ira P. Brady for the losses sustained by them by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps.

The Speaker of the House having signed 14 enrolled bills, viz, S. 448, S. 449, S. 654, S. 1212, S. 1317, S. 1469, S. 1513, S. 1539, S. 1712, S. 1942, S. 2241, S. 2505, S. 2530, and S. 2899, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 130, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On May 23, 1935:

H. R. 4005. An act to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the time of making the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

On May 24, 1935:

H. R. 157. An act to amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

H. R. 378. An act for the relief of Gerald Mackey;

H. R. 5707. An act to ratify and confirm the corporate existence of the city of Nome, Alaska, and to authorize it to undertake certain municipal public works, including the construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvement of its sewers and drains, fire-fighting system, streets and alleys, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and a municipal building, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $100,000; and

H. J. Res. 249. Joint resolution to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935.

On May 27, 1935:

H. R. 4239. An act authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Mich., certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Mich.;

H. R. 5444. An act to authorize the Department of Commerce to make special statistical studies upon payment of the cost thereof, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 6143. An act to extend the time during which domestic animals which have crossed the boundary line into foreign countries may be returned duty free.

On May 28, 1935:

H. R. 6021. An act to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6085. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including the filling, grading, and paving of streets and sidewalks, the construction and improvement of sewers and construction of necessary bridges and viaducts in connection with the same, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $35,000;

H. R. 6654. An act to increase the White House Police force, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6723. An act to authorize the town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building, and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $30,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works; and

H. R. 7131. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes.

On May 29, 1935:

H. R. 2045. An act to set aside certain lands for the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota;

H. R. 3975. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia at or near Sea Island Beach; and

H. R. 6954. An act to authorize the transfer of the Green Lake Fish Cultural Station in Hancock County, Maine, as an addition to Acadia National Park.

On May 31, 1935:

H. R. 972. An act for the relief of John Costigan;

H. R. 1846. An act for the relief of Daniel W. Seal;

H. R. 2192. An act for the relief of Harry B. Walmsley; and

H. R. 6114. An act to amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended.

On June 3, 1935:

H. R. 3721. An act for the relief of Angelo J. Gillotti.

On June 4, 1935:

H. R. 2046. An act to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act;

H. R. 4528. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Gretna, La.;

H. R. 5547. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Des Moines River at or near St. Francisville, Mo.;

H. R. 6834. An act to revise and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing Vernon W. O'Connor, of St. Paul, Minn., his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at or near Baudette, Minn.";

H. R. 6859. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of North Carolina to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across Waccamaw River at or near Old Pireway Ferry Crossing, N. C.;

H. R. 6997. An act authorizing the State of Illinois and the State of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River between Kaskaskia Island, Ill., and St. Marys, Mo.; and

H. R. 7291. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Boca Chica, Tex.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 448. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of the Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 449. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 654. An act authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands;

S. 1212. An act to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

S. 1317. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 1469. An act to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona;

S. 1513. An act to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 1539. An act relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

S. 1712. An act to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries;

S. 1942. An act to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927;

S. 2241. An act to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484);

S. 2505. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 2530. An act to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes;

S. 2899. An act to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress; and

S. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian reservation roads.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 1880 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys; that the bills H. R. 350, H. R. 616, H. R. 949, H. R. 1292, H. R. 1541, H. R. 2086, H. R. 3107, H. R. 3230, H. R. 3573, H. R. 3826, H. R. 4428, H. R. 4567, H. R. 4651, H. R. 4820, H. R. 4822, H. R. 4824, H. R. 4827, H. R. 4828, H. R. 4853, and H. R. 5041 be referred to the Committee on Claims; and that the bills H. R. 2293 and H. R. 3109 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Reynolds in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKeller, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman,

Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called,

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Pending further debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The hour of 4 o'clock p. m. having arrived,

The Senate, under an order agreed to on yesterday in executive session, proceeded to the consideration, in executive session, of certain treaties.

After the consideration of executive business,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY OF FEDERAL AVIATION COMMISSION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 92) making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

LAS VEGAS HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, NEVADA

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 416) for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Pittman,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GERMANIA CATERING CO., INC.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 41) for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EMMETT C. NOXON

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 42) for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed 16 enrolled bills, viz, S. 38, S. 279, S. 285, S. 462, S. 535, S. 558, S. 742, S. 905, S. 931, S. 1027, S. 1038, S. 1386, S. 1487, S. 1609, S. 2146, and S. 2467, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 38. An act for the relief of Winifred Meagher;

S. 279. An act to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations;

S. 285. An act to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden;

S. 462. An act to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 535. An act for the relief of William Cornwell and others;

S. 558. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States, and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department;

S. 742. An act for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

S. 905. An act for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

S. 931. An act for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.;

S. 1027. An act for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood;

S. 1038. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

S. 1386. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim or claims of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska;

S. 1487. An act for the relief of Mick C. Cooper;

S. 1609. An act for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps;

S. 2146. An act for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park; and

S. 2467. An act for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 927. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act;

S. 2029. An act to authorize naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement; and

S. 2287. An act to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935.

The House insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. McSwain, Mr. Hill of Alabama, and Mr. Ransley managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 240) for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3272. An act providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.;

H. R. 4507. An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Park, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5720. An act to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended;

H. R. 6250. An act to amend the National Defense Act;

H. R. 6437. An act to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California";

H. R. 6674. An act to create the Reserve Division of the War Department, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7022. An act to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally;

H. R. 7902. An act to provide a right-of-way;

H. R. 7982. An act to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 288. Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblages of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Johnson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 3272, H. R. 4507, H. R. 6250, H. R. 6674, H. R. 7022, and H. R. 7902 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; and that the bills H. R. 5720, H. R. 6437, and H. R. 7982 be placed on the Calendar.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Pennsylvania memorializing Congress to enact legislation which will enable the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to grant loans on real property erected for combined use as business and dwellings; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against any reciprocal tariff agreement with Switzerland which will reduce the tariff on watch movements; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts urging the enactment of legislation to require the use of granite in the construction of public buildings to be erected under the Public Works program; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A resolution adopted by Oakland (Calif.) Lodge No. 802, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, favoring the enactment of legislation or the amendment of the Constitution restricting the assumed powers of the Supreme Court to set aside laws duly enacted by the Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 540. A bill for the relief of Fred Luscher (Rept. No. 800); and

S. 2206. A bill for the relief of the State of New Mexico (Rept. No. 801).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2993) for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 802) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2160) for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 803) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1409) for the relief of the General Baking Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 804) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2204) for the relief of Robert M. Kenton, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 805) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2466) for the relief of John E. Click, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 806) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1111) for the

relief of Alfred L. Hudson, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 807) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 2422. An act for the relief of James O. Greene and Mrs. Hollis S. Hogan (Rept. No. 808); and

H. R. 3180. An act for the relief of Ruth Nolan and Anna Panozza (Rept. No. 809).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1146. A bill for the relief of Michael Dalton (Rept. No. 810); and

H. R. 3512. An Act for the relief of H. B. Arnold (Rept. No. 811).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2889) to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 812) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2169) for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 813) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 556. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department (Rept. No. 814);

H. R. 2553. An act for the relief of Eva S. Brown (Rept. No. 815);

H. R. 2683. An act for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith (Rept. No. 816); and

H. R. 4798. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (Rept. No. 817).

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6371) to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 818) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1116) authorizing the establishment of a filing and indexing service for useful Government publications, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 819) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 132) to create a Commission to determine a suitable location and design for a memorial to the men and women who have been notable or may become notable in the history of the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 820) thereon.

Mr. Keyes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2521) amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 821) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3006) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 822) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2508) to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 823) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2965) to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 824) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2966) to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 825) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2388) authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 826) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1968) authorizing an appropriation for payment to certain bands of Ute Indians in the State of Utah for certain coal lands, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 827) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3008) to increase the efficiency of the Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Couzens:

A bill (S. 3009) for the relief of Will A. Helmer; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 3010) to investigate the claims of and to enroll certain persons, if entitled, with the Omaha Tribe of Indians; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 3011) to amend the act entitled "An act to insure adequate supplies of timber and other forest products for the people of the United States, to promote the full use for timber growing and other purposes of forest lands in the United States, including farm wood lots and those abandoned areas not suitable for agricultural production, and to secure the correlation and the most economical conduct of forest research in the Department of Agriculture, through research in reforestation, timber growing, protection, utilization, forest economics, and related subjects, and for other purposes", approved May 22, 1928; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3012) to prohibit and to prevent the trade practices known as "compulsory block-booking" and "blind selling" in the leasing of motion-picture films in interstate and foreign commerce; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 144) to provide for the payment of compensation and expenses of the Railroad Retirement Board as established and operated pursuant to section 9 of the Railroad Retirement Act of June 27, 1934, and to provide for the winding up of its affairs and the disposition of its property and records, and to make an appropriation for such purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. King:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 145) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World in the District of Columbia, August 25, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 16, 37, and 48 to the said bill and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed eight enrolled bills, viz. S. 41, S. 42, S. 416, S. 557, S. 927, S. 2029, S. 2287, and H. R. 240, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 41. An act for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

S. 42. An act for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon;

S. 416. An act for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.;

S. 557. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 927. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act;

S. 2029. An act to authorize naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement;

S. 2287. An act to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935; and

H. R. 240. An act for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 5, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 38. An act for the relief of Winifred Meagher;

S. 279. An act to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations;

S. 285. An act to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden;

S. 448. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of the Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 449. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 462. An act to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 535. An act for the relief of William Cornwell and others;

S. 558. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department;

S. 654. An act authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands;

S. 742. An act for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

S. 905. An act for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

S. 931. An act for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.;

S. 1027. An act for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood;

S. 1038. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

S. 1212. An act to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States;

S. 1317. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 1386. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim, or claims, of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska;

S. 1469. An act to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona;

S. 1487. An act for the relief of Mick C. Cooper;

S. 1513. An act to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 1539. An act relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

S. 1609. An act for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps;

S. 1712. An act to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries;

S. 1942. An act to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927;

S. 2146. An act for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park;

S. 2241. An act to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484);

S. 2467. An act for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band;

S. 2505. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods;

S. 2530. An act to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes;

S. 2899. An act to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress; and

S. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian reservation roads.

HAROLD E. SEAVEY

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 581) for the relief of Harold E. Seavey.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PAUL H. CRESWELL

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1474) for the relief of Paul H. Creswell.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3973) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 1, 8, 9, 14, 15, 24, 25, 26, 42, 47, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 69, 72, 78, 80, 82, 89, 90, 100, and 101.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 33, 39, 40, 43, 44, 45, 46, 49, 50, 58, 65, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 91, 93, 94, 97, 102, 104, 105, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113 and 114, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 13: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 13, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$12,600;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 30: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 30, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$2,375,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 41: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 41, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$50,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 59: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 59, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

For improvements at the Armstrong High School, $70,000.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 67: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 67, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$830,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 68: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 68, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$3,280,000;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 70: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 70, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$69,770*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 71: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 71, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$50,125*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 73: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 73, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *$8,400; for personal services, $9,420; in all, $17,820*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 81: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 81, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$52,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 83: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 83, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$102,500*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 92: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 92, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$36,500*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 95: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 95, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$77,410*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 96: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 96, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$67,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 98: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 98, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$396,300*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 99: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 99, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$230,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 103: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 103, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *, of which amount not more than $79,000 shall be available for free lunches for necessitous school children*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 106: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 106, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Anacostia River and Flats

For continuing the reclamation and development of Anacostia Park, in accordance with the revised plan as set forth in Senate Document Numbered 37, Sixty-eighth Congress, first session, $40,000.

And the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 16, 37, and 48.

ELMER THOMAS,
CARTER GLASS,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
WILLIAM H. KING,
GERALD P. NYE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

CLARENCE CANNON,
THOMAS L. BLANTON,
J. W. DITTER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendments of the Senate numbered 16, 37, and 48 to the said bill; and,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Wheeler to amend the bill by striking out all after the word "title" on page 17, line 18, down to and including the word "consumers" in line 20, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The hour of 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m. having arrived,

The Senate, under an order agreed to on yesterday in executive session, proceeded to consider in executive session the Convention (Executive H, 69th Cong., 1st sess.) for the Supervision of the International Trade in Arms and Ammunition and in Implements of War, signed at Geneva, Switzerland, on June 17, 1925.

After the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 25 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quurum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answer to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate joint resolutions of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, which were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, as follows:

A joint resolution requesting Congress to pass legislation enabling the Legislature of the Territory to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes;

A joint resolution requesting Congress to amend section 202 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act relating to the membership of the Commission and the appointment of officers;

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide for the issuance of certificates of citizenship to all persons residing in the Territory who are citizens of the United States and who apply for such certificates and present due proof of such citizenship;

A joint resolution requesting Congress to provide financial assistance to the Territory for the segregation, care, maintenance, and treatment therein of persons afflicted or suspected of being afflicted with leprosy; and

A joint resolution requesting Congress to enact legislation to authorize the Legislature of the Territory to provide for the issuance of certain bonds.

The Vice President laid before the Senate communications from the Governor of Hawaii, transmitting certified copies of four acts which were enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii during its regular session of 1935; which were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Murray, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2073. A bill to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 828); and

S. 2074. A bill to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 829).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2140) for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 830) thereon.

Mr. Byrd, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1730) for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 831) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 144. A bill for the relief of Austin L. Tierney (Rept. No. 832); and

S. 2845. A bill to provide for the retirement and retirement annuities of civilian members of the teaching staffs at the United States Naval Academy and the Postgraduate School, United States Naval Academy (Rept. No. 833).

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4764) for the relief of the officers and men of the United States Naval and Marine Corps Reserve who performed flights in naval aircraft in connection with the search for victims and wreckage of the United States dirigible *Akron*, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 834) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1893) to restore to the public domain portions of the Jordan Narrows (Utah) Military Reservation, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 835) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 379) to provide for the deportation of certain alien seamen, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 836) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 142) providing for the continuance of the wildlife-restoration program and other conservation projects, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 837) thereon.

Mr. Gerry, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5382) to

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provide for advancement by selection in the Staff Corps of the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant commander and lieutenant; to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the equalization of promotion of officers of the Staff Corps of the Navy with officers of the line" (44 Stat. 717; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 34, secs. 348 to 348t), and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 838) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 46) authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to employ an additional assistant clerk, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Education and Labor hereby is authorized to employ for the duration of the Seventy-fourth Congress an assistant clerk, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at the rate of $2,000 per annum.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 97) to authorize additional expenditure by the special committee on investigation of the administration of receiverships and bankruptcy proceedings in the United States courts, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment striking out on line 8 the sum of "$25,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$10,000* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 129) authorizing an increase in the limit of expenditures by the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the special committee appointed by the Vice President, under authority of S. Res. 206, agreed to on April 12, 1934, to investigate the munitions industry, hereby is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate $25,000 in addition to the amount heretofore authorized to be expended to complete the investigation authorized in said resolution.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 146) to investigate certain airplane accidents and interstate air commerce, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The preamble was agreed to.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 148) enlarging the scope of the investigation of the administration of the Virgin Islands and increasing the limit of the expenditures, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3013) to add lands to the Rogue River National Forest, Oreg.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 3014) for the relief of J. P. Harris; to the Committee on Claims.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

H. B. Van Brunt; to the Committee on Claims.

American Eagle; to the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources.

May S. King; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed the bill (S. 1305) to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 6768) to authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the Seventeenth National Convention of the American Legion at St. Louis, Mo., during the month of September 1935, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 26), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the statue of Hannibal Hamlin, presented by the State of Maine, now in Statuary Hall, is accepted in the name of the United States, and that the thanks of Congress be tendered the State for the contribution of the statue of one of is most eminent citizens, illustrious for his distinguished service to the country; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated, be transmitted to the Governor of Maine.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 581 and S. 1474, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 92, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 581. An act for the relief of Harold E. Seavey;

S. 1474. An act for the relief of Paul H. Creswell; and

S. J. Res. 92. Joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ADDITIONAL CADETS AT UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its amendment numbered 3.

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 1 and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 2, and agree to the the same with an amendment, as follows:

At the end of said amendment insert the following: *, and three of whom shall be selected from persons recommended by the Vice President,*; and the House agree to the same.

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the House amendment to the title of the said bill and agree to the same.

MORRIS SHEPPARD,
DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
ROBERT D. CAREY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN J. MCSWAIN,
LISTER HILL,
HARRY C. RANSLEY,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 6768, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ACCEPTANCE OF STATUE OF HANNIBAL HAMLIN

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Vandenberg in the chair) laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 26) accepting the statue of Hannibal Hamlin, presented by the State of Maine, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Wheeler, striking out all after the word "title", on page 17, line 18, down to and including the word "consumers", in line 20, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Bachman in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EXPENSES OF ASSEMBLING 4–H CLUBS

On motion by Mr. Bankhead, and by unanimous consent,

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 288) authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblages of the 4–H clubs, and for other purposes, heretofore received from the House of Representatives, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RELIEF OF WATER USERS ON RECLAMATION AND INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECTS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Bachman in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1305) to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 2105, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and a joint resolution, as follows:

On June 5, 1935:

H. R. 2689. An act for the relief of Mary Ford Conrad;

H. R. 4708. An act for the relief of E. F. Droop & Sons Co.;

H. R. 6204. An act to authorize the assignment of officers of the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6372. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in connection with the Cabeza de Vaca Expedition and the opening of the Old Spanish Trail;

H. R. 7873. An act to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact, signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, 71st Cong., 46 Stat. 767); and

H. R. 7874. An act to change the name of the German Orphan Asylum Association of the District of Columbia to the German Orphan Home of the District of Columbia.

On June 6, 1935:

H. R. 285. An act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Halpin;

H. R. 1291. An act for the relief of the Muncy Valley Private Hospital;

H. R. 3285. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Oswego, Oneida, Seneca, and Clyde Rivers in Oswego, Onondaga, Oneida, Madison, Cayuga, Wayne, Seneca, Tompkins, Schuyler, Yates, and Ontario Counties, N. Y., with a view to the controlling of floods;

H. R. 4630. An act for the relief of William A. Ray; and

H. J. Res. 107. Joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

On June 7, 1935:

H. R. 3073. An act for the relief of William E. Smith.

REORGANIZATION OF TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

To the Congress of the United States:

It is high time to deal with the Nation's transportation as a single, unified problem. For many years in the past transportation meant mainly railroads. But the rise of new forms of transportation, great expenditures of Government funds for the development of waterways, and for the building of great highways, and the development of invention within the railroad system itself have enlarged the problem far beyond that conception which dominated most of our past legislation on the subject. In some instances the Government has helped a little. In others it retarded. In still others it has given special assistance from time to time—in many instances without rhyme nor reason—in all instances without considering each aspect of the problem in the light of all the others. It is small wonder that in a transportation picture so confused the public has been inadequately served.

I have from time to time, in this session, addressed the Congress as to the necessity of various forms of Government aid and regulation of transportation. I now wish to draw together and supplement these various suggestions for the consideration of the Congress in this session.

In the railroad field there has been a growing recognition of the necessity for reorganization and coordination. To that end there was created the office of Federal Coordinator of Transportation. The Coordinator has considered various ways of effecting economies through the physical coordination of railway facilities and services, and, in addition, has studied and made suggestions for legislative measures covering both the railroads and other forms of transportation.

Another type of reorganization necessary for the sound and healthy recovery of our railroad system is financial. Many of our railroads are in a sound financial condition. Others are in need of reorganization. To enable necessary financial reorganizations to be effected inexpensively and promptly the Congress passed, 2 years ago, certain amendments to the Federal Bankruptcy Act. Shortcomings in this legislation have appeared which have prevented an efficient and extensive use of it. In order to correct these shortcomings the Coordinator has recommended certain amendments which are now before the Congress for action. Various differences of opinion as to these amendments are rapidly being adjusted and it is my hope that this legislation may be promptly enacted.

I have already recommended to the Congress my views with regard to the relations that should exist between the Federal Government and air carriers. Legislation has been introduced for the purpose of carrying out these recommendations. I am in general accord with the substance of this legislation, although I still maintain, as I indicated in my message on that subject, that a separate commission need not be established to effectuate the purposes of such legislation. Air transportation should be brought into a proper relation to other forms of transportation by subjecting it to regulation by the same agency.

A bill for the regulation of highway motor carriers has passed the Senate and is now before the House of Representatives. The practical unanimity with which the Senate passed this bill convinces me of the extent to which all of the difficult adjustments among the interests concerned were made and I recommend its early passage by the House.

Another bill for the regulation of intercoastal and coastwise trade and of some of the inland-waterway carriers prepared by the Coordinator has been introduced and is before the Congress for action. I recommend that this bill be considered by the appropriate committees and pressed to early passage. I can see no reason why the responsibility for the regulation of intercoastal, coastwise, and inland waterways should not be vested in the Interstate Commerce Commission, with proper provision for the departmentalizing of the work of the Commission.

It is my hope that the Interstate Commerce Commission may, with the addition of the new duties that I have indicated, ultimately become a Federal Transportation Commission with comprehensive powers. It had been my intention to recommend this strongly to this session of the Congress, but the time remaining seems to preclude the discussions necessary for such changes. Such a reorganization should not be delayed, however, beyond the second session of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The efforts toward the coordination of the railroads and the general improvement of transportation conditions which were begun by the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act of 1933, should proceed, and I recommend that the act and the office of Coordinator be extended for at least another year.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 7, 1935.*

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 2105) to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Wheeler, on page 17, beginning in line 18,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. BARKLEY, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That upon the convening of the Senate on Monday next no Senator shall speak more than once on the bill or any amendment thereto and that there be imposed a limitation of 15 minutes on the bill and 10 minutes on each amendment.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its business today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

After debate,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Wheeler was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Wheeler, the motion of Mr. Barkley, the motion of Mr. Radcliffe, the motion of Mr. White, the motion of Mr. Moore, and the motion of Mr. Minton.

On motion by Mr. Johnson, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to Mr. Minton's amendment, inserting on page 44, at the end of line 10, a provision providing for conditional retention of an interest in certain companies, was reconsidered; and

The further consideration of the said amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed the bill (S. 2536) providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

CARMINE SFORZA

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 209) for the relief of Carmine Sforza.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Lonergan,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SUSPENSION OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENT WORK ON MINING CLAIMS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2536) providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Hatch,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Gore and the motion of Mr. Bailey.

Mr. Barkley and Mr. Bailey proposed certain amendments to the bill, the consideration of which was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

On motion by Mr. Norris, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment, inserting on page 45, after line 24, a provision relating to eligibility of certain holding companies for loans from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, was reconsidered; and

The further consideration of the said amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

On motion by Mr. Bailey, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the amendment proposed by him, inserting on page 24, line 24, after the word "States", the following: *except securities in a corporation in which said registered holding company already has an interest,* was reconsidered; and

The amendment was disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill as amended be reprinted.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 4 o'clock and 43 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, June 7, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 3973, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, House Joint Resolution 288, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill and joint resolution:

H. R. 3973. An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 288. Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblages of the 4–H clubs, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Thomas Pisarick, of Vandegrift, Pa., praying the enactment of legislation to legalize the entry of aliens in the United States who entered this country before 1924, which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial:

A petition of Local Union No. 511, United Brick and Clay Workers, of Aden, Ky., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and extending the National Industrial Recovery Administration for 2 years;

A petition of Joseph Tavanese, a citizen of the United States, praying the extension for 1 year of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933;

A petition of Fernando Calpofro, of Manila, P. I., praying the enactment of legislation providing relief of certain Spanish-American War veterans; and

A memorial of a citizen of Hartford, Conn., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented a communication from J. R. McIntosh, of New York City, together with a bulletin of the American Council of Foreign Bond Holders relative to the German dollar bond situation to date; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2464) for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 839) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following

bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 1119. An act for the relief of Joseph W. Harley (Rept. No. 840); and

H. R. 1438. An act for the relief of Carrie McIntyre (Rept. No. 841).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 617) to correct the military record of Lake B. Morrison, reported it with an amendment to the title and submitted a report (No. 842) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4827. An act for the relief of Don C. Fees (Rept. No. 843); and

H. R. 4828. An act for the relief of John L. Summers, disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 844).

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2351) to amend section 66 of the Judicial Code to provide for the enforcement of the lien of State and local taxes against property in the possession of receivers and other officers of the United States courts without leave of such courts, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 845) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2524) amending section 112 of the United States Code, annotated (title 28; subtitle "Civil suits; where to be brought"), reported it without amendment.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2739) to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 846) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2912) to repatriate native-born women who have heretofore lost their citizenship by marriage to an alien, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 847) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 127. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Patents to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

S. Res. 135. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Schall, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4123) providing for the payment of $15 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of the Red Lake Band of Minnesota from the timber fund standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 848) thereon.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 7, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 41. An act for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

S. 42. An act for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon;

S. 416. An act for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.;

S. 557. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 581. An act for the relief of Harold E. Seavey;

S. 927. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act;

S. 1474. An act for the relief of Paul H. Creswell;

S. 2029. An act to authorize the naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement;

S. 2105. An act to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes;

S. 2287. An act to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935; and

S. J. Res. 92. Joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the following bills and that they be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys:

H. R. 3272. An act providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.; and

H. R. 4507. An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Courthouse, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Courthouse National Historical Park, and for other purposes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 3015) granting a pension to Carrie Taylor Shockley (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3016) for the relief of E. Sullivan; and

A bill (S. 3017) for the relief of Sgt. Ceaser La Forge, United States Army, retired; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3018) to authorize the Secretary of War to acquire, by donation, land at Valparaiso, in Okaloosa County, Fla., for aviation field, military or other public purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 3019) for the relief of Max Dole Gilfillan (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3020) for the relief of A. E. Taplin (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3021) granting a pension to Nellie M. Redington (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3022) to provide a right-of-way; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3023) for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith; and

A bill (S. 3024) for the relief of Booth & Co., Inc., a Delaware corporation; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3025) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide compensation for disability or death resulting from injury to employees in certain employments in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes", approved May 17, 1928, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 3026) granting double pension by reason of injury or disease to officers and enlisted men, and to their widows and dependents, whose death was due to service in line of duty; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 3027) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by aircraft in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3028) granting a pension to Anna Krebs; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 146) to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL MILITARY PARK AT KENNESAW MOUNTAIN, GA.

Mr. Sheppard submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendment.

MORRIS SHEPPARD,
DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
ROBERT D. CAREY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN J. MCSWAIN,
LISTER HILL,
HARRY C. RANSLEY,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. Dieterich proposed certain amendments to the bill, the consideration of which was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Barkley, the motion of Mr. McKellar, the motion of Mr. Johnson, the motion of Mr. Wheeler, and the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to Mr. Wheeler's amendment, striking all out after line 7 on page 49, down to and including the word "receiver", in line 25, was reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar,

The amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Barkley on page 58, lines 1 and 2; page 66, lines 23 and 24; and page 69, line 22; and having been modified by Mr. Barkley,

The amendments, as modified, were agreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendment proposed by Mr. Minton on page 44, line 10, when he withdrew the same.

Mr. Barkley withdrew the amendments heretofore proposed by him to subsection (b) on page 19, lines 13 and 16, respectively, and at the end of line 19.

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 113, line 17, after the word "municipality", certain words, the further consideration of the said amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney to further amend the bill by striking out, on page 113, lines 16 and 17, the words "State, or municipality", the consideration of the said amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed three enrolled bills, viz, S. 209, S. 1305, and S. 2536, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 209. An act for the relief of Carmine Sforza;

S. 1305. An act to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects; and

S. 2536. An act providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. Tydings raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffy, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Barkley submitted a request for unanimous consent to vote on tomorrow on the amendments proposed by Mr. Dieterich and on the final passage of the bill, and the same having been subsequently modified by him was entered into, as follows:

Ordered, That on tomorrow at not later than 2 o'clock p. m. the Senate proceed to vote on the amendments proposed today by Mr. Dieterich, and at not later than 4 o'clock p. m. the Senate vote on the final passage of the bill.

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The Vice President again submitted Mr. Barkley's request, as modified, to the Senate; and

No objection was interposed.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendment proposed by Mr. O'Mahoney, inserting on page 113, on line 17, after the word "municipality" the words *for the purpose of developing electric power*; and

The amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside; and

EXTENSION OF EMERGENCY RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION ACT

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 112) extending the effective period of the emergency railroad transportation act, 1933.

The reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

On motion by Mr. Hastings, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing joint resolution was reconsidered.

After debate,

Resolved, That the said joint resolution pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hayden in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the call of the calendar commence with no. 779.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2278) authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States High Commissioner to the Government of the Commonwealth of the Philippine Islands; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Vandenberg.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States representatives in the Philippine Islands."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1865) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of W. S. O'Brien against the United States; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of W. S. O'Brien."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7781) to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, That the bill (S. 2655) of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1186) for the relief of Frank P. Ross; and the reported amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. Bone, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1490) for the relief of Earl A. Ross; and the reported amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. Bone, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 2649. A bill to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.;

S. 2743. A bill to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone;

S. 203. A bill to provide for a preliminary examination of the Connecticut River, with a view to the control of its floods and prevention of erosion of its banks in the State of Connecticut, and for other purposes;

S. 2865. A bill to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928;

S. 2556. A bill to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895;

S. 2286. A bill providing for the allocation of net revenues of the Shoshone power plant of the Shoshone reclamation project in Wyoming;

S. 1179. A bill for the relief of James H. Smith;

S. 2779. A bill to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska;

S. 2626. A bill to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2774. A bill for the relief of certain officers on the retired list of the Navy and Marine Corps, who have been commended for their performance of duty in actual combat with the enemy during the World War;

S. 2761. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon;

S. 540. A bill for the relief of Fred Luscher;

S. 2206. A bill for the relief of the State of New Mexico;

S. 2993. A bill for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts;

S. 1409. A bill for the relief of the General Baking Co.;

S. 1146. A bill for the relief of Michael Dalton;

S. 2889. A bill to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims;

S. 2169. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States;

S. 2521. A bill amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy;

S. 2508. A bill to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans;

S. 2965. A bill to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920;

S. 2388. A bill authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge;

S. 2073. A bill to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes;

S. 2074. A bill to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes;

S. 144. A bill for the relief of Austin L. Tierney;

S. 1893. A bill to restore to the public domain portions of the Jordan Narrows (Utah) Military Reservation; and

S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 2895) to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California", having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 6437) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2895 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6673) providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the commissions established by that committee; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill was reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 139) requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6836) to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to the National Archives Establishment; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to The National Archives."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 2611. A bill to authorize the Utah Pioneer Trails and Landmarks Association to construct and maintain a monument on the Fort Douglas Military Reservation, Salt Lake City, Utah;

S. 2891. A bill to provide for the adjustment and settlement of personal injury and death cases arising in certain foreign countries;

S. 2832. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 2737. A bill authorizing the erection in the District of Columbia of a suitable terminal marker for the Jefferson Davis National Highway;

S. 2001. A bill to amend section 4426 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended by the act of Congress approved May 16, 1906;

S. 2010. A bill to improve the living accommodations on vessels under one hundred tons;

S. 2421. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act forbidding the transportation of any person in interstate or foreign commerce, kidnaped, or otherwise unlawfull detained, and making such act a felony", as amended;

S. 2715. A bill conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of the Choctaw Indians of the State of Mississippi;

S. 2406. A bill for the relief of Nancy Jordan;

S. 2780. A bill to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.;

S. 2846. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired;

S. 1613. A bill for the relief of Andrew J. McCallen;

S. 556. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 2966. A bill to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes;

S. 1730. A bill for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.;

S. 2545. A bill to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.; and

S. 1448. A bill for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 2015) to extend the time for naturalization of alien veterans of the World War having been reached,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 2739) to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that the bill S. 2015 be postponed indefinitely.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Barkley,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 2756. An act authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7160. An act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; and

H. R. 3512. An act for the relief of H. B. Arnold.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5720) to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 2710) of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 132) to create a Commission to determine a suitable location and design for a memorial to the men and women who have been notable or may become notable in the history of the United States; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1116) authorizing the establishment of a filing and indexing service for useful Government publications; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing the establishment of a filing and indexing service for useful government publications."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 3006) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 7982) of an identical title; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Norbeck,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 3006 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 142) providing for the continuance of the wildlife restoration program and other conservation projects; and,

On motion by Mr. Norbeck,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1968) authorizing an appropriation for payment to certain bands of Ute Indians in the State of Utah for certain coal lands, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 4448. An act to provide funds for acquisition of a site, erection of buildings, and the furnishing thereof for the use of the diplomatic and consular establishments of the United States at Helsingfors, Finland;

H. R. 6987. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 7 meets Texas Highway No. 87;

H. R. 7081. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr.;

H. R. 5564. An act for the relief of Capt. Russell Willson, United States Navy;

H. R. 67. An act to repeal certain laws providing that certain aliens who have filed declarations of intention to become citizens of the United States shall be considered citizens for the purposes of service and protection on American vessels;

H. R. 2204. An act for the relief of Robert M. Kenton;

H. R. 2466. An act for the relief of John E. Click;

H. R. 2422. An act for the relief of James O. Greene and Mrs. Hollis S. Hogan;

H. R. 2553. An act for the relief of Eva S. Brown;

H. R. 2683. An act for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith;

H. R. 4798. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 6371. An act to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind;

H. R. 5456. An act relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals;

H. J. Res. 204. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand;

H. J. Res. 26. Joint Resolution requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Erikson Day;

H. J. Res. 27. Joint resolution providing for extension of cooperative work of the Geological Survey to Puerto Rico; and

H. J. Res. 285. Joint resolution to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions pass to a third reading.

The said bills and joint resolutions were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1453) to create a board of shorthand reporting, and for other purposes.

The vote ordering the engrossment and third reading of the bill was reconsidered by unanimous consent and the bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Connally.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

ORDER OF BUSINESS ON TOMORROW

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its business today it takes a recess until 11 o'clock and 30 minutes a. m. tomorrow; that at said hour the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes; and that if the consideration of said amendments has not been concluded by 12 o'clock m. the Senate then resume the consideration of the bill S. 2796, the Public Utility Act of 1935.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 11:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 11:30 A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1935)

The President pro tempore called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the further exemption from taxation of any and all bonds and other evidences of indebtedness issued by the Federal, State, and local governments; to the Committee on Finance.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A communication from the Governor of Hawaii transmitting a certified copy of an act of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii during its regular session of 1935; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, Calif., memorializing Congress to make ample provision for the encouragement of the artistic, cultural, humane, patriotic, and sentimental phases of our American national life in the Federal Works plan;

A resolution adopted at a banquet held by the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, San Antonio, Tex., favoring the passage of legislation providing for the celebration of the Texas centennial;

A resolution adopted by the Scandinavian Civic League, of San Francisco, Calif., favoring the passage of legislation to proclaim October 9 "Lief Erickson Day";

A petition of Local Union No. 2518, United Mine Workers of America, of Gatliff, Ky., praying the enactment of legislation to regulate the bituminous coal industry and to provide for the settlement of labor disputes; and

Petitions of citizens of New York City praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Norwich, N. Y., by the Chenango County Dairymen's League Association urging the restoration to Congress of its sovereign right to coin money and regulate the value thereof in the interests of all the people of the United States;

A resolution adopted by the legislative committee of the Credit Association of Western New York, of Buffalo, N. Y., remonstrating against any amendment at this time to the Federal Banking Act; and

A report and recommendation of the legislative committee of the Kings County Bankers Association, of the State of New York, of proposed amendments to the Banking Act of 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by Aviators' Post No. 743, American Legion, of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation creating a Department of Air; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by Salt City Council, No. 114, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Syracuse, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation weakening the present alien deportation law; to the Committee on Immigration.

A memorial of officers of Court No. 830, Catholic Daughters of America, of Canadaigua, N. Y., remonstrating against a certain proposed amendment to Senate bill 1541, to punish

persons knowingly causing the delivery by mail of certain nonmailable matter; and

A petition of members of the National Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, Department of New York, of Brooklyn, N. Y., praying the passage of House bill 5541, known as the "American Flag Act"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution adopted by David J. O'Connell Post, No. 2264, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Ozone Park, N. Y., favoring the passage of legislation designating the last Sunday in September as "Gold Star Mother's Day"; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials:

A petition of employees of the Leo Department Store, of Oswego, N. Y., praying the continuation of codes under the National Industrial Recovery Administration;

Resolutions adopted by the Central Trades and Labor Assembly of Syracuse (N. Y.) and vicinity favoring the passage of legislation providing for the settlement of labor disputes and the continuation of codes under the National Industrial Recovery Administration;

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, of Ithaca, N. Y., remonstrating against the passage of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A resolution adopted at Norwich, N. Y., by the Chenango County Dairymen's League Cooperative Association remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to provide for the regulation of motor trucks engaged in interstate commerce.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 10, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 209. An act for the relief of Carmine Sforza;

S. 1305. An act to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects; and

S. 2536. An act providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6464) to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 849) thereon.

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Patents, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1794. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925 (Rept. No. 850); and

S. 1795. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925 (Rept. No. 851).

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 146) to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1440) to enroll on the citizenship rolls certain persons of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations or Tribes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 852) thereon.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent, the following reports were submitted:

Mr. Fletcher, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the nomination of John H. Fahey, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, reported it favorably.

Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the nomination of Dr. Theodore J. Bauer to be assistant surgeon in the United States Public Health Service, reported it favorably.

Mr. Walsh, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the nomination of William M. Welch to be collector of Internal Revenue for the district of Massachusetts, reported it favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Charles W. Spencer to be postmaster at Aptos, Calif., and certain other nominations for postmasters, reported them favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3029) to increase the efficiency of the United States Navy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3030) granting the consent of Congress to the Rockland-Westchester Hudson River Crossing Authority, State of New York, to construct, maintain, and operate a highway bridge and causeway across the Hudson River between a point in the vicinity of the village of Nyack, Rockland County, and the village of Tarrytown, Westchester County, N. Y.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3031) to exempt from taxation receipts from the operation of Olympic Games if donated to the State of California, the city of Los Angeles, and the county of Los Angeles; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 3032) for the relief of John G. DeMuth; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3033) for the relief of Lula G. Sutton and others; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3034) granting an increase in pension to Miriam Glanville Skelly; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3035) to provide for enforcing the lien of the District of Columbia upon real estate bid off in its name when offered for sale for arrears of taxes and assessments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Frazier:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 147) creating a joint committee to investigate Federal liquor control and methods practiced in defrauding the Federal Government of taxes due from liquor sales; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 410. An act to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

S. 2100. An act to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2591) for the relief of Lyman C. Drake, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 5809. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia";

H. R. 7526. An act to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters; and

H. J. Res. 320. Joint resolution to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 5809 and H. R. 7526, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

EXTENSION OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate, under its order of yesterday, the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Harrison to concur in the amendment of the House of Representatives to the text of the joint resolution with an amendment, adding at the end thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Gore to amend Mr. Harrison's amendment by adding a new paragraph thereto providing for confirmation by the Senate of certain appointments,

Pending debate,

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The hour of 12 o'clock m. having arrived,

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Dieterich, striking out all after the word "hearing" on page 43, line 24, down to and including line 15, on page 45, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

after January 1, 1938, to require the corporate structure of the holding-company system of each registered holding company to be simplified to the extent that such corporate structure contains unnecessary complexities which are detrimental to the interests of investors, consumers, and the general public; and to that end to require such registered holding company and each subsidiary public-utility company thereof to take such action as may be necessary to accomplish such simplification; and to require each registered holding company and each subsidiary public-utility company thereof to confer unrestricted voting power upon the holders of all shares of stock of such company, irrespective of class, to the extent that the Commission finds it necessary in order to ensure that voting power is fairly and equitably distributed among the holders of securities of such company.

Pending debate,

Mr. Dieterich raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The hour of 2 o'clock p. m. having arrived, and further debate being precluded under the order of yesterday,

The question was taken on agreeing to Mr. Dieterich's amendment; and

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 44 / Nays---------- 45

On motion by Mr. Wheeler,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Metcalf, Moore, Neely, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are:

Adams, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Johnson, La Follette, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Dieterich's amendment was not agreed to.

Mr. Dieterich withdrew the remaining amendments proposed by him on yesterday, the consideration of which was postponed temporarily.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Pittman, the motion of Mr. McKellar, the motion of Mr. Wheeler, the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, the motion of Mr. Norbeck, the motion of Mr. Adams, and the motion of Mr. Clark.

On motion by Mr. Lonergan to further amend the bill by striking out lines 23 and 24 on page 43, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Mr. Hatch raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammel, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Lonergan's amendment, viz, on page 43, strike out lines 23 and 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

It shall be the duty of the Commission, if, after complaint, notice, and hearing, it is found that any registered holding company or any subsidiary thereof is engaged in practices that are detrimental to the public interest, it shall after notice and opportunity for hearing order——

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 43 / Nays 45 }

On motion by Mr. Lonergan,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Metcalf, Moore, Neely, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Johnson, La Follette, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Lonergan's amendment was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Borah.

On motion by Mr. Gore to further amend the bill by inserting on page 51, line 10, after the word "unless", certain words,

Pending debate,

The hour of 4 o'clock p. m. having arrived,

The Vice President stated that, under the unanimous consent agreement entered into on yesterday, no further debate was in order and the question was on the final passage of the bill.

The bill was engrossed and read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 56 / Nays 32 }

On motion by Mr. Wheeler,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Costigan, Couzens, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Lonergan, Metcalf, Moore, Neely, Reynolds, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

The title was ordered to stand as aforesaid,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT JUDGE IN MASSACHUSETTS

Mr. Ashurst submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4665) to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the text of the bill and the title thereof and agree to the same.

HENRY F. ASHURST,
WM. E. BORAH,
WILLIAM H. KING,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

HATTON W. SUMNERS,
W. V. GREGORY,
RANDOLPH PERKINS,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RENEWAL OF LOANS TO BANK OFFICIALS

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 320) to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent; and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 146) of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

LYMAN C. DRAKE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2591) for the relief of Lyman C. Drake.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXTENSION OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions

of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Gore to Mr. Harrison's amendment, viz, add a new paragraph thereto, as follows:

Sec. —. (A) Hereafter any person who shall receive under this or any other act of Congress a salary or other compensation at the rate of $4,000 or more per annum shall be appointed by the President by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

(B) No such person appointed during the recess of Congress shall serve or be paid for a longer period than sixty days after the convening of the next succeeding session of Congress unless appointed and confirmed as provided above, and no such person appointed while Congress is in session shall serve or be paid for a period of more than sixty days nor beyond the adjournment of Congress unless so appointed and confirmed.

(C) No such person appointed under the provisions of this act or the provisions of Public, Numbered 10, Seventy-third Congress, as amended (Agricultural Adjustment Act), and under the provisions of Public, Numbered 67, as amended, of the Seventy-third Congress (National Industrial Recovery Act) or paid out of any appropriation made in pursuance of this or any such act or acts shall serve for a period of more than one year from the date of his confirmation by the Senate unless reappointed and confirmed as herein provided; and any such person appointed and confirmed hereunder who shall serve or be paid under the provisions of any other act or acts not herein specified shall serve until the end of the administration of the President by whom such person was appointed.

(D) The President shall by Executive order fix the rate of compensation which any such person so appointed and confirmed shall receive and be paid and shall prescribe the official title or designation by which such person shall be known.

(E) Section 1761, Revised Statutes, is hereby reenacted insofar as consistent with the provisions of this section.

After debate,

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 43 / Nays 38 }

On motion by Mr. Couzens,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Keyes, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, and Van Nuys.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Guffey, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Utah, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Gore's amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Long to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment,

On motion by Mr. Gore to lay Mr. Long's motion on the table,

On motion by Mr. Barkley that the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 47 / Nays 37 }

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, McAdoo, McCarran, McKellar, Metcalf, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So Mr. Barkley's motion was agreed to; and thereupon, at 4 o'clock and 47 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

PETITIONS

Mr. Tydings presented the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, which were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

A joint resolution requesting Congress to enact legislation enabling the Legislature of the Territory to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes;

A joint resolution requesting Congress to amend section 202 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act relating to the membership of the commission and the appointment of officers;

A joint resolution memorializing Congress to provide for the issuance of certificates of citizenship to all persons residing in the Territory of Hawaii who are citizens of the United States and who apply for such certificates and present due proof of such citizenship;

A joint resolution requesting Congress to enact legislation to authorize the legislature of the Territory to provide for the issuance of certain bonds; and

A joint resolution requesting Congress to provide financial assistance to the Territory for the segregation, care, maintenance, and treatment therein of persons afflicted or suspected of being afflicted with leprosy.

Mr. Tydings presented five acts of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii enacted in its regular session of 1935; which were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2887) authorizing the Perry County Bridge Commission of Perry County, Ind., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cannelton, Ind., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 853) thereon.

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1788) authorizing the State of Michigan to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the St. Clair River at or near Port Huron, Mich., and to acquire other transportation facilities between said State and Canada, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 854) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 1292. An act for the relief of Grace McClure (Rept. No. 855); and

H. R. 4651. An act for the relief of the Noble County (Ohio) Agricultural Society (Rept. No. 856).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2125) for the relief of George William Henning, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 857) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3337. An act for the relief of James Akeroyd & Co. (Rept. No. 858);

H. R. 4105. An act for the relief of Julian C. Dorr (Rept. No. 859); and

H. R. 4838. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department (Rept. No. 860).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1139) for the relief of Henry C. Zeller and Edward G. Zeller with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income tax paid to the United States for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1916, and ending September 30, 1917, in excess of the amount of tax lawfully due for such period, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report No. 861) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3230) for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 862) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4811) for the relief of George W. Miller, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 863) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3556. An act for the relief of Sophie Carter (Rept. No. 864);

H. R. 4034. An act for the relief of Charles Szymanski (Rept. No. 865);

H. R. 4146. An act for the relief of Mrs. Olin H. Reed (Rept. No. 866); and

H. R. 4610. An act for the relief of John J. Moran (Rept. No. 867).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4808) for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 868) thereon.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was refered the bill (S. 2695) to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 869) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 501. A bill to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Oregon, at or near Taft, Oreg. (Rept. No. 871); and

H. R. 115. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920 (Rept. No. 870).

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7235) to amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 872) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nomination of Nelson Trusler Johnson to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to China, reported it favorably.

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Percy L. Hakes to be postmaster at Brownton, Minn., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 3036) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3037) for the relief of the heirs at law of Barnabas W. Baker and Joseph Baker; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 3038) to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration Facility, Alexandria, La.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Hastings:

A bill (S. 3039) for the relief of the heirs of Prof. William H. H. Hart, principal of the Hart Farm School and Junior Republic for Dependent Children; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3040) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of the Office of Naval Records and Library, Navy Department; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A bill (S. 3041) to authorize the appointment of John Easter Harris as a major, Corps of Engineers, Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 3042) making appropriation for relief in stricken agricultural areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 148) granting the consent of Congress to the minimum-wage compact ratified by the Legislatures of Massachusetts and New Hampshire; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed the bill (H. R. 7980) to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 7980, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

EXTENSION OF THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Gore to lay on the table the motion of Mr. Long to reconsider

the vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment to Mr. Harrison's amendment to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the text of the said joint resolution.

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Gore's motion to lay Mr. Long's motion to reconsider on the table,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 36 / Nays---------- 44

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Couzens, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Burke, Byrnes, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So the motion to lay on the table was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Long's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment to Mr. Harrison's amendment,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Sumners, Mr. Celler, and Mr. Perkins managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6836) to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to the National Archives Establishment.

The Speaker of the House having signed 17 enrolled bills, viz, S. 2591, H. R. 67, H. R. 2204, H. R. 2422, H. R. 2466, H. R. 2553, H. R. 2683, H. R. 4448, H. R. 4798, H. R. 5456, H. R. 5564, H. R. 5720, H. R. 6371, H. R. 6437, H. R. 6987, H. R. 7081, and H. R. 7781, and 5 enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 26, H. J. Res. 27, H. J. Res. 204, H. J. Res. 285, and H. J. Res. 320, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 2591. An act for the relief of Lyman C. Drake;

H. R. 67. An act to repeal certain laws providing that certain aliens who have filed declarations of intention to become citizens of the United States shall be considered citizens for the purposes of service and protection on American vessels;

H. R. 2204. An act for the relief of Robert M. Kenton;

H. R. 2422. An act for the relief of James O. Greene and Mrs. Hollis S. Hogan;

H. R. 2466. An act for the relief of John E. Click;

H. R. 2553. An act for the relief of Eva S. Brown;

H. R. 2683. An act for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith;

H. R. 4448. An act to provide funds for acquisition of a site, erection of buildings, and the furnishing thereof for the use of the diplomatic and consular establishments of the United States at Helsingfors, Finland;

H. R. 4798. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 5456. An act relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals;

H. R. 5564. An act for the relief of Capt. Russell Willson, United States Navy;

H. R. 5720. An act to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended;

H. R. 6371. An act to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind;

H. R. 6437. An act to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California";

H. R. 6987. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 7 meets Texas Highway No. 87;

H. R. 7081. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownsville, Nebr.;

H. R. 7781. An act to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 26. Joint resolution requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Erikson Day;

H. J. Res. 27. Joint resolution for extension of cooperative work of the Geological Survey to Puerto Rico;

H. J. Res. 204. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand;

H. J. Res. 285. Joint resolution to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935; and

H. J. Res. 320. Joint resolution to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXTENSION OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Long's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment to Mr. Harrison's amendment to the House amendment to the text of the joint resolution,

During the delivery of an address by Mr. Long,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

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The Presiding Officer (Mr. Guffey in the chair), in response to a parliamentary inquiry by Mr. Gore, held that Mr. Long could yield for the purpose of a quorum call without losing his status.

The Vice President, taking the chair, held, in response to a parliamentary inquiry by Mr. Harrison, that under the practice of the Senate a Senator yielding for the purpose of giving another Senator an opportunity of raising the point of no quorum did not yield the floor, and that it did not terminate his speech.

Mr. Clark raised a question of order, viz, that no business had been transacted since the last roll call.

The Vice President stated that the Senate voted on a motion, that the vote on that motion developed a quorum, and under the practice of the Senate that did not count as a quorum call.

He thereupon directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Gore raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Mr. Clark raised a question of order, viz, that no business had been transacted since the last quorum call.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) sustained the question of order.

From the decision of the Chair, Mr. Gore appealed to the Senate.

The Presiding Officer stated the question to be, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate? and, on a division,

It was determined in the affirmative.

Pending debate,

Mr. McCarran raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that no business had been transacted since the last quorum call.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the Chair) held that the vote on Mr. Gore's appeal from the decision of the Chair constituted the transaction of business under the precedents; and

He directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Walsh.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Long, during the further delivery of his address, propounded the following parliamentary inquiry to the Chair: "Could I ask unanimous consent, without losing the floor, to have the clerk propound an inquiry to every Member of the Senate as to whether he is willing to stay here and listen to me or whether he really does not care about it?"

The Vice President held that he would lose the floor if that were done, but suggested he might ask them individually as to their sentiments.

Mr. Long thereupon proceeded to submit such an inquiry to Mr. Adams.

Mr. LaFollette raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long could not yield except for a question.

The Vice President held Mr. La Follette's point of order was well taken.

Pending debate,

Certain parliamentary inquiries were submitted by Senators, in reply to which opinions were expressed by the President pro tempore.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, saying that it had been stated once or twice this afternoon that one Senator could make only two speeches upon any given proposition, submitted a parliamentary inquiry if that was the holding of the present occupant of the Chair (the President pro tempore).

The President pro tempore stated it was.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma stated that he appealed from that decision.

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that there had been no decision by the Chair.

The President pro tempore said: "The Senator from Oklahoma has propounded a parliamentary inquiry, which the Chair has attempted to answer; but there has been no decision, because no question has been raised, and no ruling has been made."

Mr. Thomas withdrew the appeal.

Mr. Barkley submitted a parliamentary inquiry if, aside from the mere calling of a quorum, when an appeal is taken from a ruling of the Chair and a vote is had upon that appeal, that was the transaction of business by the Senate.

The President pro tempore stated that to be his opinion.

Pending further debate,

Mr. Long yielded to Mr. McCarran, who addressed the following inquiry to him, viz: "Does the Senator from Louisiana realize that this whole matter was involved in the preparation and presentation and augmentation of the organic law when that organic law was presented to the Thirteen Original Colonies?"

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that, under the guise of a question, no Senator had a right to deliver a dissertation on the origin of the Constitution.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) stated that, in his opinion, the question of order was well taken.

From the decision of the Chair, Mr. Gore appealed to the Senate.

The Presiding Officer stated the question to be, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?

Pending debate,

Mr. McCarran withdrew the question propounded by him to Mr. Long.

The Presiding Officer held that Mr. McCarran having withdrawn his question, the appeal fell with it.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long yielded to Mr. McCarran, who propounded the following inquiry, viz: "Does the Senator from Louisiana realize that in keeping with the signing of the organic law there was a presentation by letter and by spirit in the organic law itself, the everlasing doctrine, that wherever there was a sovereign State, within that sovereign State there should be a sovereign government to control its internal affairs?"

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that, under the guise of a question, a Senator could not make a speech, and that he was not propounding a question within the meaning of the rule.

The Presiding Officer stated that he did not regard Mr. McCarran's remark as being a question in the parliamentary sense, and sustained the question of order.

From the decision of the Chair, Mr. Gore appealed to the Senate.

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley moved to lay the appeal on the table.

Certain parliamentary inquiries having been made, and response thereto made by the Vice President,

Mr. Gore withdrew his appeal.

The Vice President having stated that Mr. Long had the floor,

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long had lost the floor, and was not again entitled to it.

The Vice President held that Mr. Long had not lost the floor, because Mr. Gore had withdrawn his appeal, and that he [Mr. Long] had the same rights now that he had before the appeal was taken.

Mr. Barkley appealed from the ruling of the Chair.

The Vice President held that a Senator could rise at any time and make a point of order or a parliamentary inquiry, which did not take another Senator off the floor.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long, still in possession of the floor, asked to have the Lord's Prayer read by the clerk, to which Mr. Guffey, Mr. Schwellenbach, and other Senators objected.

Mr. Long thereupon said:

"I do not understand that kind of sentiment. All right; I see now that the Senators will not listen to reason. It is beyond reason. It is clear and it is obvious to my mind that they do not want to hear their own party platform read. They do not want to hear the Lord's Prayer read.

"'The guilty flee when no man pursueth.' They flee from their own incriminating consciences, that they are violating the platform of the party, that they will not even let it be read, and they will not let the Lord's Prayer be read."

Mr. Ashurst raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long was out of order for reflecting on other Senators.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) stated that, under rule XIX, Mr. Long was required to take his seat.

On motion by Mr. Lewis that Mr. Long be allowed to proceed in order,

The motion was, upon a division, agreed to.

Mr. Long thereupon continued his address.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long asked unanimous consent to withdraw his motion to reconsider, to which objections were made by Mr. McKellar, Mr. Minton, Mr. Guffey, and other Senators.

The Vice President, in response to a parliamentary inquiry by Mr. Harrison, held that a motion to reconsider could only be withdrawn by unanimous consent or by a majority vote of the Senate, as provided in paragraph 2 of rule XIX.

Mr. Long having subsequently concluded his address.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) put the question on Mr. Long's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment to Mr. Harrison's amendment; and

He announced that the ayes had it.

Mr. Schall was recognized, and asked unanimous consent that an address prepared by him be read from the desk by the clerk, to which an objection was made by Mr. McKellar.

Certain parliamentary inquiries were submitted to the Chair, and points of order raised, and a discussion arose as to whether Mr. Long's motion to reconsider had been agreed to; when

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that the question before the Senate was on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Gore to Mr. Harrison's amendment.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

Mr. McNary asked unanimous consent that the clerk be directed to read the remarks of Mr. Schall, when Mr. La Follette objected.

Mr. McNary thereupon moved that the clerk be directed to read Mr. Schall's remarks.

Mr. McCarran raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Fifty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dickinson, Duffy, Frazier, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. McNary's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 38 / Nays 17 }

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Barkley, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Clark, Costigan, Dickinson, Duffy, Frazier, Gore, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenburg, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bailey, Bankhead, Black, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Connally, Guffey, Harrison, La Follette, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Pittman, and Schwellenbach.

So Mr. McNary's motion was agreed to.

The address was thereupon read by the clerk.

On motion by Mr. McCarran that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes; and

Mr. McCarran having been recognized,

Mr. Clark moved to lay the motion on the table,

The Vice President held that the motion was not in order, in view of the fact that Mr. Clark did not have the floor.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Barkley to lay Mr. McCarran's motion on the table,

Mr. McCarran and Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum.

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that no business having been transacted since the last roll call, the call for a quorum was not in order.

It appearing that the Senate subsequently voted on Mr. McNary's motion that the clerk be directed to read Mr. Schall's speech,

The President pro tempore, taking the chair, directed the roll to be called;

When

Fifty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dickinson, Frazier, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Barkley's motion to lay Mr. McCarran's motion on the table was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Gore's amendment to Mr. Harrison's amendment,

On motion by Mr. Barkley to lay on the table Mr. Gore's amendment,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Mr. Barkley raised a question of order, viz, that a quorum had just been developed.

The President pro tempore held that business had been transacted (agreeing to Mr. Barkley's motion to lay Mr. McCarran's motion on the table); and

He directed the roll to be called.

When

Fifty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dickinson, Frazier, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Barkley's motion to lay Mr. Gore's amendment on the table was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Borah to amend Mr. Harrison's amendment,

Mr. Harrison modified his amendment accordingly; and

The amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

Mr. Harrison's motion to concur in the House amendment with an amendment was thereupon agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Harrison that the Senate agree to the amendment of the House to the title of the joint resolution,

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The vote by which Mr. Harrison's motion to concur in the House amendment to the text of the said joint resolution with an amendment was agreed to was reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That a yea-and-nay vote be had, without further debate, on the question of agreeing to the motion of Mr. Harrison, viz, that the Senate concur in the House amendment to the text of the joint resolution with the following amendment: After the said House amendment insert the following:

Provided, That the exemption provided in section 5 of such title shall extend only to agreements and action thereunder (1) putting into effect the requirements of section 7 (a), including minimum wages, maximum hours, and prohibition of child labor; and (2) prohibiting unfair competitive practices which offend against existing law, including the antitrust laws, or which constitute unfair methods of competition under the Federal Trade Commission Act, as amended; and

On the question of agreeing to the amendment to the title, which was to strike out the word "the" before the word "provisions" and insert the word *certain.*

The question being taken pursuant to the above order,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 41 / Nays---------- 13

Senators who voted in the affirmative are:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Clark, Costigan, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Maloney, McKellar, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Borah, Byrd, Capper, Connally, Dickinson, Frazier, Gore, Hastings, Long, Schall, Townsend, and Vandenberg.

So the House amendment to the text of the joint resolution was concurred in with an amendment, and the House amendment to the title was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. La Follette to reconsider the vote by which the House amendment was concurred in with an amendment,

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Mr. La Follette's motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of the action of the Senate on the said House amendments.

SOCIAL SECURITY

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes; when,

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 6 o'clock and 20 minutes a. m. (Thursday, June 13, 1935),

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow (Friday).

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MONUMENT TO LATE FRENCH AMBASSADOR JUSSERAND

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State, transmitting a copy of a note from the French Ambassador to him, expressing appreciation on behalf of the French Government and people for the passage by Congress of a joint resolution authorizing the erection in Washington of a monument in memory of the late Jean Jules Jusserand, former Ambassador of France; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on the Library.

CLAIMS OF EDGAR M. BARBER AND LEO MARTINUZZI

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to credit certain sums in the accounts of Edgar M. Barber, special disbursing agent, Paris, France, and Leo Martinuzzi, former Customs clerk; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

RELIEF OF CERTAIN FORMER DISBURSING CLERK AND FORMER TREASURERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to provide relief for and to adjust certain accounts of John L. Summers, former disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and certain former Treasurers of the United States; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of members of the Joint Council of Postal Employees of the St. Paul (Minn.) Trade Area praying the passage of legislation to fix the hours of duty of postal employees and to provide for the appointment and promotion of substitute postal employees; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorials:

A resolution adopted at Chicago, Ill., by Division No. 37, Order of Railroad Telegraphers, favoring the enactment of legislation extending the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933; and

Telegrams from five business organizations in the State of Kansas remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility holding companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the F. D. R. Borinquen Club., Inc., of New York City, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for economic relief for Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Medical Society of the State of New York, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of certain provisions in the proposed Banking Act of 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Swampscott, Mass., by the Massachusetts Bankers Association, favoring certain modifications in proposed legislation relating to Federal deposit insurance and the Federal Reserve Banking System in the so-called "Banking Act of 1935"; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Independent Milk Dealers' Association, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against certain provisions in proposed legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act; and

A resolution adopted by Old Colony Lodge, No. 1533, Loyal Order of Moose, of Plymouth, Mass., remonstrating against the processing tax on cotton and competition to the cotton textile industry by the importation of goods produced through cheap foreign labor to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A memorial of the Bureau of Transportation and Public Service of the New Bedford (Mass.) Board of Commerce remonstrating against the transfer of jurisdiction of the Board of Engineers of the Army to a proposed Department of Conservation and Works; to the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments.

Petitions of the general secretaries of the Young Men's Christian Association of Newton and Melrose, in the State of Massachusetts, praying the passage of House bill 8163, amending the immigration and deportation laws; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of regular substitute letter carriers of the Boston (Mass.) postal district praying the passage of legislation providing relief for substitute employees of the post offices; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

Petitions of citizens of the State of Massachusetts praying an extension of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933; and

A petition of the Women's Auxiliary of the Massachusetts Civil Service Reform Association praying the extension of the civil-service law to all positions in the Government service not subject to confirmation by the Senate or specifically exempted by Executive order of the President, and the enactment of legislation requiring Federal employees upon promotion to sign a sworn statement that they have not solicited political influence to obtain such promotion.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2223) to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 873) thereon.

Mr. Austin (for Mr. Carey), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2799) reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 874) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3018) to authorize the Secretary of War to acquire by donation land at Valparaiso, in Okaloosa County, Fla., for aviation field, military, or other public purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 875) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2930. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Sammamish River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 876);

S. 2933. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Nisqually River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 877);

S. 2934. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Duwamish River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods (Rept. No. 886);

S. 2938. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Cedar River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods (Rept. No. 878); and

S. 2950. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the county of Saline, Mo., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Miami, Mo. (Rept. No. 879).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2321) for the relief of S. M. Price, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 880) thereon.

Mr. White (for Mr. Bailey), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2751) for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Lesage, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 881) thereon.

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 69) to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 882) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 144) to provide for the payment of compensation and expenses of the Railroad Retirement Board as established and operated pursuant to section 9 of the Railroad Retirement Act of June 27, 1934, and to provide for the winding up of its affairs and the disposition of its property and records, and to make an appropriation for such purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 883) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2488) for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, killed in line of duty, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 884) thereon.

Mr. Moore, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1633) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 885) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill

(S. 2917) authorizing an appropriation to the American Legion for its use in effecting a settlement of the remainder due on, and the reorganiaztion of, Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the Commander in Chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 887) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7022) to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 888) theeron.

Mr. Sheppard (for Mr. Logan), by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5529) to prevent profiteering in time of war and to equalize the burdens of war and thus provide for the national defense and promote peace, reported it with additional amendments and submitted a report (No. 889) thereon; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Hale:

A bill (S. 3043) for the relief of the State of Maine (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3044) for the relief of Mrs. Don Nelson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 3045) providing for payment to the State of Wisconsin for its swamp lands within all Indian reservations in that State; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 3046) to amend the Revenue Act of 1934 to allow as deductions from gross income contributions to unemployment benefit funds; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3048) granting a pension to Dennis Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 3049) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3050) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3051) for the relief of William E. Reynolds; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 3052) granting an increase of pension to Mary E. Stevenson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3053) conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment in any claims which the Assiniboine Indians may have against the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 3054) to provide for the disposition of unclaimed deposits in national banks; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 3056) for the relief of N. May Jernegan and Warren Norris Jernegan; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3057) for the relief of John B. Jones; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 3058) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 11, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO BRIG. GEN. AARON SIMON DAGGETT

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 151), which was considered by unanimous consent, and, with the accompanying preamble, agreed to:

Whereas Brig. Gen. Aaron Simon Daggett, United States Army, retired, celebrates his ninety-eighth birthday on June 14, 1935; and

Whereas General Daggett is the oldest officer on the retired list of the United States Army, the oldest officer who served during the Civil War and the Spanish-American War; and

Whereas Gen. Aaron Simon Daggett, who was born at Green Corner, Maine, June 14, 1837, and who enlisted as a private in Company E of the Fifth Maine Volunteer Infantry on April 27, 1861, served throughout the Civil War, attaining the rank of lieutenant colonel, participated in 18 battles of the Civil War, was twice wounded, and thrice commended for gallant and meritorious service during the Civil War; and

Whereas General Daggett served during the Spanish-American War and participated in the battle at San Juan, Cuba, in July 1898, and later participated in the Philippines in the battles at Imus River and Bacoor; and

Whereas he later served as a colonel of the Fourteenth Infantry in China and was recommended for gallantry in the Battle of Yangtsun; and

Whereas although all the allied troops participating in the suppression of the Boxer Rebellion endeavored to be the first to reach and scale Pekin's "Chinese city" wall and open the massive gates from within, this feat was accomplished by troops of the Fourteenth Infantry, commanded by then Colonel Daggett, who, with his troops, was also the first of the allies to enter the imperial city and who had command of the "forbidden city (innermost and most holy)" within his grasp when General Chaffee's order to cease firing was received; and

Whereas the military record of Gen. Aaron Simon Daggett will forever serve as an inspiring influence to American youth, instilling in them the quality of patriotism and the desire to freely and voluntarily serve in the defense of their country: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the United States Senate hereby felicitates and congratulates Gen. Aaron Simon Daggett on his ninety-eighth birthday and acknowledges with gratitude the distinguished, patriotic service which he has rendered to his country; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be appropriately inscribed and presented to General Daggett by the Secretary of the Senate.

CUSTODY OF FEDERAL DOCUMENTS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message heretofore received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Barkley, Mr. McKellar, and Mr. Norbeck.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed the bill (S. 1611) to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va., with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2756) authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7982) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7160) to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Jones, Mr. Fulmer, and Mr. Hope managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Ludlow, Mr. Snyder, Mr. Zioncheck, Mr. Dockweiler, Mr. Moran, Mr. Buchanan, and Mr. Powers managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 5532. An act to provide for the acquisition of a portrait of Thomas Walker Gilmer;

H. R. 5730. An act to amend section 3 (b) of an act entitled "An act to establish the composition of the United States Navy with respect to the categories of vessels limited by the treaties signed at Washington, February 6, 1922, and at London, April 22, 1930, at the limits prescribed by those treaties; to authorize the construction of certain naval vessels; and for other purposes", approved March 27, 1934; and

H. R. 7590. An act to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 410 and S. 2100, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 410. An act to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

S. 2100. An act to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 5532 and H. R. 5730 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; and that the bill H. R. 7590 be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 12, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 2591) for the relief of Lyman C. Drake.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

MIGRATORY BIRD HUNTING STAMP ACT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7982) to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said House amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Norbeck,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of the House to the text of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 2756 and H. R. 6836, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 2756. An act authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 6836. An act to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to The National Archives.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolutions:

On May 29, 1935:

S. 82. An act to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the emergency conservation work.

On June 3, 1935:

S. 1384. An act to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 88. Joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior.

On June 4, 1935:

S. 1023. An act to provide for the payment of a military instructor for the high-school cadets of Washington, D. C.

On June 6, 1935:

S. 1212. An act to amend section 1383 of the Revised Statutes of the United States; and

S. 2899. An act to provide for increasing the limit of cost for the construction and equipment of an annex to the Library of Congress.

On June 7, 1935:

S. 1469. An act to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona;

S. 1522. An act to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1523. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1524. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 23, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children;

S. 1525. An act to provide funds for cooperation with joint School District No. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation;

S. 1526. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation;

S. 1528. An act for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1530. An act to authorize appropriations for the completion of the public high school at Frazer, Mont.;

S. 1533. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District No. 325, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 1534. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.;

S. 1535. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation;

S. 1536. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.;

S. 1537. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board of Shannon County, S. Dak., in the construction of a consolidated high-school building to be available to both white and Indian children;

S. 1539. An act relating to undelivered parcels of the first class;

S. 2105. An act to provide for an additional number of cadets at the United States Military Academy, and for other purposes; and

S. 1609. An act for the relief of the present leaders of the United States Navy Band and the band of the United States Marine Corps.

On June 10, 1935:

S. 742. An act for the relief of Charles A. Lewis;

S. 1027. An act for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood; and

S. J. Res. 92. Joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission.

On June 11, 1935:

S. 448. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of the Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 449. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 905. An act for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist;

S. 1038. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer;

S. 1317. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods; and

S. 2505. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Sebewaing River, in Huron County, Mich., with a view to the controlling of floods.

On June 13, 1935:

S. 41. An act for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.;

S. 42. An act for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon;

S. 285. An act to reimburse the estate of Mary Agnes Roden;

S. 416. An act for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.;

S. 462. An act to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 535. An act for the relief of William Cornwell and others;

S. 558. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department;

S. 581. An act for the relief of Harold E. Seavey;

S. 1305. An act to further extend relief to water users on United States reclamation projects and on Indian irrigation projects;

S. 1474. An act for the relief of Paul H. Creswell;

S. 1487. An act for the relief of Mick C. Cooper;

S. 1513. An act to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon;

S. 1712. An act to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries;

S. 2287. An act to authorize the crediting of services rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequently to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935;

S. 2467. An act for the retirement of William J. Stannard, leader of the United States Army Band; and

S. 2536. An act providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed without amendment the joint resolution of the Senate (S. J. Res. 112) extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 113, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 113) to extend until April 1, 1936, certain provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill H. R. 7260, the Social Security Act.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 112, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 112) extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXCHANGE OF LANDS WITH RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG & POTOMAC RAILROAD CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1611) to authorize an exchange of lands between Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co., and the United States at Quantico, Va.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Trammell,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

KENNESAW MOUNTAIN NATIONAL MEMORIAL MILITARY PARK, GA.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BRIDGE ACROSS ST. CLAIR RIVER AT PORT HURON, MICH.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1788) authorizing the State of Michigan to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the St. Clair River at or near Port Huron, Mich., and to acquire other transportation facilities between said State and Canada; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Harrison, at 4 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess, as in legislative session, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar days of Wednesday, June 12, and Friday, June 14, 1935, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed each without amendment the following bills of the Senate:

S. 43. An act for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey;

S. 144. An act for the relief of Auston L. Tierney;

S. 148. An act for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright;

S. 391. An act for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley;

S. 546. An act for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett;

S. 694. An act for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others;

S. 799. An act for the relief of Yvonne Hale;

S. 885. An act to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin;

S. 1051. An act for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;
S. 1363. An act for the relief of John A. Jumer;
S. 1392. An act conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, Southern Division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie G. de Back against the Alaska Railroad;
S. 1410. An act for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin;
S. 1656. An act for the relief of Ward J. Lawton;
S. 1809. An act for the relief of Germaine M. Finley;
S. 1860. An act for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.;
S. 2306. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes;
S. 2371. An act for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin; and
S. 2597. An act for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 314. An act for the relief of Vito Valentino;
S. 547. An act for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth;
S. 1052. An act for the relief of The Washington Post Co.;
S. 1325. An act for the relief of Dino Carbonell;
S. 1863. An act for the relief of Trifune Korac;
S. 2218. An act for the relief of Elsie Segar; and
S. 2333. An act for the relief of John W. Dady.

The House has passed the bill (S. 1585) for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following resolution (H. Res. 255), which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. Cap R. Carden, a Representative from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That a committee of four Members of the House, with such Members of the Senate as may be joined, be appointed to attend the funeral.

Resolved, That the Sergeant at Arms of the House be authorized and directed to take such steps as may be necessary for carrying out the provisions of these resolutions, and that the necessary expenses in connection therewith be paid out of the contingent fund of the House.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect the House do now adjourn.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 351. An act for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith;
H. R. 417. An act for the relief of William P. Brady;
H. R. 670. An act conferring jurisdiction in the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Gates;
H. R. 1470. An act for the relief of Carl A. Butler;
H. R. 1540. An act for the relief of Lester I. Conrad;
H. R. 1583. An act for the relief of Albert D. Castleberry;
H. R. 1714. An act for the relief of Russell H. Lindsay;
H. R. 2118. An act for the relief of John P. Seabrook;
H. R. 2130. An act for the relief of John M. McNulty;
H. R. 2325. An act for the relief of James P. Whalen;
H. R. 2555. An act to extend to Sgt. Maj. Edmund S. Sayer, United States Marine Corps (retired), the benefits of the act of May 7, 1932, providing highest World War rank to retired enlisted men;
H. R. 2611. An act for the relief of John E. Fondahl;
H. R. 2730. An act for the relief of Thomas Harris McLaughlin;
H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry;
H. R. 3574. An act for the relief of Nellie T. Francis;
H. R. 3604. An act to place William H. Clinton on the retired list of the Navy;
H. R. 3760. An act for the relief of Capt. Arthur L. Bristol, United States Navy;
H. R. 4226. An act for the relief of Floyd Hull;
H. R. 4259. An act for the relief of George R. Slate;
H. R. 4274. An act correcting date of enlistment of Elza Bennett in the United States Navy;
H. R. 4368. An act for the relief of E. C. West;
H. R. 4406. An act for the relief of Anna Farruggia;
H. R. 4623. An act for the relief of George Brackett Cargill, deceased;
H. R. 4850. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;
H. R. 4860. An act for the relief of Judson Stokes;
H. R. 4974. An act for the relief of Rabbi Isaac Levine;
H. R. 5393. An act for the relief of Moses Israel;
H. R. 5521. An act for the relief of Frank Williams;
H. R. 5971. An act for the relief of Charles Pine;
H. R. 6177. An act for the relief of Brooker T. Wilkins;
H. R. 6549. An act for the relief of Horton & Horton;
H. R. 6602. An act for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap;
H. R. 6825. An act for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary; and
H. R. 7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;
Whereupon
The Vice President directed the roll to be called;
When
Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:
Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.
A quorum being present,

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 298) for the relief of Jack Page, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 890) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2175) to grant to the State of California a retrocession of jurisdiction over certain rights-of-way granted to the State of California over certain roads about to be constructed in the Presidio of San Francisco Military Reservation and Fort Baker Military Reservation, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 891) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 17) providing for the disposition of certain obsolete Government publications stored in the folding rooms of Congress, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 892) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 3059) to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3060) to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 3061) for the relief of John R. Allgood; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3062) authorizing the appointment of George L. Brittingham as a second lieutenant of Cavalry, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 3063) granting a pension to Fred B. Johnson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Moore and Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3064) to authorize the Commissioner of Education in the Department of the Interior to conduct a study and disseminate his findings and recommendations regarding suitable aviation instruction courses for the public schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

NAMES AND COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 152):

Resolved, That the Comptroller General is hereby directed to submit to the Senate a report showing the names, residence, and annual rate of compensation of all persons who have been appointed or employed under any act of Congress who receive compensation at a rate of $4,000 or more per annum and indicating those who are required by existing law to be appointed by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, who have not been so confirmed and also those who are not required by existing law to be so confirmed; and further indicating in each case the date of the appointment or employment and under what act or by what authority such person was appointed or employed.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over one day under the rule.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Assiniboine Indians, to hear, in Court of Claims; Barnabas W. Baker and Joseph Baker, heirs of; Booth & Co., Inc.; and Prof. William H. H. Hart; to the Committee on Claims.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 351, H. R. 670, H. R. 1540, H. R. 2325, H. R. 2730, H. R. 3149, H. R. 4226, H. R. 4368, H. R. 4406, H. R. 4850, H. R. 4860, H. R. 4974, H. R. 5393, H. R. 5521, H. R. 5971, H. R. 6177, H. R. 6549, and H. R. 6825 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bills H. R. 417, H. R. 1470, H. R. 1583, and H. R. 4259 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bills H. R. 1714, H. R. 2118, H. R. 2130, H. R. 2555, H. R. 2611, H. R. 3604, H. R. 3760, H. R. 4274, and H. R. 4623 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; that the bills H. R. 3574 and H. R. 7254 be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; and that the bill H. R. 6602 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed on June 14, 1935, the following acts and joint resolutions:

S. 38. An act for the relief of Winifred Meagher;
S. 654. An act authorizing the exchange of the lands reserved for the Seminole Indians in Florida for other lands;
S. 1386. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim or claims, of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska;
S. 2146. An act for the relief of certain Indians of the Flathead Reservation killed or injured en route to dedication ceremonies of the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, Glacier National Park;
S. 2241. An act to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 484);
S. 2530. An act to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes;
S. J. Res. 112. Joint resolution extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933;
S. J. Res. 113. Joint resolution to extend until April 1, 1936, certain provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes; and
S. J. Res. 130. Joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian-reservation roads.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CLAIM OF CONCRETE ENGINEERING CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith without my approval S. 931, an act for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.

The bill authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to the Concrete Engineering Co., of Houston, Tex., the sum of $4,304.61 or so much thereof as will refund certain amounts assessed and collected as duties on imported steel building forms between the dates of February 23, 1926, and September 30, 1927. These amounts were not refunded under the ordinary procedure applicable to such cases because the importers failed to comply with the provisions of section 514, Tariff Act of 1922 (U. S. C., title 19, sec. 398), which made the collector's decision final and conclusive on all persons if written protest was not filed within 60 days thereafter.

In the absence of special circumstances giving merit to the claim, I think that an importer who fails to protect his rights in the manner provided by law should not be given preferential treatment over other importers who find themselves in the same position. I believe that a reasonable limitation upon the time within which protest may be filed is necessary to the orderly conduct of customs business and that the field of special legislation should not be opened to relieve importers from compliance with such provision.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 14, 1935.*

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Claims and be printed.

ALFRED W. KLIEFOTH

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 547) for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

STEFANO TALANCO AND EDITH TALANCO

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1585) for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Connally,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the message yesterday received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7160) to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Bankhead,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives and agree to the conference asked by the House upon the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Smith, Mr. Wheeler, and Mr. Norris.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 1, line 7,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Couzens, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The reported amendment was agreed to.

The residue of the reported amendments, with the exception of that beginning on page 72, line 7 (being title XI), were agreed to.

Pending debate,

Mr. Ashurst, who had the floor, yielded to Mr. Long, who proceeded to make a statement.

Mr. Schwellenbach raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Ashurst had no right to yield the floor except for a question, and that Mr. Long could not make speeches on extraneous matter in Mr. Ashurst's time.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Barkley in the chair) sustained the question of order.

Mr. Harrison submitted a request for unanimous consent for a limitation of debate on the bill; and having been subsequently modified by him, the request was agreed to, as follows:

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that beginning Monday, June 17, at 3 o'clock p. m., no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 30 minutes on any amendment or motion, and not longer than 45 minutes on the bill.

On motion by Mr. Wagner, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendments inserting title X was reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Wagner on page 72, line 6; page 67, line 16; and page 68, line 15,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Walsh.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 7982, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 7982) to amend the Migratory Bird Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE CARDEN, OF KENTUCKY

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) laid before the Senate the resolution this day received from the House of Representatives announcing the death of Hon. Cap R. Carden, late a Representative from the State of Kentucky, which was read.

Mr. Barkley submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 153), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Cap R. Carden, late a Representative from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased Representative,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, June 15, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REFUND OF BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION TAXES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 279, an act to extend the time for the refunding of certain taxes erroneously collected from certain building and loan associations.

This bill authorizes the filing of claims for the refund of taxes which were, under the principle laid down by the United States Supreme Court in *United States* v. *Cambridge Building & Loan Co.* (278 U. S. 55), erroneously assessed and collected, regardless of the fact that claims for refund thereof were not filed within the prescribed statutory period for filing such claims.

Congress has determined that it is sound policy to include in all the revenue acts statutes of limitations, by the operation of which, after a certain period of time, it becomes impossible for the Government to collect additional taxes or for the taxpayer to obtain a refund of an overpayment of taxes. This bill selects a small class of taxpayers for special treatment by excepting them from this policy. The whole body of Federal taxpayers is thus discriminated against, and a precedent is established, opening the door to relief in all cases in which the statute operates to the prejudice of a particular taxpayer, while leaving the door closed to the Government in those cases in which the statute operates to the disadvantage of the Government.

I know of no circumstances which would justify the exception made by S. 279 to the long-continued policy of Congress, and do not believe that the field of special legislation should be opened to relieve special classes of taxpayers from the consequences of their failure to file claims within the period fixed by law.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 14, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Claims and be printed.

TAKING OF FISH AND GAME WITHIN INDIAN RESERVATIONS IN NEW YORK

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return without my approval the act, Senate 1942, "An act to repeal the act entitled 'An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations', approved January 5, 1927."

The status of game and fish protection by law in the three Indian reservations mentioned in this act prior to the act of January 5, 1927, for the repeal of which this act has been passed, was somewhat chaotic, for the reason that, while theoretically the conservation laws of the State of New York applied to hunting and fishing in the reservations such laws were unenforceable with respect to the tribal Indians hunting therein, the Indians being wards of the National Government and Congress not having authorized the enforcement of the State conservation laws against them. Persons other than Indians hunting and fishing on such reservations were still subject to the New York conservation laws.

Repeal of the act of January 5, 1927, which was intended to set up an orderly and more nearly uniform administration of the conservation laws of New York throughout the State, would restore the chaotic situation to which I have referred.

It is highly desirable in this day of rapid disappearance of our wildlife, particularly the game species, that hunting and fishing throughout the land be restrained within those limits deemed by legislatures and responsible conservation officials essential for the preservation and perpetuation of the Nation's stock of wildlife.

I can perceive no reason why, at this time, tribal Indians in the State of New York should not be subject to the restrictions of the State conservation laws which apply to all other persons hunting or fishing in the same territory, certainly those features of the conservation laws which limit the seasons during which hunting and fishing may be indulged in and the numbers of game and fish that may be taken within fixed periods. It is manifest that numbers of species, especially of game birds, are only temporarily or periodically resident on the Indian reservations, passing therefrom to other portions of the State and in numbers of cases to other portions of the United States. It is, therefore, strictly true to say that the Indians are no more vested with a property interest in this game than are the people of the rest of the State or country.

Furthermore, game produced naturally or artificially in territory adjacent to the reservations inevitably pass back and forth between such territory and the reservations, as to which game it cannot with reason be contended that the Indians should have the privilege of taking it regardless of State law applicable to everybody else. The Indians are fully safeguarded against discriminative State law by the act of January 5, 1927, and by that act enjoy exemption from the hunting and fishing license feature of the State conservation law, and, in addition, are vested with the exclusive right to authorize the taking of game and fish within their reservations, and if they permit hunting and fishing, to issue the permits and licenses therefor.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 15, 1935.*

On motion by Mr. Frazier,

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and be printed.

DINO CARBONELL AND ELSIE SEGAR

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to each of the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1325. An act for the relief of Dino Carbonell; and

S. 2218. An act for the relief of Elsie Segar.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

JOHN W. DADY

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2333) for the relief of John W. Dady.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida memorializing Congress to enact legislation to establish the Fort Caroline National Monument in Duval County of that State; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Galveston, Tex., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the establishment of a naval training station, an adequate antiaircraft artillery base, and the construction of a 200-foot canal near Galveston; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Petitions of Edward Casey and Wm. G. Black, of New York City, praying the enactment of legislation providing regular positions for substitute postal employees; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Stoneham (Mass.) League for Peace Action favoring the enactment of legislation to control private war profit in peace and war times, and to exclude conscription; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of the directors of the Boston (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce praying the enactment of legislation providing rates of pay for the carriage of air mail by Interstate Commerce Commission regulation; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A petition of the Lynn (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce praying the enactment of House bill 7022, to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Kansas-Oklahoma division of the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, of Tulsa, Okla., praying that the Federal tax of 1 cent a gallon on gasoline be abolished, and that the power to tax gasoline sales in the future be left to the States exclusively; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 14, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions:

S. 410. An act to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. 2100. An act to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively;

S. J. Res. 112. Joint resolution extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933; and

S. J. Res. 113. Joint resolution to extend until April 1, 1936, certain provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 893) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 427) authorizing the reimbursement of Edward B. Wheeler and the State Investment Co. for the loss of certain lands in the Mora Grant, N. Mex., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 894) thereon.

Mr. Minton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2496) to amend the Railway Labor Act, reported it with amendments, and submitted a report (No. 895) thereon.

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Patents, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 896) thereon.

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1103) for the relief of William K. Beldin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 897) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred, as follows:

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3065) granting a pension to Nannie M. Buckley; and

A bill (S. 3066) granting a pension to Cornelia M. Campbell; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3067) for the relief of A. J. Watts; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 3068) to authorize the revision of the boundaries of the Snoqualmie National Forest, in the State of Washington; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 3069) granting a pension to Otis H. Dorsett; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3070) for the relief of Ethelyn Chrane; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3071) providing for the placing of improvements on the areas between the shore and bulkhead lines in rivers and harbors; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 3072) to amend the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bulow (by request):

A bill (S. 3073) amending the act of August 23, 1912 (37 Stat. 413), relating to preference in reduction of force granted to persons entitled to military preference; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 3074) for the relief of Edgar M. Barber, special disbursing agent, Paris, France, and Leo Martinuzzi, former customs clerk (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 3075) for the relief of John L. Summers, former disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and various former Treasurers of the United States (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3076) for the relief of W. B. Greeley; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 3077) for the relief of Constantin Gilia; and

A bill (S. 3078) for the relief of C. R. Whitlock; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3079) for the relief of Beryl Elliott; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Norris:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 149) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court in passing upon the validity of acts of Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ENROLLMENT OF SENATE BILL 1611

Mr. Byrd, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 18), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, in the enrollment of the bill (S. 1611) to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va., to make the following correction, viz: On page 5, line 22, of the Senate engrossed bill, in lieu of the numeral "4", insert the numeral *14*.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

JAPANESE POLICY IN MANCHURIA AND CHINA

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 154), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas by the Kellogg Peace Pact, signed at Paris on August 27, 1928, the high contracting parties (including the United States and Japan) solemnly declared that they condemn recourse to war for the solution of international controversies; and

Whereas by the Nine Power Treaty, signed at Washington on February 6, 1922, the contracting powers (including the United States and Japan) agreed to respect the sovereignty, the independence, and the territorial and administrative integrity of China and to refrain from taking advantage of conditions in China in order to seek special rights or privileges which would abridge the rights or subjects or citizens of friendly States; and

Whereas it is alleged that the policy pursued by Japan in Manchuria in establishing the Manchukuoan Government, in setting up a government oil monopoly of foreign oil interests, and the refusal by Manchukuo, as stated in the Japanese press, to observe the open-door policy except as to nations according her recognition, is a violation of the above treaties; and

Whereas it is alleged that more recently Japan has invaded and taken possession of Provinces in China proper south of the Great Wall, and has made demands upon China which, if insisted upon, will violate the sovereignty and independence, the territorial and administrative integrity, and the honor of China, in violation of the above treaties: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to examine into the policy pursued by Japan in Manchuria and in China proper, as set forth above, with a view to determining whether such policy has violated any of the provisions of the Kellogg Peace Pact or the Nine Power Treaty, and to submit such recommendations as in their judgment are warranted by the facts.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

JOHN MONROE JOHNSON

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, as in executive session, That the nomination of John Monroe Johnson to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate:

S. 380. An act to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah;

S. 1066. An act to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929;

S. 1831. An act transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, New Mexico;

S. 2131. An act to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 2185. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes";

S. 2278. An act authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States representative in the Philippine Islands;

S. 2508. An act to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans;

S. 2688. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended;

S. 2780. An act to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.; and

S. J. Res. 42. Joint resolution to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3061. An act to authorize the adjustment of the boundaries of the Chelan National Forest in the State of Washington;

H. R. 3430. An act to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons; to authorize the Attorney General to contract for prisoners; to establish Federal jails; and for other purposes";

H. R. 5058. An act to convey certain lands to Clackamas County, Oreg., for public-park purposes;

H. R. 5360. An act providing for punishment for the crime of robbing or attempting to rob custodians of Government moneys or property;

H. R. 5920. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain Government land to the Borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., for street purposes and as a part of the approach to the Stroudsburg viaduct on State Highway Route No. 498;

H. R. 6776. An act to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended;

H. R. 6910. An act to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933, enacted to safeguard the interests and welfare of Indians of the Taos Pueblo, N. Mex., in certain lands within the Carson National Forest;

H. R. 6983. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Anderson, S. C., to such city;

H. R. 6988. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 21 meets Texas Highway No. 45;

H. R. 6995. An act granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7044. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 6 in Sabine Parish, La., meets Texas Highway No. 21 in Sabine County, Tex.;

H. R. 7652. An act to authorize the furnishing of steam from the central heating plant to the Federal Reserve Board, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7870. An act to provide a preliminary examination of the Purgatoire (Picketwire) and Apishapa Rivers, in the State of Colorado, with a view to the control of their floods and the conservation of their waters;

H. J. Res. 237. Joint resolution for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the "Oliver Wendell Holmes Memorial Fund";

H. J. Res. 265. Joint resolution pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; and

H. J. Res. 290. Joint resolution to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 3061 and H. R. 5058 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys; that the bill H. R. 3430 and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 237 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bill H. R. 5360 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; that the bills H. R. 5920, H. R. 6983, and H. R. 7652 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 6776 be referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency; that the bill H. R. 6910 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bills H. R. 6988, H. R. 7044, and H. R. 7870 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bill H. R. 6995 be referred to the Committee on Pensions; that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 265 be referred to the Committee on the Library; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 290 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long, by unanimous consent, proposed a series of related amendments, increasing pension rates and providing additional taxes, which were ordered to be considered en bloc.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

Mr. Long's amendments were not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the consideration of the reported amendments beginning on page 72, line 7 (being title XI), be postponed until tomorrow.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the bill by inserting on page 15, after line 25, and at other places in the bill, certain provisions relating to private pension systems,

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the consideration of the amendments be postponed until tomorrow.

TRIFUNE KORAC

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1863) for the relief of Trifune Korac.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg (for Mr. Couzens),

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Megill, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 18) authorizing the Secretary of the Senate, in the enrollment of the bill (S. 1611) to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va., to correct an error.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed 33 enrolled bills, viz, S. 43, S. 144, S. 148, S. 380, S. 391, S. 546, S. 547, S. 694, S. 799, S. 885, S. 1051, S. 1066, S. 1325, S. 1363, S. 1392, S. 1410, S. 1585, S. 1611, S. 1656, S. 1809, S. 1831, S. 1860, S. 2131, S. 2185, S. 2218, S. 2278, S. 2306, S. 2333, S. 2371, S. 2508, S. 2597, S. 2688, and S. 2780, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 42, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 43. An act for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey;

S. 144. An act for the relief of Auston L. Tierney;

S. 148. An act for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright;

S. 380. An act to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah;

S. 391. An act for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley;

S. 546. An act for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett;

S. 547. An act for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth;

S. 694. An act for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others;

S. 799. An act for the relief of Yvonne Hale;

S. 885. An act to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin;

S. 1051. An act for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 1066. An act to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929;

S. 1325. An act for the relief of Dino Carbonell;

S. 1363. An act for the relief of John A. Jumer;

S. 1392. An act conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, Southern Division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad;

S. 1410. An act for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin;

S. 1585. An act for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco;

S. 1611. An act to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va.;

S. 1656. An act for the relief of Ward J. Lawton;

S. 1809. An act for the relief of Germaine M. Finley;

S. 1831. An act transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex.;

S. 1860. An act for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.;

S. 2131. An act to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 2185. An act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes";

S. 2218. An act for the relief of Elsie Segar;

S. 2278. An act authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States Representative in the Philippine Islands;

S. 2306. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes;

S. 2333. An act for the relief of John W. Dady;

S. 2371. An act for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin;

S. 2508. An act to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans;

S. 2597. An act for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins;

S. 2688. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended;

S. 2780. An act to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.; and

S. J. Res. 42. Joint resolution to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the Administration for the month of February 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing remunerative employment for blind citizens of the United States and its possessions; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A joint resolution favoring the restoration to disabled war veterans of all deductions made from their compensations; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted at Sagamore, N. Y., by the New York State Bankers Association favoring certain amendments to the proposed Banking Act of 1935; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution adopted by the Executive Council of the Rochester (N. Y.) Chapter of the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians, remonstrating against the wage scale provided for under the Federal work-relief program; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the New York Society of Accountants, of New York City, remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to prevent and make unlawful the practice of law before the Government departments, bureaus, commissions, and their agencies by those other than duly licensed attorneys at law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented the following resolutions adopted at Sagamore, N. Y., by the New York State Bankers Association:

A resolution remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies; and

A resolution favoring the exemption of private pension plans and the employers and employees participating therein from the requirements of the Social Security Act where such plans meet with the standards and approval of the Social Security Board provided for in the act.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee to Investigate Air-Mail and Ocean-Mail Contracts, who were authorized by Senate Resolution 349 (72d Cong.) and Senate Resolution 143 (73d Cong.) to investigate air-mail and ocean-mail contracts, submitted a preliminary report (No. 898) with conclusions and recommendations; which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Conservation of Wild Life Resources, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2990) to preserve from extinction the American eagle, emblem of sovereignty of the United States of America, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 899) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2203) to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 900) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 3080) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of John W. Hubbard; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3081) to exempt publicly owned interstate highway bridges from local taxation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

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By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 3082) authorizing the appointment of John B. Medaris as a first lieutenant of Infantry, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Maloney:

A bill (S. 3083) granting a pension to Caroline Cutler; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3084) to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Hatch and Mr. Chavez:

A bill (S. 3085) authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriation for that purpose; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3086) to provide for the striking of medals, in lieu of coins, for commemorative purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3087) for the relief of certain persons whose cotton was destroyed by fire at Leighton, Ala.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3088) for the relief of Mearon Perkins; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3089) for the relief of Nellie T. Francis; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3090) for the relief of Joseph M. Cacace, Charles M. Cacace, and Mary E. Clibourne; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 3091) to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 3092) to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 3093) to provide funds for cooperation with Sanish School District No. 1, Mountrail County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 3094) to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

A bill (S. 3095) to provide funds for cooperation with Cannon Ball School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; and

A bill (S. 3096) to provide funds for cooperation with Porcupine School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

ISIDOR GREENSPAN

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1121) for the relief of Isidor Greenspan.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Barbour,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution H. J. Res. 324 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a social security board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

The amendments yesterday proposed by Mr. Clark en bloc, inserting, at various places in the bill, provisions dealing with pension systems of private companies, were considered; and the amendments were amended on page 2, line 16, on the motion of Mr. Schwellenbach.

Pending further debate,

Mr. Harrison submitted a request for unanimous consent for a further limitation of debate; and having been subsequently modified by him, the request was agreed to, as follows:

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that when the Senate concludes its business today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow; that at not later than 1 o'clock p. m. on tomorrow the Senate proceed to vote without further debate on the pending amendments; and that thereafter no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the bill, or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment or motion relating thereto.

The further consideration of Mr. Clark's amendments was temporarily laid aside.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. McNary (for Mr. Norbeck), the motion of Mr. Harrison, and the motion of Mr. Radcliffe.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive session; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 20 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 1180) to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 59) to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2739) to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate;

H. R. 7374. An act to amend section 98 of the Judicial Code to provide for the inclusion of Durham County, N. C., in the middle district of North Carolina, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8297. An act to amend so much of the First Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1921, approved March 1, 1921, as relates to the printing and distribution of a revised edition of Hinds' Parliamentary Precedents of the House of Representatives; and

H. R. 8492. An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed four enrolled bills, viz, S. 1121, S. 1863, H. R. 59, and H. R. 2739, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1121. An act for the relief of Isidor Greenspan;

S. 1863. An act for the relief of Trifune Korac;

H. R. 59. An act to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 2739. An act to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 7374 be placed on the calendar; that the bill H. R. 8297 be referred to the Committee on Printing; and that the bill H. R. 8492 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEW MEXICO, OREGON, AND UTAH

The Vice President laid before the Senate four communications from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of New Hampshire, New Mexico, Oregon, and Utah on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Conference of Seaport Cities on International Trade praying action to lessen restrictions on imports and exports, to increase the volume of trade, and to help to make effective a constructive program for international commerce, finance, and shipping; to the Committee on Commerce.

A resolution adopted by the Western Traffic Conference convention, of San Francisco, Calif., favoring the enactment of legislation affecting all forms of transportation; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted at Cleveland, Ohio, by the National Conference of State Liquor Administrators favoring the enactment of legislation conferring upon an appropriate agency of the Government those functions of the Federal Alcohol Control Administration concerning advertising, labeling, standards of fill, and movements of liquor in interstate commerce to the full extent permissible under law and the Constitution so as to subject such matters to uniform regulation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial:

A resolution of the House of Assembly of the State of California favoring the passage of Senate bill 1793, providing relief for Indians of California;

A resolution adopted by the District of Columbia Board of Optometry, of Washington, D. C., favoring an increase in appropriations for the Health Department of the District of Columbia;

A telegram embodying a resolution adopted by the Central Labor Union, of Logan, W. Va., favoring the seating of Rush D. Holt as Senator from West Virginia; and

A telegram from Henry Hosbach, of Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation inimical to public-utility companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. King presented a telegram from the secretary of the Utah Bankers Association remonstrating against any change in the Federal Reserve System that would make a political machine out of it; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6995) granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 901) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6717) to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2513) to provide for a change in the judicial districts of North Carolina, with respect to Durham County, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 902) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3058) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2510) authorizing the western bands of the Shoshone Tribe of Indians, as defined herein, to sue in the Court of Claims, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 903) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1832) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 905) thereon.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2904) to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 906) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 5774. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Rogue River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 907);

H. R. 5775. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siuslaw River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 908);

H. R. 5776. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Yaquina River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 909);

H. R. 5777. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siletz River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods (Rept. No. 910);

H. R. 7083. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Ind. (Rept. No. 911);

H. R. 7313. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Gafford Creek, Ark. (Rept. No. 912);

H. R. 7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River (Rept. No. 913); and

H. R. 7600. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska (Rept. No. 914).

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 18, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 43. An act for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey;

S. 144. An act for the relief of Auston L. Tierney;

S. 148. An act for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright;

S. 380. An act to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah;

S. 391. An act for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley;

S. 546. An act for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett;

S. 547. An act for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth;

S. 694. An act for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others;

S. 799. An act for the relief of Yvonne Hale;

S. 885. An act to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin;

S. 1051. An act for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 1066. An act to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1925, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929;

S. 1325. An act for the relief of Dino Carbonell;

S. 1363. An act for the relief of John A. Jumer;

S. 1392. An act conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, Southern Division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad;

S. 1410. An act for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin;

S. 1585. An act for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco;

S. 1611. An act to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va.;

S. 1656. An act for the relief of Ward J. Lawton;

S. 1809. An act for the relief of Germaine M. Finley;

S. 1831. An act transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex.;

S. 1860. An act for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.;

S. 2131. An act to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 2185. An act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes";

S. 2218. An act for the relief of Elsie Segar;

S. 2278. An act authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States Representative in the Philippine Islands;

S. 2306. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes;

S. 2333. An act for the relief of John W. Dady;

S. 2371. An act for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin;

S. 2508. An act to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans;

S. 2597. An act for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins;

S. 2688. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended;

S. 2780. An act to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.; and

S. J. Res. 42. Joint resolution to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Lewis, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2665) to change the name of the Department of the Interior and to coordinate certain governmental functions and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

JACK PAGE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (H. R. 298) for the relief of Jack Page be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Townsend:

A bill (S. 3097) relating to interest and usury affecting parties under the jurisdiction of courts of the United States functioning in countries where the United States exercises extraterritorial jurisdiction; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3100) to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 3101) to amend the Code of Law for the District of Columbia in relation to the qualifications of jurors;

A bill (S. 3102) to amend the law with respect to jury trials in the police court of the District of Columbia;

A bill (S. 3103) to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia; and

A bill (S. 3104) to provide for the semiannual inspection of all motor vehicles in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Bankhead:

A bill (S. 3105) to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.; to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Vandenberg, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, reported the following bills, which were read the first and

second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs:

A bill (S. 3098) to prevent collusion in the making of contracts for the construction of naval vessels in private shipyards, to safeguard military secrets of the United States, to make public the activities of the shipbuilding lobby, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 3099) to prevent profiteering in the construction of naval vessels in private shipyards, and for other purposes.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

The consideration of Mr. Clark's amendments, as amended, was resumed.

Pending debate,

The hour of 1 o'clock p. m. having arrived, and further debate on the amendments being precluded under the order of yesterday,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendments en bloc proposed by Mr. Clark, as amended, as follows:

On page 15, after line 25, add the following new paragraph:

(7) *Service performed in the employ of an employer who has in operation a plan providing annuities to employees which is certified by the Board as having been approved by it under section 702, if the employee performing such service has elected to come under such plan; except that if any such employee withdraws from the plan before he attains the age of 65, or if the Board withdraws its approval of the plan, the service performed while the employee was under such plan as approved shall be construed to be employment as defined in this subsection.*

On page 43, line 11, after "Sec. 702.", insert (*a*).

On page 43, lines 17 and 18, add the following new paragraphs:

(*b*) *The Board shall receive applications from employers who desire to operate private annuity plans with a view to providing benefits in lieu of the benefits otherwise provided for in title II of this act, and the Board shall approve any such plan and issue a certificate of such approval if it finds that such plan meets the following requirements:*

(*1*) *The plan shall be available, without limitation as to age, to any employee who elects to come under such plan: Provided, That no employer shall make election to come or remain under the plan a condition precedent for the securing or retention of employment.*

(2) *The benefits payable at retirement and the conditions as to retirement shall not be less favorable, based upon accepted actuarial principles, than those provided for under section 202.*

(3) *The contributions of the employee and the employer shall be deposited with a life insurance company, an annuity organization, or a trustee approved by the Board.*

(4) *Termination of employment shall constitute withdrawal from the plan.*

(5) *Upon the death of an employee, his estate shall receive an amount not less than the amount it would have received if the employee had been entitled to receive benefits under title II of this act.*

(*c*) *The Board shall have the right to call for such reports from the employer and to make such inspections of his records as will satisfy it that the requirements of subsection (b) are being met, and to make such regulations as will facilitate the operation of such private annuity plans in conformity with such requirements.*

(*d*) *The Board shall withdraw its approval of any such plan upon the request of the employer, or if it finds that the plan or any action taken thereunder fails to meet the requirements of subsection (b).*

On page 52, after line 7, add the following new paragraph:

(7) *Service performed by an employee before he attains the age of sixty-five in the employ of an employer who has in operation a plan providing annuities to employees which is certified by the Board as having been approved by it under section 702, if the employee has elected to come under such plan, and if the Commissioner of Internal Revenue determines that the aggregate annual contributions of the employee and the employer under such plan as approved are not less than the taxes which would otherwise be payable under sections 801 and 804, and that the employer pays an amount at least equal to 50 per centum of such taxes: Provided, That if any such employee withdraws from the plan before he attains the age of sixty-five, or if the Board withdraws its approval of the plan, there shall be paid by the employer to the Treasurer of the United States, in such manner as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe, an amount equal to the taxes which would otherwise have been payable by the employer and the employee on account of such service, together with interest on such amount at three per centum per annum compounded annually.*

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 51 / Nays---------- 35 }

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Russell, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Byrnes, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Overton, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Clark's amendments, as amended, were agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Borah to further amend the bill by inserting on page 4, line 21, after the comma, certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Borah modified his amendment.

On the question of agreeing to the amendment, as modified, viz, on page 4, line 21, after the comma, insert the following: *and (2) an amount, which shall be used exclusively as old-age assistance, sufficient to make the Federal contri-*

bution plus the State contribution with respect to each such individual for each month in the quarter not less than $30,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 18 / Nays 60}

On motion by Mr. Borah,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bilbo, Bone, Borah, Capper, Copeland, Frazier, Johnson, Lewis, Long, McCarran, Pope, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Sheppard, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Borah's amendment, as modified, was not agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 72, line 7, inserting title XI, relating to United States annuity bonds,

Pending debate,

Mr. Guffey raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called:

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present.

After debate,

The reported amendment was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Russell, the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, and the motion of Mr. Black.

On motion by Mr. Hastings to further amend the bill by striking out all after line 14, on page 7, down to and including line 12, on page 16, as amended, as follows:

"TITLE II—FEDERAL OLD-AGE BENEFITS

"OLD-AGE RESERVE ACCOUNT

"SECTION 201. (a) There is hereby created an account in the Treasury of the United States to be known as the 'Old-Age Reserve Account', hereinafter in this title called the 'Account.' There is hereby authorized to be appropriated to the Account for each fiscal year, beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1937, an amount sufficient as an annual premium to provide for the payments required under this title, such amount to be determined on a reserve basis in accordance with accepted actuarial principles, and based upon such tables of mortality as the Social Security Board shall from time to time adopt, and upon an interest rate of 3 percent per annum compounded annually. The Social Security Board shall submit annually to the Bureau of the Budget an estimate of the appropriations to be made to the Account.

"(b) It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to invest such portion of the amounts credited to the Account as is not, in his judgment, required to meet current withdrawals. Such investment may be made only in interest-bearing obligations of the United States or in obligations guaranteed as to both principal and interest by the United States. For such purpose such obligations may be acquired (1) on original issue at par, or (2) by purchase of outstanding obligations at the market price. The purposes for which obligations of the United States may be issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, are hereby extended to authorize the issuance at par of special obligations exclusively to the Account. Such special obligations shall bear interest at the rate of 3 percent per annum. Obligations other than such special obligations may be acquired for the Account only on such terms as to provide an investment yield of not less than 3 percent per annum.

"(c) Any obligations acquired by the Account (except special obligations issued exclusively to the Account) may be sold at the market price, and such special obligations may be redeemed at par plus accrued interest.

"(d) The interest on, and the proceeds from the sale or redemption of, any obligations held in the Account shall be credited to and form a part of the Account.

"(e) All amounts credited to the Account shall be available for making payments required under this title.

"(f) The Social Security Board shall include in its annual report the actuarial status of the Account.

"OLD-AGE BENEFIT PAYMENTS

"SEC. 202. (a) Every qualified individual (as defined in sec. 210) shall be entitled to receive, with respect to the period beginning on the date he attains the age of 65, or on January 1, 1942, whichever is the later, and ending on the date of his death, an old-age benefit (payable as nearly as practicable in equal monthly installments) as follows:

"(1) If the total wages (as defined in sec. 210) determined by the Board to have been paid to him, with respect to employment (as defined in sec. 210) after December 31, 1936, and before he attained the age of 65, were not more than $3,000, the old-age benefit shall be at a monthly rate of one-half of 1 percent of such total wages;

"(2) If such total wages were more than $3,000, the old-age benefit shall be at a monthly rate equal to the sum of the following:

"(A) One-half of 1 percent of $3,000; plus

"(B) One-twelfth of 1 percent of the amount by which such total wages exceeded $3,000 and did not exceed $45,000; plus

"(C) One twenty-fourth of 1 percent of the amount by which such total wages exceeded $45,000.

"(b) In no case shall the monthly rate computed under subsection (a) exceed $85.

"(c) If the Board finds at any time that more or less than the correct amount has theretofore been paid to any individual under this section, then, under regulations made by the Board, proper adjustments shall be made in connection with subsequent payments under this section to the same individual.

"(d) Whenever the Board finds that any qualified individual has received wages with respect to regular employment after he attained the age of 65, the old-age benefit payable to such individual shall be reduced, for each calendar month in any part of which such regular employment occurred, by an amount equal to 1 month's benefit. Such reduction shall be made, under regulations prescribed by the Board, by deductions from one or more payments of old-age benefit to such individual.

"PAYMENTS UPON DEATH

"SEC. 203. (a) If any individual dies before attaining the age of 65, there shall be paid to his estate an amount equal to 3½ percent of the total wages determined by the Board to have been paid to him, with respect to employment after December 31, 1936.

"(b) If the Board finds that the correct amount of the old-age benefit payable to a qualified individual during his life under section 202 was less than 3½ percent of the total wages by which such old-age benefit was measurable, then there shall be paid to his estate a sum equal to the amount, if any, by which such 3½ percent exceeds the amount (whether more or less than the correct amount) paid to him during his life as old-age benefit.

"(c) If the Board finds that the total amount paid to a qualified individual under an old-age benefit during his life was less than the correct amount to which he was entitled under section 202, and that the correct amount of such old-age benefit was 3½ percent or more of the total wages by which such old-age benefit was measurable, then there shall be paid to his estate a sum equal to the amount, if any, by which the correct amount of the old-age benefit exceeds the amount which was so paid to him during his life.

"PAYMENTS TO AGED INDIVIDUALS NOT QUALIFIED FOR BENEFITS

"SEC. 204. (a) There shall be paid in a lump sum to any individual who, upon attaining the age of 65, is not a qualified individual, an amount equal to 3½ percent of the total wages determined by the Board to have been paid to him, with respect to employment after December 31, 1936, and before he attained the age of 65.

"(b) After any individual becomes entitled to any payment under subsection (a), no other payment shall be made under this title in any manner measured by wages paid to him, except that any part of any payment under subsection (a) which is not paid to him before his death shall be paid to his estate.

"AMOUNTS OF $500 OR LESS PAYABLE TO ESTATES

"SEC. 205. If any amount payable to an estate under section 203 or 204 is $500 or less, such amount may, under regulations prescribed by the Board, be paid to the persons found by the Board to be entitled thereto under the law of the State in which the deceased was domiciled, without the necessity of compliance with the requirements of law with respect to the administration of such estate.

"OVERPAYMENTS DURING LIFE

"SEC. 206. If the Board finds that the total amount paid to a qualified individual under an old-age benefit during his life was more than the correct amount to which he was entitled under section 202, and was 3½ percent or more of the total wages by which such old-age benefit was measurable, then upon his death there shall be repaid to the United States by his estate the amount, if any, by which such total amount paid to him during his life exceeds whichever of the following is the greater: (1) Such 3½ percent, or (2) the correct amount to which he was entitled under section 202.

"METHOD OF MAKING PAYMENTS

"SEC. 207. The Board shall from time to time certify to the Secretary of the Treasury the name and address of each person entitled to receive a payment under this title, the amount of such payment, and the time at which it should be made, and the Secretary of the Treasury through the Division of Disbursement of the Treasury Department, and prior to audit or settlement by the General Accounting Office, shall make payment in accordance with the certification by the Board.

"ASSIGNMENT

"SEC. 208. The right of any person to any future payment under this title shall not be transferable or assignable, at law or in equity, and none of the moneys paid or payable or rights existing under this title shall be subject to execution, levy, attachment, garnishment, or other legal process, or to the operation of any bankruptcy or insolvency law.

"PENALTIES

"SEC. 209. Whoever in any application for any payment under this title makes any false statement as to any material fact, knowing such statement to be false, shall be fined not more than $1,000 or imprisoned for not more than 1 year, or both.

"DEFINITIONS

"SEC. 210. When used in this title—

"(a) The term 'wages' means all remuneration for employment, including the cash value of all remuneration paid in any medium other than cash; except that such term shall not include that part of the remuneration which, after remuneration equal to $3,000 has been paid to an individual by an employer with respect to employment during any calendar year, is paid to such individual by such employer with respect to employment during such calendar year.

"(b) The term 'employment' means any service, of whatever nature, performed within the United States, or as an officer or member of the crew of a vessel documented under the laws of the United States, by an employee for his employer, except—

"(1) Agricultural labor;

"(2) Domestic service in a private home;

"(3) Casual labor not in the course of the employer's trade or business;

"(4) Service performed in the employ of the United States Government or of an instrumentality of the United States;

"(5) Service performed in the employ of a State, a political subdivision thereof, or an instrumentality of one or more States or political subdivisions;

"(6) Service performed in the employ of a corporation, community chest, fund, or foundation, organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, educational or hospital purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

"(7) Service performed in the employ of an employer who has in operation a plan providing annuities to employees which is certified by the Board as having been approved by it under section 702, if the employee performing such service has elected to come under such plan; except that if any such employee withdraws from the plan before he attains the age of 65, or if the Board withdraws its approval of the plan, the service performed while the employee was under such plan as approved shall be construed to be employment as defined in this subsection.

"(c) The term 'qualified individual' means any individual with respect to whom it appears to the satisfaction of the Board that—

"(1) He is at least 65 years of age; and

"(2) The total amount of wages paid to him, with respect to employment after December 31, 1936, and before he attained the age of 65, was not less than $2,000; and

"(3) Wages were paid to him, with respect to employment on some five days after December 31, 1936, and before he attained the age of 65, each day being in a different calendar year."

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 15 / Nays 63}

On motion by Mr. Hastings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Barbour, Capper, Dickinson, George, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Keyes, Metcalf, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

So the amendment proposed by Mr. Hastings was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison.

No further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 77 / Nays---------- 6

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Hale, Hastings, Metcalf, Moore, and Townsend.

So the bill was passed.

The title was amended so as to read: "An act to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, blind persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment-compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue, and for other purposes."

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President.

The Vice President subsequently appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

On motion by Mr. Bankhead,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

VITO VALENTINO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 314) for the relief of Vito Valentino.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Metcalf,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

THE WASHINGTON POST CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1052) for the relief of The Washington Post Co.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

Mr. George, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to whom were referred the petition of Henry D. Hatfield, contesting the right of Rush D. Holt to a seat in the United States Senate from the State of West Virginia for the term beginning January 3, 1935, and the memorial of citizens of the State of West Virginia challenging the validity of his election and remonstrating against his being seated, submitted a report (No. 904); which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Johnson submitted his individual views as a member of the said committee on the foregoing matter; which were ordered to be printed as a part of Report No. 904.

Mr. Austin submitted the minority views of Mr. Hastings, Mr. Dickinson, and himself as members of the said committee on the foregoing matter; which were ordered to be printed as a part of Report No. 904.

Mr. George, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 155):

Resolved, That Rush D. Holt is entitled to his seat in the Senate of the United States as a Senator from the State of West Virginia; it appearing that he was 30 years of age at the time when he presented himself to the Senate to take the oath and to assume the duties of the office.

TAX METHODS AND POLICIES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, referred to the Committee on Finance, and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

As the fiscal year draws to its close it becomes our duty to consider the broad question of tax methods and policies. I wish to acknowledge the timely efforts of the Congress to lay the basis through its committees for administrative improvements, by careful study of the revenue systems of our own and of other countries. These studies have made it very clear that we need to simplify and clarify our revenue laws.

The Joint Legislative Committee, established by the Revenue Act of 1926, has been particularly helpful to the Treasury Department. The members of that committee have generously consulted with administrative officials, not only on broad questions of policy but on important and difficult tax cases.

On the basis of these studies and of other studies conducted by officials of the Treasury, I am able to make a number of suggestions of important changes in our policy of taxation. These are based on the broad principle that if a government is to be prudent its taxes must produce ample revenues without discouraging enterprise; and if it is to be just it must distribute the burden of taxes equitably. I do not believe that our present system of taxation completely meets this test. Our revenue laws have operated in many ways to the unfair advantage of the few, and they have done little to prevent an unjust concentration of wealth and economic power.

With the enactment of the income-tax law of 1913 the Federal Government began to apply effectively the widely accepted principle that taxes should be levied in proportion to ability to pay and in proportion to the benefits received. Income was wisely chosen as the measure of benefits and of ability to pay. This was and still is a wholesome guide for national policy. It should be retained as the governing principle of Federal taxation. The use of other forms of taxes is often justifiable, particularly for temporary periods; but taxation according to income is the most effective instrument yet devised to obtain just contribution from those best able to bear it and to avoid placing onerous burdens upon the mass of our people.

The movement toward progressive taxation of wealth and of income has accompanied the growing diversification and interrelation of effort which marks our industrial society. Wealth in the modern world does not come merely from individual effort; it results from a combination of individual effort and of the manifold uses to which the community puts that effort. The individual does not create the product of his industry with his own hands; he utilizes the many processes and forces of mass production to meet the demands of a national and international market.

Therefore, in spite of the great importance in our national life of the efforts and ingenuity of unusual individuals, the people in the mass have inevitably helped to make large fortunes possible. Without mass cooperation great accumulations of wealth would be impossible save by unhealthy speculation. As Andrew Carnegie put it, "Where wealth accrues honorably, the people are always silent partners." Whether it be wealth achieved through the cooperation of the entire community or riches gained by speculation—in either case the ownership of such wealth or riches represents a great public interest and a great ability to pay.

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My first proposal, in line with this broad policy, has to do with inheritances and gifts. The transmission from generation to generation of vast fortunes by will, inheritance, or gift is not consistent with the ideals and sentiments of the American people.

The desire to provide security for one's self and one's family is natural and wholesome, but it is adequately served by a reasonable inheritance. Great accumulations of wealth cannot be justified on the basis of personal and family security. In the last analysis such accumulations amount to the perpetuation of great and undesirable concentration of control in a relatively few individuals over the employment and welfare of many, many others.

Such inherited economic power is as inconsistent with the ideals of this generation as inherited political power was inconsistent with the ideals of the generation which established our Government.

Creative enterprise is not stimulated by vast inheritances. They bless neither those who bequeath nor those who receive. As long ago as 1907, in a message to Congress, President Theodore Roosevelt urged this wise social policy:

"A heavy progressive tax upon a very large fortune is in no way such a tax upon thrift or industry as a like tax would be on a small fortune. No advantage comes either to the country as a whole or to the individuals inheriting the money by permitting the transmission in their entirety of the enormous fortunes which would be affected by such a tax; and as an incident to its function of revenue raising, such a tax would help to preserve a measurable equality of opportunity for the people of the generations growing to manhood."

A tax upon inherited economic power is a tax upon static wealth, not upon that dynamic wealth which makes for the healthy diffusion of economic good.

Those who argue for the benefits secured to society by great fortunes invested in great businesses should note that such a tax does not affect the essential benefits that remain after the death of the creator of such a business. The mechanism of production that he created remains. The benefits of corporate organization remain. The advantage of pooling many investments in one enterprise remains. Governmental privileges such as patents remain. All that is gone is the initiative, energy, and genius of the creator—and death has taken these away.

I recommend, therefore, that in addition to the present estate taxes there should be levied an inheritance, succession, and legacy tax in respect to all very large amounts received by any one legatee or beneficiary; and to prevent, so far as possible, evasions of this tax, I recommend further the imposition of gift taxes suited to this end.

Because of the basis on which this proposed tax is to be levied and also because of the very sound public policy of encouraging a wider distribution of wealth, I strongly urge that the proceeds of this tax should be specifically segregated and applied, as they accrue, to the reduction of the national debt. By so doing, we shall progressively lighten the tax burden of the average taxpayer, and, incidentally, assist in our approach to a balanced Budget.

II

The disturbing effects upon our national life that come from great inheritances of wealth and power can in the future be reduced, not only through the method I have just described, but through a definite increase in the taxes now levied upon very great individual net incomes.

To illustrate: The application of the principle of a graduated tax now stops at $1,000,000 of annual income. In other words, while the rate for a man with a $6,000 income is double the rate for one with a $4,000 income, a man having a $5,000,000 annual income pays at the same rate as one whose income is $1,000,000.

Social unrest and a deepening sense of unfairness are dangers to our national life which we must minimize by rigorous methods. People know that vast personal incomes come not only through the effort or ability or luck of those who receive them, but also because of the opportunities for advantages which government itself contributes. Therefore, the duty rests upon the Government to restrict such incomes by very high taxes.

III

In the modern world scientific invention and mass production have brought many things within the reach of the average man which in an earlier age were available to few. With large-scale enterprise has come the great corporation drawing its resources from widely diversified activities and from a numerous group of investors. The community has profited in those cases in which large-scale production has resulted in substantial economies and lower prices.

The advantages and the protections conferred upon corporations by Government increase in value as the size of the corporation increases. Some of these advantages are granted by the State which conferred a charter upon the corporation, others are granted by other States which, as a matter of grace, allow the corporation to do local business within their borders. But perhaps the most important advantages, such as the carrying on of business between two or more States, are derived through the Federal Government—great corporations are protected in a considerable measure from the taxing power and the regulatory power of the States by virtue of the interstate character of their businesses. As the profit to such a corporation increases, so the value of its advantages and protections increases.

Furthermore, the drain of a depression upon the reserves of business puts a disproportionate strain upon the modestly capitalized small enterprise. Without such small enterprises our competitive economic society would cease. Size begets monopoly. Moreover, in the aggregate these little businesses furnish the indispensable local basis for those Nation-wide markets which alone can insure the success of our mass-production industries. Today our smaller corporations are fighting not only for their own local well-being but for that fairly distributed national prosperity which makes large-scale enterprise possible.

It seems only equitable, therefore, to adjust our tax system in accordance with economic capacity advantage and fact. The smaller corporations should not carry burdens beyond their powers; the vast concentrations of capital should be ready to carry burdens commensurate with their powers and their advantages.

We have established the principle of graduated taxation in respect to personal incomes, gifts, and estates. We should apply the same principle to corporations. Today the smallest corporation pays the same rate on its net profits as the corporation which is a thousand times its size.

I, therefore, recommend the substitution of a corporation income tax graduated according to the size of corporation income in place of the present uniform corporation income tax of 13¾ percent. The rate for smaller corporations might well be reduced to 10¾ percent, and the rates graduated upward to a rate of 16¾ percent on net income in the case of the largest corporations, with such classifications

of business enterprises as the public interest may suggest to the Congress.

Provisions should, of course, be made to prevent evasion of such graduated tax on corporate incomes through the device of numerous subsidiaries or affiliates, each of which might technically qualify as a small concern even though all were in fact operated as a single organization. The most effective method of preventing such evasions would be a tax on dividends received by corporations. Bona fide investment trusts that submit to public regulation and perform the function of permitting small investors to obtain the benefit of diversification of risk may well be exempted from this tax.

In addition to these three specific recommendations of changes in our national tax policies, I commend to your study and consideration a number of others. Ultimately we should seek through taxation the simplification of our corporate structures through the elimination of unnecessary holding companies in all lines of business. We should likewise discourage unwieldy and unnecessary corporate surpluses. These complicated and difficult questions cannot adequately be debated in the time remaining in the present session of this Congress.

I renew, however, at this time the recommendations made by my predecessors for the submission and ratification of a constitutional amendment whereby the Federal Government will be permitted to tax the income on subsequently issued State and local securities and likewise for the taxation by State and local governments of future issues of Federal securities.

In my Budget message of January 7 I recommended that the Congress extend the miscellaneous Internal Revenue taxes which are about to expire and also to maintain the current rates of those taxes which, under the present law, would be reduced. I said then that I considered such taxes necessary to the financing of the Budget for 1936. I am gratified that the Congress is taking action on this recommendation.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 19, 1935.*

REORGANIZATION OF PERSHING HALL, PARIS, FRANCE

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2917) authorizing an appropriation to the American Legion for its use in effecting a settlement of the remainder due on, and the reorganization of, Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the Commander in Chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces; and the reported amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. Sheppard, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 32 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1180, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1180) to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Neely raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 19, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1121. An act for the relief of Isidor Greenspan; and

S. 1863. An act for the relief of Trifune Korac.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; which were referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the Franklin County (Mass.) Poultry Association praying an amendment to proposed legislation amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act to include poultry and poultry products; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A resolution adopted by the City Council of Everett, Mass., remonstrating against a wage scale of $12 per week of 40 hours under the work-relief program; and

A petition of the Roxbury (Mass.) Board of Trade, Inc., praying an allotment of funds under the work-relief program for the purpose of clearing up slums and poorer sections of cities; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by St. Patrick's Holy Name Society, of Lowell, Mass., favoring an investigation of religious persecutions in Mexico and the recall of Josephus Daniels as United States Ambassador to that country; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A petition of the League of Jewish Women's Organizations, of Allston, Mass., praying the passage of legislation restricting immigration and providing for the naturalization of aliens; and

A memorial of United Council, No. 6, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, of Orleans, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of said legislation; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Tydings presented a resolution adopted by the Archdiocesan Union of the Holy Name Society of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the use of the mails free of postage to spread propaganda of Mexican officials denying that religious persecutions exist in Mexico; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of the Baltimore & Ohio Local Federation No. 7, Railway Employees' Department, of Cumberland, Md., praying the passage of legislation providing for a retirement system for aged railway employees and to continue the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2998) to control the trade in arms, ammunition, and implements of war, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 915) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2879. A bill for the relief of Catherine Grace (Rept. No. 916);

H. R. 3574. An act for the relief of Nellie T. Francis (Rept. No. 917); and

H. R. 7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller (Rept. No. 918).

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 491) for the relief of Fred Herrick, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 919) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 920) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4368) for the relief of E. C. West, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 921) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3106) relating to the taxation of securities hereafter issued by or under the authority of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3107) to exempt publicly owned interstate highway bridges from State, municipal, and local taxation; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 3108) granting a pension to Mary Jane Blackman; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3109) for the relief of Hiram G. Hines; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 3110) granting a pension to Henrietta V. W. Owen; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 3111) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to grant to the State of Louisiana an easement over certain land of the United States in Natchitoches Parish, La., for highway purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3112) granting a pension to Beulah E. Coleman (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 3113) to provide a government for American Samoa; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 150) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on certain securities and the income derived therefrom; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

GENERAL SURVEY OF INDIAN CONDITIONS

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 156); which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Indian Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof, authorized and directed by Senate resolutions to make a general survey of Indian conditions in the United States, is hereby authorized to expend $10,000 from the contingent fund of the Senate in addition to the sums heretofore authorized for said purpose.

CONSERVATION OF WILDLIFE RESOURCES

Mr. Pittman (for himself, Mr. McNary, Mr. Norbeck, Mr. Clark, Mr. Bailey, Mr. Byrd, and Mr. White), by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 157); which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the special committee authorized and directed by Senate Resolution No. 246 on April 17, 1930, to investigate the conservation of wild-animal life, hereby is authorized to expend in furtherance of such purposes $15,000 in addition to the amounts heretofore authorized.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

On motion by Mr. George,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 155) declaring Rush D. Holt entitled to his seat as Senator from the State of West Virginia.

On motion by Mr. Hastings to amend the resolution by striking out all after the word "*Resolved*" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: *That the election of Rush D. Holt to be a Senator of the United States was void, he not having attained the age of 30 years at the commencement of the term for which he was elected.*

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Neely in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act to diminish the causes of labor disputes burdening or obstructing interstate and foreign commerce, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes."

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Walsh, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murray, Mr. Borah, and Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. George,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. George, at 5 o'clock and 13 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Doughton, Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 147) authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 314 and S. 1052, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 147, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 314. An act for the relief of Vito Valentino;

S. 1052. An act for the relief of The Washington Post Co.; and

H. J. Res. 147. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with a letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriations required by the Department of the Interior for the fiscal years 1935 and 1936, amounting to $43,050; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with a letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation, amounting to $800,000, for the National Capital Park and Planning Commission; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the legislative establishment, pertaining to the Library of Congress, fiscal year 1936, amounting to $75,000; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $600,000, in substitution for the estimate transmitted to Congress May 15, 1935, required by the Department of the Interior to carry out the provisions of the Petroleum Administration Act; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following concurrent resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to repeal the charter of the North River Bridge Co. authorizing the construction of a railroad and vehicular bridge across the Hudson River between the States of New York and New Jersey and to build freight terminals in connection therewith; and

A concurrent resolution favoring the improvement of the unimproved portion of the Champlain and Erie Canals; to the Committee on Commerce.

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to abolish the Federal gasoline sales tax and to surrender to the States exclusively the power to tax such sales in the future; to the Committee on Finance.

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to enact legislation to humanize the immigration laws and to provide for the reuniting of those denied admission into the United States with their families; to the Committee on Immigration.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to provide relief to George S. Ward, a former member of the Army Medical Corps; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, favoring an amendment of the act of Congress authorizing public improvements for the city and county of Honolulu; which was referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York:

A concurrent resolution favoring the passage of anti-lynching legislation;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing unemployment insurance, old-age pensions, and benefits to needy and dependent mothers and children;

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of motor vehicles operating on the public highways for compensation; and

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing that October 11 in each year be proclaimed General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of the Master Bakers Association of Richmond County and the Master Bakers Association of Richmond Borough, in the State of New York, praying the removal of the processing tax on flour; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Resolutions adopted by the board of directors of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society of New York City and the Hebrew Mutual Alliance of New Rochelle, in the State of New York, favoring the passage of House bill 8163, providing for the liberalization of immigration laws by eliminating rigid provisions for the deportation of aliens, and the legalization of the entry of certain aliens, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 148) granting the consent of Congress to the minimum-wage compact ratified by the Legislatures of Massachusetts and New Hampshire, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 922) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2806) for the relief of William A. Devine, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 923) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5393) for the relief of Moses Israel, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 924) thereon.

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 925) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8297) to amend so much of the First Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1921, approved March 1, 1921, as relates to the printing and distribution of a revised edition of Hinds' Parliamentary Precedents of the House of Representatives, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 926) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was recommitted the bill (H. R. 298) for the relief of Jack Page, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 927) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Keyes:

A bill (S. 3114) for the refund of customs duty paid by Salvatore Lascari on an importation of mosaic paintings for the Moody Currier Art Gallery in Manchester, N. H.; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 3115) to amend section 75 of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3116) to eliminate certain lands from the Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho;

A bill (S. 3117) to accept the cession by the State of Arkansas of jurisdiction over all lands now or hereafter included within the Hot Springs National Park, Ark., and for other purposes;

A bill (S. 3118) to provide for the creation of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial National Monument on Put in Bay, South Bass Island, in the State of Ohio, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 3119) to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station on Mount Desert Island, in the State of Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 3120) to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Treasury to transfer certain moneys to "Funds of Federal prisoners"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3121) to vest in the Register of Copyrights the registration of copyright prints and labels; to the Committee on Patents.

ALASKAN COLONIZATION ENTERPRISE

Mr. Vandenberg (for Mr. La Follette, Mr. Shipstead, and himself), by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 158), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That Administrator Harry L. Hopkins, of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, is requested to report to the Senate respecting the Alaskan colonization enterprise, with particular reference to the following considerations:

1. Present status of the colonization, including numbers and descriptions of persons transported to Alaska, and from what States;

2. Nature and extent of accommodations provided for them;

3. Any information available respecting alleged lack of facilities and supplies necessary to protection of health and life; and

4. Nature and extent of present and prospective expenditures in this connection.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following bills and joint resolution:

On June 15, 1935:

S. 209. An act for the relief of Carmine Sforza;

S. 557. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 927. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such act; and

S. 2029. An act to authorize naval and Marine Corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement.

On June 17, 1935:

S. 410. An act to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

S. 2100. An act to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, by adding three new sections to be numbered 802 (a), 802 (b), and 802 (c), respectively.

On June 19, 1935:

S. 2591. An act for the relief of Lyman C. Drake; and

S. 2688. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the manner in which property shall be sold under orders and decrees of any United States courts", approved March 3, 1893, as amended.

On June 20, 1935:

S. 380. An act to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah;

S. 1831. An act transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, N. Mex.;

S. 2131. An act to provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 2597. An act for the relief of Irene de Bruyn Robbins; and

S. J. Res. 42. Joint resolution to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS ACT

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, be printed showing the amendments of the House of Representatives numbered.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution (S. Res. 155) declaring Rush D. Holt entitled to a seat as Senator from the State of West Virginia.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Hastings, striking out all after the word "*Resolved,*" and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. George raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Neely in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Hastings, viz, strike out all after the word "*Resolved*", and insert in lieu thereof the following: *That the election of Rush D. Holt to be a Senator from the United States was void, he not having attained the age of thirty years at the commencement of the term for which he was elected.*

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 17, Nays 62

On motion by Mr. George,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Borah, Burke, Capper, Connally, Dickinson, Gibson, Hale, Hatch, Johnson, Keyes, McNary, Metcalf, Norbeck, Steiwer, Vandenberg, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Hastings' amendment was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the resolution,

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 62, Nays 17.

On motion by Mr. Neely,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes,

Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Borah, Burke, Capper, Connally, Dickinson, Gibson, Hale, Hatch, Johnson, Keyes, McNary, Metcalf, Norbeck, Steiwer, Vandenberg, and Walsh.

So the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Holt appeared, and the oath prescribed by law having been administered to him by the Vice President, he took his seat in the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Connery, Mr. Ramspeck, Mr. Griswold, Mr. Welch, and Mr. Lambertson managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7205) to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 28, 42, 44, and 48 to the said bill and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18 to the said bill and agreed to the same with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

ADDITIONAL CIRCUIT JUDGE, NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

On motion by Mr. Johnson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5917) to appoint an additional circuit judge for the ninth judicial circuit; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been amended on the motion of Mr. Glass, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to provide for the appointment of two additional judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California, one additional judge for the Circuit Court, Ninth Judicial Circuit, and an additional district judge for the eastern district of Virginia, and for other purposes."

On motion by Mr. Ashurst,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the chair) appointed Mr. King, Mr. McAdoo, and Mr. Borah.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR NAVY DEPARTMENT AND NAVAL SERVICE

Mr. Byrnes submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 5, 6, 7, 19, 26, 27, and 29.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 38, 39, 40, 43, 45, 46, and 47, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed, insert *$175,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 3: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed, insert *$1,062,700*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 9: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 9, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the number proposed by said amendment, insert *three*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 34: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 34, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed, insert *$11,020,450*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 36: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 36, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed, insert *$40,732,310*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 37: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 37, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed, insert *$6,590,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 41: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 41, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum named in said amendment, insert *$6,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 18, 28, 42, 44, and 48.

JAMES F. BYRNES,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
PARK TRAMMELL,
FREDERICK HALE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
GLOVER H. CARY,
WILLIAM B. UMSTEAD,
W. R. THOM,
GEO. W. JOHNSON,
J. G. SCRUGHAM
(Except as to amendment no. 32),
CLARENCE J. MCLEOD,
J. W. DITTER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18 to the said bill.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes:

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

On the question of ageeing to the reported amendment, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Bankhead.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and

After the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 7672, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (H. R. 7672) making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Bankhead, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Bankhead raised the question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN NEVADA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of Nevada on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolutions of the Legislature of the State of New York, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the observance of October 12 as a national holiday to be known as "Columbus Day"; to the Committee on the Library.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the sale within the markets of the State of New York of milk purchased from producers outside the State at prices under those paid to New York producers; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A concurrent resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the construction of underground pneumatic tubes for the transmission of mail between the general post office in Brooklyn and certain outlying postal stations; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma urging the enactment of legislation to provide for the payment of compensation to the widow of William Tilghman who was killed by Federal prohibition officers; to the Committee on Claims.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A petition of the Puerto Rican Social Club, Inc., of New York City, praying the enactment of legislation providing for economic relief of Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2034) to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 928) thereon.

Mr. Shipstead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 72) authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 929) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3120) to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Treasury to transfer certain moneys to "Funds of Federal prisoners", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 930) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 237) for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the "Oliver Wendell Holmes Memorial Fund", reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 931) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2399. A bill to permit citizens of the Philippine Islands to receive instruction at the United States Military Academy (Rept. No. 932); and

S. 2434. A bill for the relief of George W. Hallowell, Jr. (Rept. No. 933).

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7652) to authorize the furnishing of steam from the central heating plant to the Federal Reserve Board, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 934) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 201) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 935) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2830. A bill to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909 (Rept. No. 936);

S. 2831. A bill to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia; and for other purposes (Rept. No. 938); and

H. J. Res. 280. Joint resolution for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Maine Avenue" (Rept. No. 937).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7526) to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 939) thereon.

Mr. Bilbo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2939) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Ronald A. Cox, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 940) thereon.

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5809) to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia", reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 941) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1381. A bill to amend the act approved February 13, 1925, entitled "An act to amend the Judicial Code, and to further define the jurisdiction of the Circuit Court of Appeals and of the Supreme Court, and for other purposes" (Rept. No. 942); and

S. 1382. A bill to provide for the taking of depositions in criminal proceedings, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 943).

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they presented to the President of the United States the following bills:

On June 20, 1935:

S. 1180. An act to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes, as amended.

On June 21, 1935:

S. 314. An act for the relief of Vito Valentino; and

S. 1052. An act for the relief of The Washington Post Co.

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CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Library be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2550) to incorporate the American National Institute (Prix de Paris) at Paris, France, and that it be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 3122) to add certain lands to the Boise National Forest in the State of Idaho; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 3123) to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3124) for the relief of M. L. Goldfarb;

A bill (S. 3125) for the relief of J. A. Hammond;

A bill (S. 3126) for the relief of Capt. Henry T. Korner; and

A bill (S. 3127) for the relief of O. W. Waddle; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3128) for the relief of Daniel Yates; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 3129) for the relief of the dependents of Max Grady Sullivan, deceased; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 3130) granting the consent of Congress to the State of Tennessee and certain of its political subdivisions to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Tennessee River at or near a point between Dayton and Decatur, Tenn.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3131) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge and causeway across the water between the mainland at or near Cedar Point and Dauphin Island, Ala.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 3132) for the relief of Mary Ellen Tiefenthaler; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 3133) for the relief of William R. Kellogg; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3134) to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the district of North Dakota; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Beryl Elliott and John W. Hubbard; to the Committee on Claims:

Economy act; to the Committee on Finance.

Nellie T. Francis; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Otis H. Dorsett and Fred B. Johnson; to the Committee on Pensions.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy for farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

Pending debate,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Dieterich.

On motion by Mr. Gore to further amend the reported amendment by striking out certain language following the word "allocated" on page 16, line 25,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the amendment was temporarily postponed.

On motion by Mr. Shipstead to further amend the reported amendment by striking out on page 20, beginning in line 3, a portion of subsection (e) and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next, and that after today no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the bill or any amendment that may be pending or that may be offered.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 131) providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and Celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the year 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 7205 and H. R. 7652, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 7205. An act to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons; and

H. R. 7652. An act to authorize the furnishing of steam from the central heating plant to the Federal Reserve Board, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8554, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, June 22, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and expenditures of the Corporation for May 1935, including statements of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

CLAIM OF COLT PATENT FIREARMS MANUFACTURING CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a deficiency estimate of appropriation for payment of a claim of the Colt Patent Firearms Manufacturing Co., amounting to $812.91; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriations for the District of Columbia, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $4,521.13; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriations required for the payment of claims against the District of Columbia settled by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia pursuant to law, amounting to $2,541.05; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Slovak League of America favoring the passage of House bill 8163, to amend the immigration laws so as to remove the hardship upon members of families, divided as the result of mandatory deportation; to the Committee on Immigration.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Fletcher presented a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Florida urging the purchase by Federal agencies distributing commodities for relief to citizens in Southeastern States of a proportionate part of the fish production within the State of Florida.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of deputy collectors of internal revenue for the district of Maryland praying the passage of Senate bill 1952, providing for the placing of certain positions in the civil service not now subject to the provisions of the Civil Service Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented a communication from Brig. Gen. Aaron Simon Daggett, of Roxbury, Mass., expressing his thanks for the action of the Senate in adopting a resolution congratulating him upon reaching his ninety-eighth birthday.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, created under Senate Resolution 206, Seventy-third Congress, submitted a preliminary report (No. 944) relative to naval shipbuilding; which was ordered to be printed with the accompanying illustrations.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4505. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Maine and the Dominion of Canada to maintain a bridge already constructed across the St. John River between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada (Rept. No. 945);

H. R. 6988. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 21 meets Texas Highway No. 45 (Rept. No. 946);

H. R. 7044. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 6 in Sabine Parish, La., meets Texas Highway No. 21 in Sabine County, Tex. (Rept. No. 947); and

H. R. 7870. An act to provide a preliminary examination of the Purgatoire (Picketwire) and Apishapa Rivers, in the State of Colorado, with a view to the control of their floods and the conservation of their waters (Rept. No. 948).

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2617) to amend the Judicial Code to permit defendants in criminal cases to waive trial by jury, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 949) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 29) to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3038) to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 950) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2303) to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended and supplemented, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2369) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the repatriation of certain insane American citizens", approved March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1495), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 951) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1892. A bill to amend the act authorizing the Attorney General to compromise suits on certain contracts of insurance (Rept. No. 952); and

S. 2744. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto (Rept. No. 953).

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3059) to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 954) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3135) to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 3136) for the relief of J. A. McAlister; and

A bill (S. 3137) for the relief of Pauline McKinney; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3138) granting a pension to Sarah E. Wilkerson (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3139) to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally known as the "War Minerals Relief Statutes"; to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A bill (S. 3140) to provide that funds allocated to Puerto Rico under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 may be expended for permanent rehabilitation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3141) granting a pension to Clifton D. Cochran; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Austin:

A bill (S. 3142) for the relief of John W. Sargent and John L. Sargent; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3143) for the relief of the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 3144) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a medal with appropriate emblems and inscriptions commemorative of Gen. Robert Edward Lee; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 151) making provision for a national celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, wealthiest signer of the Declaration of Independence; to the Committee on the Library.

CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS CAMPS

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 159), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, respectfully requested and directed to furnish the following information to the Senate:

1. How many C. C. C. camps there are conducted by the Department of the Interior in Tennessee;

2. The personnel of the central office or offices in Tennessee, with the residences of each of the personnel and salaries paid;

3. The personnel of the several camps, together with the residences of each of such personnel, with salaries paid; and

4. The number of boys in each of said camps from Tennessee and the number from outside States.

MARKETING OF WOOL

Mr. Adams and Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 160), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Whereas wool is one of the major agricultural products of many sections of the United States and is used in many industries and provides a substantial part of the commerce of the country; and

Whereas proper methods of marketing wool are essential to the establishment and maintenance of the prosperity of the industry; and

Whereas existing methods of marketing the wool crop have proved unsatisfactory to the wool producers of America: Therefore be it

Resolved, That a special committee of three Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool. The committee shall report to the Senate, not later than the beginning of the second session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, the results of its investigations, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

INSPECTION OF NAVAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 161), which was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs:

Resolved, That the Committee on Naval Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof duly appointed by the chairman of the committee, hereby is authorized to visit for the purposes of inspection United States navy yards, air stations, and other naval activities, between July 15 and December 31, 1935, the expenses incurred in pursuance hereof, not to exceed $3,000, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

COMMITTEE SERVICE

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That Mr. Holt be assigned to service on the following committees: Education and Labor; Immigration; Naval Affairs; Post Offices and Post Roads; and Mines and Mining.

TEXAS CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 131) providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Connally,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representative, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union.

UNITED STATES PARTICIPATION IN INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION

Mr. Barkley (for Mr. Pittman) submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2276) to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its amendment.

KEY PITTMAN,
JOE T. ROBINSON,
WM. E. BORAH,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

S. D. MCREYNOLDS,
SOL BLOOM,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM TENANCY PROBLEMS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 2367) to create the Farmers' Home Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, to engage in rural rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

The consideration of the amendments heretofore proposed by Mr. Gore and Mr. Shipstead, respectively, was resumed; and

The said amendments were agreed to.

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. Schwellenbach, the motion of Mr. King, the motion of Mr. La Follette, and the motion of Mr. Adams.

On motion by Mr. Adams to further amend the reported amendment by striking out all after the word "No" on page 26, line 8, down to and including the word "contractual" and the period, on line 11,

Pending debate,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Adams was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch and the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to Mr. O'Mahoney's amendment, inserting on page 20, line 24, after the word "person", the words *outside the civil service*, was reconsidered; and

After debate,

The amendment was disagreed to.

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. King, and, as amended, agreed to.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, was reconsidered.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Gerry in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, viz, strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That this act may be cited as the "Farmers' Home Act."

Sec. 2. The powers conferred in this act shall be exercised with a view to checking the increase of tenancy in the United States, and dealing in an adequate way with the problem of farm tenancy in the United States, aiding in rural rehabilitation, and encouraging the ownership of farm homes.

Sec. 3. (a) There is hereby created a Corporation to be known as the "Farmers' Home Corporation" (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"), which shall be an instrumentality of the United States.

(b) The management of the Corporation shall be vested in a board of directors (hereinafter referred to as the "board") of five members, consisting of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration as members ex officio, and three members to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and not more than two of said three members shall be members of the same political party. Each of the three appointive members shall receive a salary at the rate fixed in the bylaws of the Corporation, but not in excess of $10,000 a year, and shall hold office for a term of six years, except that (1) any member appointed to fill a vacancy occurring prior to the expiration of the term for which his predecessor was appointed, shall be appointed for the remainder of such term; and (2) the terms of office of the members first taking office after the date of enactment of this act shall expire, as designated by the President at the time of appointment, one at the end of two years, one at the end of four years, and one at the end of six years, after the date of the enactment of this act. The President shall designate one of the appointive members as the chairman of the board. The Secretary of Agriculture and the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration and any of the appointive members who hold another Government office shall receive no additional compensation for their services as members of the board. The members of the board who are first appointed shall be deemed to be the incorporators, and the incorporation shall be deemed to have been effected from the date of the first meeting of the board.

(c) The Corporation shall have capital stock in the amount of $50,000,000, and the board, with the approval of the President, is authorized to increase such capital stock from time to time in such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the functions of the Corporation. Such original capital stock shall be subscribed for by the President on behalf of the United States, and payments for such subscriptions may be made from any sums appropriated by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935; and the President is further authorized to transfer to the Corporation, from the sums so allocated, such sums as he may from time to time deem desirable to carry out the purposes of this act. Payments for such stock and other sums to be so transferred shall be made to the Corporation by the Secretary of the Treasury at such time or times as the President may direct and the amount of all payments so received shall be available to the Corporation for administrative expenses under, and also to carry out the provisions of this Act. The Corporation shall issue to the Secretary of the Treasury receipts for payments by him for or on account of such stock, and such receipts shall be evidence of the stock ownership of the United States.

(d) The Corporation is authorized to issue bonds in an aggregate amount not to exceed $1,000,000,000, which may be sold by the Corporation to obtain funds for carrying out the purpose of this act. Such bonds shall be in such forms and denominations, shall mature within such periods from the date of their issue, shall bear such rates of interest, shall be subject to such terms and conditions, and shall be issued in such manner and sold at such prices, as may be prescribed by the Corporation, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury. Such bonds shall be fully and unconditionally guaranteed both as to interest and principal by the United States, and such guaranty shall be expressed on the face thereof, and such bonds shall be lawful investments, and may be accepted as security for all fiduciary, trust, and public funds, the investment or deposit of which shall be under the authority or control of the United States or any officer or officers thereof. In the event that the Corporation shall be unable to pay upon demand, when due, the principal of, or interest on, such bonds, the Secretary of the Treasury shall pay to the holder the amount thereof, which is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and thereupon to the extent of the amount so paid the Secretary of the Treasury shall succeed to all the rights of the holders of such bonds. The Secretary of the Treasury, in his discretion, is authorized to purchase any bonds of the Corporation issued under this subsection, and for such purpose the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to use as a public-debt transaction the proceeds from the sale of any securities hereafter issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and the purposes for which securities may be issued under such act, as amended, are extended to include any purchases of the Corporation's bonds hereunder. The Secretary of the Treasury may, at any time, sell any of the bonds of the Corporation acquired by him under this subsection. All redemptions, purchases, and sales by the Secretary of the Treasury of the bonds of the Corporation shall be treated as public-debt transactions of the United States. The bonds issued by the Corporation under this subsection shall be exempt, both as to principal and interest, from all taxation (except surtaxes,

estate, inheritance, and gift taxes), now or hereafter imposed by the United States or any District, Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority. The Corporation, including its franchise, its capital, reserves, and surplus, its loans and income, and its personal property, shall likewise be exempt from such taxation. The Corporation shall have power, however, to make payments to States and governmental subdivisions thereof for the furnishing of such public services and facilities as are customarily provided for out of taxes and assessments, to the farms, farm homes, and farm communities established as provided for hereinafter. The Corporation shall have power to purchase in the open market at any time and at any price, not to exceed par, any of the bonds issued by it. Any such bonds so purchased may, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, be sold or resold at any time and at any price. The Corporation shall make appropriate provision for applying payments received by it to the retirement of the bonds issued under the provisions of this act.

None of said bonds shall be issued within 1 year after the approval of this act. Within 3 years after the approval of this act not more than $300,000,000 of said bonds may be issued.

(e) The Corporation is authorized to appoint attorneys and shall, subject to the civil-service laws, employ such officers, examiners, and other experts and employees as may be necessary for carrying out its functions under this act and to fix their compensation in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended. No such officer, employee, attorney, or agent shall be paid compensation at a rate in excess of the rate hereinabove provided in the case of directors of the Corporation, nor compensation in excess of that received by employees of the Government in like or similar services. Insofar as applicable, the benefits of the act entitled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, as amended, shall extend to persons given employment under the provisions of this act. The Corporation shall be entitled to the free use of the United States mails for its official business in the same manner as the executive departments of the Government, and shall determine its necessary administrative and other expenditures under this act and the manner in which they shall be incurred, allowed, and paid. All expenditures of said Corporation shall be in accordance with the laws generally applicable to the expenditures of the several departments and establishments of the Government. All claims and accounts of said Corporation shall be submitted to the General Accounting Office as provided in the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921: Provided, That the appointment of any person receiving a salary of $4,000 or more per annum from the funds of the Corporation shall be subject to the confirmation of the Senate of the United States.

The Corporation shall, at the close of each fiscal year, make a report in writing to Congress stating in detail its activities, the names, salaries, and duties of all employees and officers in the employ of or under the supervision of the Corporation, and an account of all moneys it has disbursed.

(f) The Board is authorized to make such bylaws, rules, and regulations, not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the affairs of the Corporation.

Sec. 4. (a) The Corporation shall have succession in its corporate name, and shall have power—

(1) To sue and be sued in its corporate name in any court of competent jurisdiction, Federal or State.

(2) To adopt and use a corporate seal, which shall be judicially noticed.

(3) To establish, and to assist in the establishment of farms and farm homes, together with the necessary buildings and other structures, livestock, equipment, implements and machinery, furnishings, supplies, facilities, and to assist the beneficiaries of this act in the organization of cooperatives: Provided, That any individual farm shall be of such size and fertility and so stocked and equipped as to reasonably indicate returns which will permit the occupants thereof to repay any obligations incurred by them for the purchase thereof, and to maintain a decent standard of living: And provided further, That the Corporation shall have power under rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Corporation and the Secretary of the Interior to finance in the same manner the establishment of individual farms and homes upon the public domain or upon lands within any reclamation project.

(4) The Corporation shall limit the loan made to any purchaser to the amount that will provide a farm to be limited in area to the size of an average farm in the State where the land is located as determined by the preceding Federal census, and not to exceed in cost the price of property of similar size and value in the same section or area. No property, real or personal, shall be purchased hereunder save upon an appraisal by competent experts, reported in writing and sworn to and filed and preserved for inspection by the Congress, or any Member thereof. No separate tract of property shall be bought at a price in excess of the value shown by the appraisal as herein provided for. If the services of appraisers of the Federal land bank are available, no farm land shall be bought by the Corporation save upon an appraisal by one or more appraisers of the Federal land bank, reported in writing and sworn to and filed and preserved for inspection by the Congress, or any Member thereof.

(5) In carrying out the provisions and purposes of this act, to enter into contracts, make loans, and to acquire, by purchase, gift, or otherwise any real or personal property or any interest therein, and to improve, develop, maintain, and sell any such property or interest therein. The provisions of section 355 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, shall not apply to lands acquired, or construction work undertaken by the Corporation under the provisions of this act, and title to all land, chattels, and other property, real or personal, acquired under the provisions of this act, shall vest in the Corporation for the purposes of this act.

(6) To enter into contracts to sell or lease its properties, and to make conveyances under the terms of such contracts: Provided, however, That no such lease shall be for a period for more than five years. The Corporation may lease any farm which has been repossessed by it, pending a resale of said farm.

(7) To pay all expenses incident to the examination and survey of the necessary areas and the acquisition of title to lands to be acquired, including fees for the services of abstractors, title attorneys, and escrows, official certifications and evidences of title, and title insurance policies, recording fees, and options when deemed necessary, to assist the beneficiaries of the program to secure and maintain appropriate insurance policies, and to pay such other expenses as may be determined necessary to the efficient carrying out of the programs herein authorized.

(8) To accept and utilize such voluntary and uncompensated services, cooperate with such Federal and State agencies, and utilize, with the consent of the State, such State and local officers and employees as may be necessary.

(9) To establish such branch and local offices as it may deem necessary, but the principal office of the Corporation shall be in the District of Columbia.

(10) To utilize the service of other corporations and agencies on such terms and conditions as the board may prescribe, and to exercise such other powers as may be necessary or appropriate to the efficient exercise of the powers specifically conferred.

(b) Preference shall be given applicants who are married or who have dependent families, farm tenants, share-croppers, farm laborers, or those who recently were farmers; but the Corporation shall not approve any application for the benefits of this act if it finds that the income of the applicant derived from farm property owned by him is sufficient to support his family and to pay the expenses of operating such property and the fixed charges on his indebtedness in connection with such property.

(c) The Corporation may provide for such amortization periods for the repayment of indebtedness owed to it, and may postpone the date when the initial installment shall be due, as it may deem advisable, but in no event shall the amortization period exceed 60 years.

(d) The rate of interest to be charged by the Corporation upon indebtedness owed to it shall be not to exceed 3½ per centum per annum, and may include a reasonable charge to be applied toward the expenses of administering the provisions of this act not to exceed 1 per centum per annum.

(e) The board and the Corporation shall give due consideration to the desirability of avoiding the expansion of production for the market of basic commodities for which the price is lower than the parity price as defined in the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended; and shall, so far as practicable, assist beneficiaries of the program to become established upon lands now in cultivation.

(f) Nothing in this act shall be construed to authorize the Corporation to make a loan to any corporation for the purpose of purchasing real property, to sell or otherwise dispose of any real property or interest therein owned or held by the Corporation to any other corporation, or to enter into any contract or agreement with any other corporation with respect to the acquisition by it of any real property or interest therein.

Sec. 5. All contracts of sale executed by the Corporation and all mortgages taken by it shall contain a provision that if a voluntary lien is credited by the debtor or any of the property covered by such contract or mortgage, or if an involuntary lien is established on any of such property, the Corporation may declare all unpaid installments of principal and interest (accrued or to accrue) to be immediately due and payable. No land purchased from the Corporation herein created up to the value of $2,500 shall ever be encumbered with any lien or obligation, either statutory or contractual. Such land shall not be subject to any debt, or debts, or obligations of any kind of the owner, except taxes, and every conveyance, lease, or contract executed by the Corporation herein created shall contain a provision that the land shall forever remain free of all liens or encumbrances of whatever kind, and such provision shall be a covenant running with the land as long as it shall be used as a farm homestead. This provision shall not affect the lien of the Corporation for the money loaned for the purchase of the land, or equipment for the land or judgment for tort or a statutory offense or for contractual obligations in which enter the elements of fraud or deceit.

Sec. 6. No purchasers of property from the Corporation shall, so long as the purchase price is not paid in full, without the written consent of the Corporation, sell, lease, mortgage, transfer, assign, or convey any such property included in a contract of sale by the Corporation or in a mortgage to the Corporation: Provided, That if he shall have first given the Corporation 60 days' notice of his intention to sell and convey said property, and unless the Corporation, within such 60-day period, does not purchase such property at a price equal to the appraised value thereof, as established by an independent appraisal, such sale shall not be prohibited hereby. If any sale, lease, transfer, assignment, mortgage, or conveyance of such property is made without complying with the foregoing requirements, or if any property is abandoned, the Corporation may declare all unpaid installments of principal and interest (accrued or to accrue) to be immediately due and payable.

Sec. 7. (a) The jurisdiction, both civil and criminal, over lands acquired under the provisions of this act shall not be changed by reason of such acquisition: Provided, however, That this section shall not be deemed to affect the jurisdiction of the United States to punish offenses against the United States; the intent of this section being that the several States in which such lands are situated shall not, by reason of such acquisition, lose their jurisdiction, nor the inhabitants thereof, their rights and privileges as citizens, or be absolved from their duties as citizens, of the respective States.

(b) Nothing in this act shall be construed to exempt any real property held by any purchasers from the Corporation, notwithstanding the legal title remains in the Corporation, from taxation by any State or political subdivision thereof to the same extent, according to its value, as other real property is taxed.

Sec. 8. The Federal Reserve banks are authorized, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, to act as depositaries, custodians, and fiscal agents for the Corporation.

Sec. 9. (a) Whoever makes any statement, knowing it to be false, or whoever willfully overvalues any property, for the purpose of influencing in any way the action of the Corporation or the board upon any application, advance, purchase, or repurchase agreement, or loan, under this act, or any extension thereof, or the acceptance, release, or substitution of security therefor, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $5,000.

(b) Whoever (1) falsely makes, forges, or counterfeits any note, debenture, bond, or other obligation or coupon, in imitation of or purporting to be a note, debenture, bond, or other obligation, or coupon issued by the Corporation; or (2) passes, utters, or publishes, or attempts to utter, pass, or publish any false, forged, or counterfeited note, debenture, or other obligation or coupon, purporting to have been issued by the Corporation, knowing the same to be false, forged, or counterfeited; or (3) falsely alters any note, debenture, bond, or other obligation or coupon, issued or purporting to have been issued by the Corporation; or (4) passes, utters, or publishes, or attempts to pass, utter, or publish, as true, any falsely altered or spurious note, debenture, bond, or other obligation or coupon, issued or purporting to have been issued by the Corporation, knowing the same to have been falsely altered or spurious, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $10,000 or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

(c) Whoever, being connected in any capacity with the Corporation, (1) embezzles, abstracts, purloins, or willfully misapplies any moneys, funds, securities, or other things of value, whether belonging to it or pledged or otherwise entrusted to it; or (2) with intent to defraud the Corporation, or any other body politic or corporate, or any individual, or to deceive any officer, auditor, or examiners of the board or the Corporation, makes any false entry in any book, report, or statement of, or to, the board or the Corporation, or without being duly authorized, draws any order or issues, puts forth, or assigns any note, debenture, bond, or other obligation or draft, mortgage, judgment, or decree thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than $10,000 or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

(d) The provisions of sections 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, and 117 of the Criminal Code of the United States (U. S. C., title 18, secs. 202–207, inclusive), insofar as applicable, are extended to apply to contracts or agreements of the Corporation, which for the purposes hereof shall be held to include advances, loans, purchase and repurchase agreements, extensions and renewals thereof, acceptances, releases, and substitutions of security therefor, and sales of property to the Corporation.

(e) No person, partnership, association, or corporation shall directly or indirectly solicit, contract for, charge, or receive, or attempt to solicit, contract for, charge, or receive any fee, charge, or other consideration from any person applying to the Corporation for a loan or other assistance, whether bond or cash, except ordinary fees authorized and required by the Corporation for services actually rendered for examination and perfection of title, appraisal, and like necessary services. Any person, partnership, association, or corporation violating the provisions of this subsection shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

Sec. 10. If any provision of this act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, is held invalid, the remainder of the act, and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected thereby.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 45 / Nays 32 }

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, La Follette, Logan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Coolidge, Davis, Dickinson, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Norbeck, Radcliffe, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So the reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 45 / Nays---------- 32 }

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, La Follette, Logan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Coolidge, Davis, Dickinson, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Norbeck, Nye, Radcliffe, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

The title was ordered to stand as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar and consider same until the hour of 5 o'clock p. m., at which time it proceed to the consideration of executive business, and that at the conclusion of executive business the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2416) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and,

On motion by Mr. Frazier,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills, and no amendment was made:

S. 1689. A bill for the relief of Frank Fisher;

S. 1861. A bill to incorporate the National Association of State Libraries;

S. 166. A bill for the relief of Jack Doyle;

S. 1313. A bill providing for waiver of prosecution by indictment in certain criminal proceedings;

S. 1225. A bill for the relief of Harry H. A. Ludwig;

S. 1980. A bill for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn;

S. 1690. A bill for the relief of R. G. Andis;

S. 2253. A bill to make better provision for the government of the military and naval forces of the United States by the suppression of attempts to incite the members thereof to disobedience; and

S. 2818. A bill for the relief of Blanche L. Gray.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1975) to authorize certain officers of the United States Navy, and officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered; and an amendment thereto having been proposed by Mr. Sheppard,

The further consideration of the bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2313) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to farm prices; and,

On motion by Mr. Shipstead,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 4760) to increase the statutory limit of expenditure for repairs or changes to naval vessels; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act limiting expenditures for repairs or changes to naval vessels."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 805. An act for the relief of Luther M. Turpin and Amanda Turpin;

H. R. 2708. An act for the relief of James M. Pace;

H. R. 1315. An act for the relief of Thomas J. Gould;

H. R. 4817. An act for the relief of Matthew E. Hanna;

H. R. 1703. An act for the relief of Cletus F. Hoban;

H. R. 2987. An act for the relief of E. W. Tarrence;

H. R. 6630. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Rio Grande City, Tex.;

H. R. 5711. An act to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor; and

H. R. 6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor."

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6453) to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", and so forth, as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927.

The reported amendment on page 2, beginning in line 22, was amended on the motion of Mr. Connally, and, as amended, agreed to, and the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service; and the part proposed to be inserted by the committee amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar (for Mr. Gibson), and the motion of Mr. Austin,

An objection to the further consideration of the said bill was interposed by Mr. Bulkley.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1935. A bill for the relief of Marion Shober Phillips;

S. 1084. A bil for the relief of W. F. Lueders;

S. 1735. A bill for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters;

S. 2551. A bill to make immediately available the unexpended balances of certain appropriations for the construction or reconstruction of roads and bridges in the flood areas of Missouri, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Kentucky, and Alabama; and

S. 810. A bill equalizing annual leave of employees of the Department of Agriculture stationed outside the continental limits of the United States.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7909) to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended; and,

On motion by Mr. Hatch, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The hour of 5 o'clock having arrived, the consideration of the calendar was, under the order of today, terminated.

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That on the next call of the Calendar for unobjected bills, the Senate begin with the order number following that last disposed of today.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Senate, in further pursuance of its order, proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business, at 5 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, pursuant to its order, took a recess, as in legislative session, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 3806. An act to establish a commercial airport for the District of Columbia; and

H. R. 7765. An act to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia; and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 3806, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate 11 communications from the President of the United States, together with accompanying letters from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, the following:

Supplemental estimates of appropriations for the legislative establishment, fiscal year 1936, amounting to $31,150;

A list of judgments rendered by the Court of Claims which have been submitted by the Attorney General through the Secretary of the Treasury and require an appropriation for their payment, amounting to $770,661.39;

A schedule of claims allowed by the General Accounting Office, covering judgments rendered by the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York against the collector of customs, amounting to $7,711.14;

A schedule of claims, amounting to $26,665.39, allowed by the General Accounting Office, under appropriations the balances of which have been carried to the surplus fund and require an appropriation for their payment;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Treasury Department, fiscal year 1936, amounting to $18,000, for payments to Federal land banks on account of the reduction in the interest rate on mortgages;

Estimates of appropriations submitted by the several executive departments and an independent office to pay claims for damages to privately owned property, which have been considered and adjusted and require appropriations for their payment, amounting to $10,549.85;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation, fiscal year 1936, amounting to $1,478,652, for payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies;

Supplemental estimates of appropriations required by the Department of State, fiscal years 1935 and 1936, amounting to $367,440, and a draft of a proposed provision pertaining to existing appropriations;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard Commission, amounting to $10,000;

A draft of a proposed provision pertaining to an existing appropriation for the Department of Justice for salaries and expenses, Federal Bureau of Investigation; and

A deficiency estimate of appropriation for the Navy Department, fiscal year ended June 30, 1923, amounting to $10, together with a draft of proposed provision affecting an existing appropriation of the Navy Department.

Ordered, That the communications, with the accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and be printed.

ELECTRIC RATES IN ARKANSAS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of Arkansas on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

USELESS PAPERS IN FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Assistant Administrator, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a list of Civil Works Administration forms in the files of the Administration which are not needed in the transaction of the current business of the Administration and have no permanent value or historical interest; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to a Joint Select Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Glass and Mr. Hale as the members of the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial. which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to make ample provision for the encouragement of the artistic, cultural, humane, patriotic, and sentimental phases of our American national life in the Federal works plan; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Illinois urging the passage of House bill 6961, to restrict importations of foreign starches; to the Committee on Finance.

A telegram from Alma Deas, of Miami, Fla., remonstrating against the confirmation of Fred Ewing as postmaster at Hialeah, Fla., until an investigation is made; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Vandenberg presented a communication addressed to him by Thomas D. Thacher, ex-Solicitor General of the United States, of New York City, relative to the constitutionality of the act pertaining to reciprocal tariff agreements with foreign nations; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Barbour presented a copy of a telegram from Robert H. Wheeler, Newark (N. J.) Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, urging the passage of antilynching legislation.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Managers of the New York Produce Exchange favoring an amendment to the Tariff Act of 1930 to extend to grain the same period of 3 years now afforded to merchandise in general to remain in bonded warehouse and to be exported without import duty; to the Committee on Finance.

Resolutions adopted by the First Sekuraner Dr. Braunstein Progressive Society and Kletzker Young Men's Benevolent Association, of New York City, favoring the enactment of House bill 8163, relating to the deportation of aliens and the naturalization of aliens who originally entered without inspection and those who have been admitted to this country temporarily; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of citizens of New Rochelle, N. Y., praying the passage of birth-control legislation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented a communication, with an accompanying paper, from N. Taylor Phillips, of New York City, submitting a plan or method of taxing the fur industry.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

A PLANNED ECONOMY FOR WALL STREET

Mr. Fletcher presented an article reprinted from the Summer 1935, issue of the American Scholar entitled "A Planned Economy for Wall Street", by Charles H. Meyer, of the New York bar, which was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 161) authorizing the inspection of United States navy yards, air stations, and other naval activities, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 955) thereon; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Bachman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2704) for the relief of Clayton M. Thomas, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 956) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2877) to reimpose and extend the trust period on lands reserved for the Pala Band of Mission Indians, California, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 957) thereon.

Mr. Shipstead, by unanimous consent, submitted his views as a member of the Committee on Interstate Commerce on the bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, heretofore reported, which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 925.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 3145) authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Samuel Woodfill a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3146) to provide for the use of the U. S. S. *Oregon* as a memorial to the men and women who served the United States in the War with Spain; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3147) for the relief of the Clark Dredging Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3148) for the relief of the heirs of Lewis G. Norton; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3149) providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3150) to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 3151) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act; and

A bill (S. 3152) to provide compensation for disability or death resulting from injury to employees of interstate carriers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, introduced a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, subsequently reported the said joint resolution without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said joint resolution; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CONSTRUCTION OF VESSELS FOR UNITED STATES BY DEBTOR NATIONS

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 162):

Whereas various European nations indebted to the United States, with the exception of the Republic of Finland, have ceased to make payment of their obligations to the United States; and

Whereas the United States holds the unconditional obligations of said nations, duly ratified by the parliaments thereof, agreeing to make payment of principal and interest of the amounts due the United States; and

Whereas it has been repeatedly stated that while said nations are desirous of discharging their obligations according to the terms thereof, exchange difficulties and lack of sufficient gold prevent payment in full in money, and that payment in goods manufactured or produced in said debtor nations is the only practicable method of payments of a large part of said obligations; and

Whereas the United States has an inadequate merchant marine, particularly as to modern passenger vessels; and

Whereas several of said debtor nations have recently built passenger vessels of the largest size and highest speed, of a type which the United States does not possess, but which it is desirable and necessary for the United States to possess; and

Whereas it is both possible and practicable for said debtor nations to build for the United States, in part payment of their debts, passenger and freight vessels of modern type, thereby employing labor and utilizing material in the countries of said debtor nations, and avoiding exchange difficulties arising from the transfer of money between debtor and creditor: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, respectfully requested to bring the facts above set forth to the attention of maritime European nations indebted to the United States, and invite them to build and furnish to the United States such number and types of passenger and freight vessels as may be mutually agreed upon, the value of said vessels to be applied in part payment of the obligations due to the United States from said nations.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed on June 24, 1935, the following acts:

S. 43. An act for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey;
S. 144. An act for the relief of Auston L. Tierney;
S. 391. An act for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley;
S. 546. An act for the relief of Miles Thomas Barrett;
S. 547. An act for the relief of Alfred W. Kliefoth;
S. 799. An act for the relief of Yvonne Hale;
S. 985. An act to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin;
S. 1121. An act for the relief of Isidor Greenspan;
S. 1180. An act to amend section 4865 of the Revised Statutes as amended;
S. 1325. An act for the relief of Dino Carbonell;
S. 1363. An act for the relief of John A. Jumer;
S. 1392. An act conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, southern division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad;
S. 1585. An act for the relief of Stefano Talanco and Edith Talanco;
S. 1611. An act to authorize an exchange of lands between the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. and the United States at Quantico, Va.;
S. 1809. An act for the relief of Germaine M. Finley;
S. 1863. An act for the relief of Trifune Korac;
S. 2218. An act for the relief of Elsie Segar;
S. 2278. An act authorizing the construction of buildings for the United States representative in the Philippine Islands;
S. 2371. An act for the relief of Margaret G. Baldwin; and
S. 2508. An act to authorize the naturalization of certain resident alien World War veterans.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, proceeded to consider Calendar No. 839, viz, the bill (S. 2664) to aid in defraying the expenses of the third triennial meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World, to be held in this country in June 1936; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1111) for the relief of Alfred L. Hudson; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Alfred L. Hudson and Walter K. Jeffers."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 3180. An act for the relief of Ruth Nolan and Anna Panozza;

H. R. 4764. An act for the relief of the officers and men of the United States Naval and Marine Corps Reserves who performed flights in naval aircraft in connection with the search for victims and wreckage of the United States dirigible *Akron;*

H. R. 1119. An act for the relief of Joseph W. Harley;
H. R. 1438. An act for the relief of Carrie McIntyre;
H. R. 1292. An act for the relief of Grace McClure;
H. R. 4651. An act for the relief of the Noble County (Ohio) Agricultural Society;
H. R. 4105. An act for the relief of Julian C. Dorr;
H. R. 4811. An act for the relief of George W. Miller;
H. R. 4610. An act for the relief of John J. Moran;
H. R. 4034. An act for the relief of Charles Szymanski;
H. R. 3556. An act for the relief of Sophie Carter;
H. R. 4808. An act for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.;
H. R. 115. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;
H. R. 7526. An act to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters";
H. R. 7235. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes";
H. R. 5774. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Rogue River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;
H. R. 5775. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siuslaw River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;
H. R. 5776. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Yaquina River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;
H. R. 5777. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siletz River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 7083. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Ind.;

H. R. 7313. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Gafford Creek, Ark.;

H. R. 7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River;

H. R. 7600. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska;

H. R. 3574. An act for the relief of Nellie T. Francis;

H. R. 7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller;

H. R. 4368. An act for the relief of E. C. West;

H. R. 4505. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Maine and the Dominion of Canada to maintain a bridge already constructed across the St. John River between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada;

H. R. 6988. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 21 meets Texas Higway No. 45;

H. R. 7044. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 6 in Sabine Parish, La., meets Texas Highway No. 21 in Sabine County, Tex.;

H. R. 7870. An act to provide a preliminary examination of the Purgatoire (Picketwire) and Apishapa Rivers, in the State of Colorado, with a view to the control of their floods and the conservation of their waters; and

H. R. 4123. An act providing for the payment of $15 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of the Red Lake Band of Minnesota from the timber funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5599) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Trammell,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) appointed Mr. Trammell, Mr. Walsh, and Mr. Hale.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 617) to correct the military record of Lake B. Morrison; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "An act for the relief of Lake B. Morrison."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service.

The question being on agreeing to the committee amendment, as amended, it was further amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar, and, as amended, agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 2140. A bill for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey;

S. 2464. A bill for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.;

S. 2351. A bill to amend section 66 of the Judicial Code to provide for the enforcement of the lien of State and local taxes against property in the possession of receivers and other officers of the United States courts without leave of such courts;

S. 1139. A bill for the relief of Henry C. Zeller and Edward G. Zeller with respect to the maintenance of suit against the United States for the recovery of any income tax paid to the United States for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1916, and ending September 30, 1917, in excess of the amount of tax lawfully due for such period;

S. 2034. A bill to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes;

S. 2830. A bill to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909;

S. 2831. A bill to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. 2175. A bill to grant to the State of California a retrocession of jurisdiction over certain rights-of-way granted to the State of California over certain roads about to be constructed in the Presidio of San Francisco Military Reservation and Fort Baker Military Reservation;

S. 2496. A bill to amend the Railway Labor Act;

S. 3058. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes;

S. 1832. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, New Mexico, reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years;

S. 2434. A bill for the relief of George W. Hallowell, Junior;

S. 2399. A bill to permit citizens of the Philippine Islands to receive instruction at the United States Military Academy; and

S. 2160. A bill for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2695) to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo.; and the reported amendment on page 1, line 5, inserting the words *and regulations* having been agreed to,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. McKellar.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, subsequently resumed the consideration of the foregoing bill, and the residue of the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 501) to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Oregon at or near Taft, Oreg.; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Oregon at or near Taft, Oreg."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 144) to provide for the payment of compensation and expenses of the Railroad Retirement Board as established and operated pursuant to section 9 of the Railroad Retirement Act of June 27, 1934, and to provide for the winding up of its affairs and the disposition of its property and records, and to make an appropriation for such purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 201) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the joint resolution read the third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble thereto be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The bill (S. 2223) to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932, having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 6717) of an identical title; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2223 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2799) to provide for licensing the taking of water from the Government-owned main at Cascade Locks, Oreg., and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Steiwer,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and no amendment was made:

S. 1794. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925;

S. 1795. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925;

S. 2887. A bill authorizing the Perry County Bridge Commission of Perry County, Ind., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cannelton, Ind.;

S. 2939. A bill to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Ronald A. Cox;

S. 3018. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to acquire by donation land at Valparaiso, in Okaloosa County, Fla., for aviation field, military, or other public purposes;

S. 2930. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Sammamish River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 2933. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Nisqually River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 2938. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Cedar River, Wash., with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 2950. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the county of Saline, Mo., to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Miami, Mo.;

S. 2934. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of the Duwamish River, Wash., with a view to control of its floods;

S. 427. A bill authorizing the reimbursement of Edward B. Wheeler and the State Investment Co. for the loss of certain lands in the Mora Grant, New Mexico;

S. 1103. A bill for the relief of William K. Beldin;

S. 2904. A bill to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases;

S. 2879. A bill for the relief of Catherine Grace;

S. 2806. A bill for the relief of William A. Devine;

S. 3120. A bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Treasury to transfer certain moneys to "Funds of Federal prisoners";

S. 1382. A bill to provide for the taking of depositions in criminal proceedings, and for other purposes;

S. 2369. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the repatriation of certain insane American citizens", approved March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1495);

S. 1892. A bill to amend the act authorizing the Attorney General to compromise suits on certain contracts of insurance;

S. 2744. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

S. 3059. A bill to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island; and

S. J. Res. 69. Joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read the third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2751) for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Lesage; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Neely,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Le Sage."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2488) for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, killed in line of duty; and the reported amendments having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended by inserting after the word "Justice" the words *and operative in the Secret Service Division, Department of the Treasury.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 17) providing for the disposition of certain obsolete Government publications stored in the folding rooms of Congress; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes; and certain amendments having been proposed by Mr. Vandenberg,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. Wagner.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2990) to preserve from extinction the American eagle, emblem of the sovereignty of the United States of America; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Pope,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The bill (S. 2513) to provide for a change in the judicial districts of North Carolina with respect to Durham County having been reached,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the bill (H. R. 7374) to amend section 98 of the Judicial Code to provide for the inclusion of Durham County, N. C., in the middle district of North Carolina, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2513 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 6464. An act to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States;

H. R. 2125. An act for the relief of George William Henning;

H. R. 3230. An act for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.;

H. R. 5809. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia";

H. R. 2566. An act for the relief of Percy C. Wright;

H. R. 5393. An act for the relief of Moses Israel; and

H. R. 298. An act for the relief of Jack Page.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills severally read the third time.

The said bills, as amended, were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2510) authorizing the western bands of the Shoshone Tribe of Indians as defined herein to sue in the Court of Claims; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill authorizing the western bands of the Shoshone Tribe of Indians to sue in the Court of Claims."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 72) authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 2831) to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, was reconsidered; and

The bill (H. R. 7765) of an identical title, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 2831 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6995) granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. McGill, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill be taken up at the conclusion of the call of the Calendar and disposed of.

The call of the Calendar having been subsequently concluded,

The Senate, pursuant to its order of today, resumed the consideration of the bill H. R. 6995; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily postponed.

PENSIONS FOR BLIND PERSONS IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 5711) to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor, was reconsidered.

DEVELOPMENT OF MERCHANT MARINE

On motion by Mr. Copeland that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed nine enrolled bills, viz, S. 2276, H. R. 805, H. R. 1315, H. R. 1703, H. R. 2708, H. R. 2987, H. R. 4817, H. R. 6504, and H. R. 6630, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 131, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 2276. An act to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union;

H. R. 805. An act for the relief of Luther M. Turpin and Amanda Turpin;

H. R. 1315. An act for the relief of Thomas J. Gould;

H. R. 1703. An act for the relief of Cletus F. Hoban;

H. R. 2708. An act for the relief of James M. Pace;

H. R. 2987. An act for the relief of E. W. Tarrance;

H. R. 4817. An act for the relief of Matthew E. Hanna;

H. R. 6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor";

H. R. 6630. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Rio Grande City, Tex.; and

S. J. Res. 131. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ALASKAN COLONIZATION ENTERPRISE

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 158, agreed to June 21, 1935, a report respecting the Alaskan colonization project being carried out under the direction of the Administration, together with a copy of a radiogram from the Administrator of the Matanuska Colonization Project; which, with the accompanying data, was ordered to lie on the table.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, supplemental estimates of appropriations required by the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $71,000; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR WAR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation required by the War Department, Bureau of Insular Affairs, for the construction of buildings for the United States Representative in the Philippine Islands, amounting to $750,000; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

RELIEF IN STRICKEN AGRICULTURAL AREAS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a draft of proposed legislation affecting the existing appropriation of the Department of Agriculture, viz, "Loans and Relief in Stricken Agricultural Areas, 1934 and 1935"; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIMS OF RALPH SOLLITT & SONS CONSTRUCTION CO., F. L. FORBES, AND JOHN L. ABBOT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report and recommendation concerning the claims of Ralph Sollitt & Sons Construction Co., F. L. Forbes, and John L. Abbot against the United States; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

ELECTRIC RATES IN DELAWARE AND WYOMING

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of Delaware and Wyoming on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of State for the fiscal year 1935, amounting to $2,750, for the relief of Germaine M. Finley; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITION AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of Ignatius K. Werwinski, of Chicago, Ill., praying the enactment of legislation appropriating $5,000 for the erection of a memorial tablet to commemorate the heroic services rendered by General Pulaski at Savannah, Ga.; to the Committee on the Library.

A memorial of Florence G. Martin, of Hialeah, Fla., remonstrating against the confirmation of Fred Ewing as postmaster at Hialeah; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr Byrd, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5532) to provide for the acquisition of a portrait of Thomas Walker Gilmer, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 958) thereon.

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 2118. An act for the relief of John P. Seabrook (Rept. No. 959); and

H. R. 2555. An act to extend to Sgt. Maj. Edmund S. Sayer, United States Marine Corps (retired), the benefits of the act of May 7, 1932, providing highest World War rank to retired enlisted men (Rept. No. 960).

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2611) for the relief of John E. Fondahl, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 961) thereon.

Mr. Costigan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2470) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 962) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3061) to authorize the adjustment of the boundaries of the Chelan National Forest in the State of Washington, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 963) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3040) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of the Office of Naval Records and Library, Navy Department, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 964) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6656) to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., by means of an overhead bridge, to cross New York Avenue NE., to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial side tracks, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 965) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7447) to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 966) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1314) to make the husband or wife of accused a competent witness in all criminal prosecutions, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 967) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3153) for the relief of veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Philippine Insurrection and Chinese Boxer Rebellion; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 3154) making it unlawful for any person engaged in commerce to discriminate in price or terms of sale between purchasers of commodities of like grade and quality, to prohibit the payment of brokerage or commission under certain conditions, to suppress pseudo-advertising allowances, to provide a presumptive measure of damages in certain cases, and to protect the independent merchant, the public whom he serves, and the manufacturer from whom he buys, from exploitation by unfair competitors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Metcalf:

A bill (S. 3155) for the relief of Mary, Ethel, and Richard Farrell (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 3156) for the relief of Richard A. Templin; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3157) to establish the Chief Joseph Battle Ground National Monument, in the State of Montana; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 3158) for the relief of John P. Volkens; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3159) to amend section 584 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia relative to retirement allowance for total disability, age retirement, and pensions to widows and orphans of retired members of the police and fire departments of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 3160) to amend the law relating to residence requirements of applicants for examinations before the Civil Service Commission; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3161) to amend section 13 (c) of the District of Columbia Traffic Acts; and

A bill (S. 3162) to amend subchapter 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, relating to offenses against property; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A bill (S. 3163) to amend the act entitled "An act relative to restrictions applicable to Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma", approved January 27, 1933; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 3164) authorizing the county of Atchison, State of Missouri, and the county of Nemaha, State of Nebraska, singly or jointly, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr.; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 3165) fixing annual compensation for postmasters of the fourth class; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Trammell:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 153) providing for participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay, and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Neely, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Rules be discharged from the further consideration of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission", and that it be rereferred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PROTECTION OF AMERICAN TEXTILES IN PHILIPPINE MARKET

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 163), which was referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

Whereas the Philippine Islands had been a principal market for American textile products, furnishing the sole livelihood for many thousands of American workmen; and

Whereas since 1932, when American textiles represented 75 percent of the importations into the Philippine Islands of such products, shipments of American textiles in 1935 will represent less than 25 percent of the total amount sold in the Philippine market; and

Whereas it is understood that the Philippine Government and the Philippine people are sympathetic to the belief that because of the unusual governmental relations and other bonds which have existed between the Governments of the islands and of the United States, the products of American workmen are entitled to protection in the islands against those of foreign industries whose wage and living standards are not comparable with American standards; and

Whereas the Philippine Government has unofficially indicated its willingness to sanction such protection in one form or another upon indication that such protection for the products of its citizens is desired by the Government of the United States; and

Whereas the Philippine Legislature is now in session: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of the United States be respectfully requested to advise the Governor General of the Philippine Islands to convey to the president of the Philippine Senate and the speaker of the Philippine House of Representatives a request that the legislature, before adjourning its present session, take such action as will protect effectively American textiles in the Philippine market.

DEVELOPMENT OF MERCHANT MARINE

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Copeland's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Copeland raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of Mr. Copeland's motion was temporarily laid aside; and

CONTINUATION OF CERTAIN TAXES

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the joint resolution read a third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Mr. Robinson moved that the vote on the passage of the foregoing resolution be reconsidered; when,

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The motion of Mr. Robinson to reconsider was laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed 34 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 115, H. R. 1119, H. R. 1292, H. R. 1438, H. R. 3180, H. R. 3556, H. R. 3574, H. R. 4034, H. R. 4105, H. R. 4123, H. R. 4368, H. R. 4505, H. R. 4610, H. R. 4651, H. R. 4764, H. R. 4808, H. R. 4811, H. R. 5774, H. R. 5775, H. R. 5776, H. R. 5777, H. R. 6717, H. R. 6988, H. R. 7044, H. R. 7083, H. R. 7235, H. R. 7254, H. R. 7313, H. R. 7314, H. R. 7374, H. R. 7526, H. R. 7600, H. R. 7765, and H. R. 7870, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

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ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 115. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

H. R. 1119. An act for the relief of Joseph W. Harley;

H. R. 1292. An act for the relief of Grace McClure;

H. R. 1438. An act for the relief of Carrie McIntyre;

H. R. 3180. An act for the relief of Ruth Nolan and Anna Panozza;

H. R. 3556. An act for the relief of Sophie Carter;

H. R. 3574. An act for the relief of Nellie T. Francis;

H. R. 4034. An act for the relief of Charles Szymanski;

H. R. 4105. An act for the relief of Julian C. Dorr;

H. R. 4123. An act providing for the payment of $15 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of the Red Lake Band of Minnesota from the timber funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States;

H. R. 4368. An act for the relief of E. C. West;

H. R. 4505. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Maine and the Dominion of Canada to maintain a bridge already constructed across the St. John River between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada;

H. R. 4610. An act for the relief of John J. Moran;

H. R. 4651. An act for the relief of the Noble County (Ohio) Agricultural Society;

H. R. 4764. An act for the relief of the officers and men of the United States Naval and Marine Corps Reserves who performed flights in naval aircraft in connection with the search for victims and wreckage of the United States dirigible *Akron*;

H. R. 4808. An act for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.;

H. R. 4811. An act for the relief of George W. Miller;

H. R. 5774. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Rogue River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5775. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siuslaw River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5776. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Yaquina River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5777. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siletz River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 6717. An act to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932;

H. R. 6988. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 21 meets Texas Highway No. 45;

H. R. 7044. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 6 in Sabine Parish, La., meets Texas Highway No. 21 in Sabine County, Tex.;

H. R. 7083. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Ind.;

H. R. 7235. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes";

H. R. 7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller;

H. R. 7313. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Gafford Creek, Ark.;

H. R. 7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River;

H. R. 7374. An act to amend section 98 of the Judicial Code to provide for the inclusion of Durham County, N. C., in the middle district of North Carolina, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7526. An act to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters";

H. R. 7600. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska;

H. R. 7765. An act to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 7870. An act to provide a preliminary examination of the Purgatoire (Picketwire) and Apishapa Rivers, in the State of Colorado, with a view to the control of their floods and the conservation of their waters.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

TRANSFER OF LANDS IN RAPIDES PARISH, LA.

On motion by Mr. Overton, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3038) to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La.; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

Mr. Walsh submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its amendments numbered 9, 23, 24, and 25.

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the House numbered 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 2, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment, insert the following:

Section 1. The denial by employers of the right of employees to organize and the refusal by employers to accept the procedure of collective bargaining lead to strikes and other forms of industrial strife or unrest, which have the intent or the necessary effect of burdening or obstructing commerce by (a) impairing the efficiency, safety, or operation of the instrumentalities of commerce; (b) occuring in the current of commerce; (c) materially affecting, restraining, or controlling the flow of raw materials or manufactured or processed goods from or into the channels of commerce, or the prices of such materials or goods in commerce; or (d) causing diminution of employment and wages in such volume as substantially to impair or disrupt the market for goods flowing from or into the channels of commerce.

The inequality of bargaining power between employees who do not possess full freedom of association or actual liberty of contract, and employers who are organized in the corporate or other forms of ownership association substantially burdens and affects the flow of commerce, and tends to aggravate recurrent business depressions, by depressing wage rates and the purchasing power of wage earners in industry and by preventing the stabilization of competitive wage rates and working conditions within and between industries.

Experience has proved that protection by law of the right of employees to organize and bargain collectively safeguards commerce from injury, impairment, or interruption, and promotes the flow of commerce by removing certain recognized sources of industrial strife and unrest, by encouraging practices fundamental to the friendly adjustment of industrial disputes arising out of differences as to wages, hours, or other working conditions, and by restoring equality of bargaining power between employers and employees.

It is hereby declared to be the policy of the United States to eliminate the causes of certain substantial obstructions to the free flow of commerce and to mitigate and eliminate these obstructions when they have occurred by encouraging the practice and procedure of collective bargaining and by protecting the exercise by workers of full freedom of association, self-organization, and designation of representatives of their own choosing, for the purpose of negotiating the terms and conditions of their employment or other mutual aid or protection.

And the House agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment insert the following:

(b) *The Board shall decide in each case whether, in order to insure to employees the full benefit of their right to self-organization and to collective bargaining, and otherwise to effectuate the policies of this Act, the unit appropriate for the purposes of collective bargaining shall be the employer unit, craft unit, plant unit or subdivision thereof.*

And the House agree to the same.

DAVID I. WALSH,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
JAMES E. MURRAY,
WILLIAM E. BORAH,
LOUIS MURPHY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

WILLIAM P. CONNERY, JR.,
ROBERT RAMSPECK,
GLENN GRISWOLD,
RICHARD J. WELCH,
W. P. LAMBERTSON,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

DEVELOPMENT OF MERCHANT MARINE

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Copeland's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 50 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 2917) authorizing an appropriation to the American Legion for its use in effecting a settlement of the remainder due on, and the reorganization of, Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Mead, Mr. Brunner, Mr. Dobbins, Mr. Doutrich, and Mr. Goodwin managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7160) to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Doughton, Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8400) providing for the loan by the War Department of certain material and equipment to the Veterans of Foreign Wars 1935 Encampment Corporation, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On June 7, 1935:

H. R. 5213. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children; and

H. R. 5216. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children.

On June 11, 1935:

H. R. 2015. An act for a Coast Guard station at the eastern entrance to Cape Cod Canal, Mass.;

H. R. 5210. An act to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children; and

H. R. 6315. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Medicine Lake, Mont., in construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian chil-

dren of the village of Medicine Lake, Sheridan County, Mont.

On June 13, 1935:

H. R. 65. An act to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Virginia at or near the north end of Hog Island, Northampton County;

H. R. 1492. An act for the relief of Harbor Springs, Mich.; and

H. R. 5564. An act for the relief of Capt. Russell Willson, United States Navy.

On June 14, 1935:

H. R. 2204. An act for the relief of Robert M. Kenton;

H. R. 2553. An act for the relief of Eva S. Brown;

H. R. 2683. An act for the relief of Henry Harrison Griffith;

H. R. 3973. An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6371. An act to authorize an increase in the annual appropriation for books for the adult blind;

H. R. 6987. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 7 meets Texas Highway No. 87;

H. R. 7081. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr.; and

H. J. Res. 320. Joint resolution to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended.

On June 15, 1935:

H. R. 67. An act to repeal certain laws providing that certain aliens who have filed declarations of intention to become citizens of the United States shall be considered citizens for the purposes of service and protection on American vessels;

H. R. 240. An act for the relief of Capt. Alexander C. Doyle;

H. R. 4448. An act to provide funds for acquisition of a site, erection of buildings, and the furnishing thereof for the use of the diplomatic and consular establishments of the United States at Helsingfors, Finland;

H. R. 5456. An act relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals;

H. R. 7781. An act to define the election procedure under the act of June 18, 1934, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7982. An act to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes.

On June 17, 1935:

H. R. 2466. An act for the relief of John E. Click;

H. R. 4798. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 6437. An act to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain land in the county of Los Angeles, State of California";

H. R. 6836. An act to provide for the printing and distribution of Government publications to the National Archives;

H. J. Res. 27. Joint resolution providing for extension of cooperative work of the Geological Survey to Puerto Rico;

H. J. Res. 204. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a memorial to the late Jean Jules Jusserand;

H. J. Res. 285. Joint resolution to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the national Boy Scout jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935; and

H. J. Res. 288. Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblages of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes.

On June 19, 1935:

H. R. 2422. An act for the relief of James O. Greene and Mrs. Hollis S. Hogan;

H. R. 2756. An act authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5720. An act to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended; and

H. J. Res. 26. Joint resolution requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Ericson Day.

On June 24, 1935:

H. R. 2739. An act to extend further time for naturalization to alien veterans of the World War under the act approved May 25, 1932 (47 Stat. 165), to extend the same privileges to certain veterans of countries allied with the United States during the World War, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 7672. An act making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On June 26, 1935:

H. R. 59. An act to create a national memorial military park at and in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 147. Joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.

EXTENSION OF CERTAIN TAXES

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said joint resolution, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BALANCE DUE ON PERSHING HALL, PARIS, FRANCE

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2917) authorizing an appropriation to the American Legion for its use in effecting a settlement of the remainder due on, and the reorganization of, Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, together with the amendment to the title, providing that the same read as follows: "An act authorizing an appropriation to effect a settlement of the remainder due on Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, and for other purposes."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXTENSION OF AIR MAIL SERVICE

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. McKellar:

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the President pro tempore; and

The President pro tempore appointed Mr. McKellar, Mr. Hayden, and Mr. Schall.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SUITS FOR PAYMENTS UNDER GOLD CLAUSE OF BONDS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency:

To the Congress of the United States:

Before the termination of this session of the Congress I believe that it is important that definite action be taken to eliminate any uncertainty with respect to the right of holders of gold-clause bonds of the Government to sue for payment either in gold or else in legal tender, with an additional sum of 69 cents on every dollar.

To this end I urge the withdrawal by the United States of its consent to be sued upon its currency or securities. The question of the effect of the so-called "gold clause", in the light of the monetary legislation of the Seventy-third Congress, came before the Supreme Court at the term just closed. A suit for additional payment under existing circumstances, the Court said, would "constitute not a recoupment of loss in any proper sense but an unjustified enrichment." Bonds of the United States containing gold clauses—all of them issued, sold, and payable wholly within the United States—have been continuously quoted on the exchanges at no higher prices than bonds not containing such clauses. But the continuing possibility of actions by litigious persons leaves open the continuing possibility of speculation. There is no public interest, under these conditions, in permitting a handful of private litigants to exploit the general public in the hope of a wholly speculative private profit.

This conclusion will hold so long as the Congress adheres to its declared policy, now more than a third of a century old, to maintain the equal value of every dollar in the market.

I recommend, therefore, the enactment of legislation which will make clear that it is our fixed policy to continue to treat the bondholders of all our securities equally and uniformly, to afford any holder of any gold-clause security who thinks he could by any possibility sustain any loss in the future an opportunity to put himself immediately in a position to avoid such future loss, and to remove all possibility of any suits designed to hamper the Government in administering the public debt and in financing its ordinary and emergency expenditures.

More specifically, I recommend the immediate enactment of legislation (1) that will authorize and direct the Secretary of the Treasury, at the request of the holders of gold-clause securities of the United States, to make payment therefor in cash, dollar for dollar, with accrued interest, or, at the holder's election, to exchange such securities for non-gold-clause securities with the same interest rate and maturity; (2) that will terminate any consent which the United States may have voluntarily given to be sued on its securities, coins, or currencies; and (3) that will reaffirm the fixed policy of the United States to make payment to all holders of its securities, coins, and currencies on an equal and uniform dollar-for-dollar basis and will make appropriations available for payments on this basis and on this basis only.

There is no constitutional or inherent right to sue the Government; on the contrary, the immunity of the sovereign from suit is a principle of universal acceptance, and permission to bring such suits is an act of grace which with us may be granted or withheld by the Congress. The courts, it is hardly necessary for me to add, will always be open to those who seek justice; but they were not established for use by a few to enrich themselves at the expense of the many, nor to enable a few to harass and embarrass sovereign action by the Government when taken for the benefit of all.

Not only justice to the holders of our currency and of our securities, who support and rely on our policy of equal and uniform treatment to all, but also the interests of our entire people require that the Government of the United States make it clear that it cannot and will not consent to the use of its courts in aid of efforts to sabotage the operations of Government or in aid of private speculation.

This proposal reasserts and makes definite the control of the Congress over the securities and money issued by the United States of America.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 27, 1935.*

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, supplemental estimates of appropriations for the Federal Trade Commission for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $300,000; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, supplemental estimates of appropriations for the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $1,233,164.81; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Frank White, of Atlanta, Ga., praying the passage of old-age pension legislation; and

A telegram from the executive board, Newark (N. J.) Branch National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, urging the passage of antilynching legislation; which were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. McAdoo presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California requesting that an invitation be extended to the peoples of the world to participate in the Pacific Exposition to be held in the county of Los Angeles, Calif., during 1937 and 1938; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Wheeler presented a resolution adopted by the Hartford (Conn.) Central Labor Union favoring the passage of legislation providing for regulation of public-utility companies.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Bone presented a petition of the West Seattle (Wash.) Townsend Old Age Revolving Pensions Club, of Seattle, Wash., praying the passage of the so-called "Townsend plan" of old-age pensions.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

TAXATION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King presented a communication addressed to him as Chairman of the Committee on the District of Columbia by the President of the United States, transmitting a report prepared by the Treasury Department on the taxes paid by residents of the District of Columbia as compared with taxes paid by residents in other roughly comparable cities; which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to be printed with accompanying illustrations.

PATENT RIGHTS OF EDWARD MELVE

The Vice President laid before the Senate an affidavit of Edward Melve, of Wilmington, Del., granting to Congress the use of his patent rights in wireless telephone inventions; which was referred to the Committee on Patents.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3012) to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Hopkins County, Ky., to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Brown, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 696) for the relief of Sylvan M. Levy, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 971) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2504. A bill to incorporate the Marine Corps League (Rept. No. 968); and

S. 2682. A bill for the relief of Chief Carpenter William F. Twitchell, United States Navy (Rept. No. 969).

Mr. Byrd, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3760) for the relief of Capt. Arthur L. Bristol, United States Navy, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 970) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 160) providing for an investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1786) referring the claims of the Turtle Mountain Band or Bands of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota to the Court of Claims for adjudication and settlement, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 972) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2463) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment in any claim which the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians may have against the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 973) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2825) to provide for the establishment of a National Planning Board and the organization and functions thereof, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 974) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7590) to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 975) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 3166) to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the outstanding public services of William Henry Harrison; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3167) to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to the Territory of Alaska; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A bill (S. 3168) to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 3169) for the relief of Charles E. La Vatta; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3170) to correct the naval record of Lewis Frederick Mulligan; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 3171) granting a pension to Fletcher M. Boso; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3172) to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Brown:

A bill (S. 3173) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay officers and men formerly enlisted as members of Battery D, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Coast Artillery (AA), New Hampshire National Guard, for armory training during the period from November 1, 1932, to July 1, 1933; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 154) consenting that certain States may sue the United States, and providing for trial on the merits of any suit brought hereunder by a State to recover direct taxes alleged to have been illegally collected by the United States during the fiscal years ending June 30, 1866, 1867, and 1868, and vesting the right in each State to sue in its own name; to the Committee on Claims.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Mary Ellen Tiefenthaler; to the Committee on Claims.

Samuel Woodfill; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Fletcher M. Boso; to the Committee on Pensions.

Lewis G. Norton; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 8555) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

MEMBERS OF NAVAL ACADEMY GRADUATING CLASS

On motion by Mr. Trammell, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, as in executive session, That the Secretary notify the President of the United States of the confirmation by the Senate on yesterday of the nominations of Warren W. Armstrong and certain other persons (being members of the recent graduating class of the Naval Academy) to be ensigns in the Navy.

ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 26, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill and joint resolution:

S. 2276. An act to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union; and

S. J. Res. 131. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes.

RELIEF OF INDIANS OF CALIFORNIA

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by Mr. King to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the attorney general of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 602); and

The motion was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the said bill be recommitted to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK

Mr. Bankhead (for Mr. Smith) submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7160) to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 1: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 1, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out by the Senate amendment insert *Alaska and;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the House bill insert *Puerto Rico and the* after the word "to" in line 16 on page 2; insert *Puerto Rico and* after the word "to" in lines 7 and 23 on page 4, before the word "all" in line 11 on page 4, and after the word "to" in line 5 on page 5; and insert *Puerto Rico or* after the word "of" in line 10 on page 4, after the word "which" in line 14 on page 4, after the word "If" in line 18 on page 4, and after the word "to" in lines 2 and 3 on page 5; and the Senate agree to the same.

E. D. SMITH,
B. K. WHEELER,
G. W. NORRIS,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARVIN JONES,
H. P. FULMER,
CLIFFORD R. HOPE,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXTENSION OF CERTAIN TAXES

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 1 and 2.

PAT HARRISON,
WILLIAM H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAM B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ISAAC BACHARACH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONTROL OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 5809) to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia"; and

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the House of Representatives to return the said bill to the Senate.

DEVELOPMENT OF MERCHANT MARINE

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Copeland's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Copeland withdrew his motion; and,

PUBLIC WORKS ON RIVERS AND HARBORS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes.

Mr. Copeland, from the Committee on Commerce, reported certain additional amendments to the bill.

The reported amendment, beginning on page 22, line 24, was amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, and, as amended, agreed to; the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to en bloc; and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland, from the Committee on Commerce, the motion of Mr. White, the motion of Mr. Wheeler, the motion of Mr. Byrnes, the motion of Mr. Byrd, and the motion of Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

Mr. King subsequently entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 8400 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; and that the bill H. R. 8555 be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 2074. An act to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes; and

S. 2738. An act to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes; and it insists upon its amendment to the title of the said bill.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 35, and 39 to the said bill and agreed to the same; it insists upon its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 to the said bill; it requests a further conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Ludlow, Mr. Snyder, Mr. Zioncheck, Mr. Dockweiler, Mr. Moran, Mr. Buchanan, and Mr. Powers managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 324) to provide revenue, and for other purposes.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 1958) to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives insisting upon its amendment to the title to the said bill.

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Resolved, That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the title of the said bill and agree to the same.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT

Mr. Tydings submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 43, 44, 45, 51, and 54.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 11, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 46, 47, 49, 50, 52, 53, and 55, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 48: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 48, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In line 8 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out the word "new" and insert in lieu thereof the word *permanent*; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, and 39.

MILLARD E. TYDINGS,
JAMES F. BYRNES,
CARL HAYDEN,
FREDERICK HALE,
JOHN G. TOWNSEND, Jr.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

LOUIS LUDLOW,
J. BUELL SNYDER,
M. A. ZIONCHECK,
JOHN F. DOCKWEILER,
EDWARD C. MORAN, Jr.,
J. P. BUCHANAN,
D. LANE POWERS,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its action on the amendments of the Senate to the said bill which were not agreed upon by the conferees.

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate further insist upon its amendments numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 to the said bill, still in disagreement, and agree to the further conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conference on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Tydings, Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AUTHORIZATION TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS DURING RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That during the recess or adjournment of the Senate following today's proceedings, the Vice President be authorized to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: I am directed to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the bill (H. R. 5809) to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia.

CONTROL OF ALCOHOL BEVERAGES IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 5809) to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia, and the vote ordering the engrossment of the amendment and the third reading of said bill, were respectively reconsidered; and the bill having been further amended on the motion of Mr. King,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE

Mr. McKellar (for Mr. Glass), by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 19), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, in the enrollment of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, to amend the title thereof by striking out the words "for 1 year" and inserting in lieu thereof *to August 31, 1935.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5809) to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5917) to appoint an additional circuit judge for the ninth judicial circuit; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Montague, Mr. Lloyd, and Mr. Guyer managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6464) to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States.

The Speaker of the House having signed four enrolled bills, viz, S. 2738, S. 2917, H. R. 5809, and H. R. 7160, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 324, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 2738. An act to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree;

S. 2917. An act authorizing an appropriation to effect a settlement of the remainder due on Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5809. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia";

H. R. 7160. An act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; and

H. J. Res. 324. Joint resolution to provide revenue, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. McKellar, at 5 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JULY 1, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2642) to incorporate The American National Theater and Academy.

The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 19) to amend the title of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act as amended.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5599) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Vinson of Georgia, Mr. Drewry, and Mr. Darrow managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 27), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That there be printed with illustrations, and bound, in such form and style as may be directed by the Joint Committee on Printing, the proceedings at the unveiling in Statuary Hall, upon the acceptance of the statue of Hannibal Hamlin, presented by the State of Maine, 1,000 copies, of which 200 shall be for the use of the Senate and 500 for the use of the House of Representatives, and the remaining 300 copies shall be for the use and distribution of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of Maine.

SEC. 2. The Joint Committee on Printing is hereby authorized to have the copy prepared for the Public Printer, who shall provide suitable illustrations to be bound with these proceedings.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Thursday, June 27, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CLAIMS OF FIDELITY TRUST CO. AND OTHERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following communication from the Secretary of the Senate, which, to-

gether with the accompanying message from the President of the United States, was read, and, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Claims and ordered to be printed:

UNITED STATES SENATE,
Washington, July 1, 1935.

Hon. JOHN N. GARNER,
President of the Senate.

MY DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: On Tuesday, June 18, 1935, the Committee on Enrolled Bills of the Senate presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 694) for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others, which had passed both Houses of Congress and been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate.

The Senate, at 5:35 p. m. Thursday, June 27, 1935, took a recess until 12 noon on Monday, July 1, 1935.

During the interim the President of the United States sent by messenger a message addressed to the Senate, dated June 27, 1935, giving his reasons for not approving this bill. The Senate not being in session on the last day which the President had for the return of this bill under the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, in order to protect the interests of the Senate so that it might have the opportunity to reconsider the bill, I accepted the message, and I now present to you the President's veto message, with the accompaying papers, for disposition by the Senate.

Sincerely yours,

EDWIN A. HALSEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 694, an act for the payment of the claims of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others.

This bill authorizes refunds of the bankers' special taxes which were, under the principles laid down by the United States Supreme Court in *Fidelity & Deposit Co.* v. *United States* (259 U. S. 296) and *United States* v. *Fidelity & Deposit Co.* (266 U. S. 587), erroneously collected many years ago under the acts of June 13, 1898, and October 22, 1914, notwithstanding the fact that the prescribed statutory periods for refund have long since expired.

But recently there was submitted to me another bill which proposed to except certain taxpayers from the operation of the statutes of limitations pertaining to the revenue laws by extending the time for the refunding of certain taxes to such taxpayers. At that time I had occasion to express my accord with the enacted policy of Congress that it is sound to include in all revenue acts statutes of limitations, by the operation of which, after a fixed period of time, it becomes impossible for the Government to collect additional taxes or for the taxpayer to obtain a refund of an overpayment of taxes. I pointed out in that instance that legislation, such as the proposed bill, selects a small class of taxpayers for special treatment by excepting them from that policy. Such legislation thus discriminates against the whole body of Federal taxpayers and establishes a precedent which would open the door to relief in all cases in which the statute operates to the prejudice of a particular taxpayer, while leaving the door closed to the Government in those cases in which the statute operates to the disadvantage of the Government.

In this regard the instant measure (S. 694) does not differ in principle from S. 279, which was under consideration on the prior occasion. With regard to S. 694, too, I know of no circumstances which would justify the exception made by that bill to the long-continued policy of Congress. Again I must express my belief that the field of special legislation should not be opened to relieve special classes of taxpayers from the consequences of their failure to perfect their claims for the refund of taxes within the period fixed by law.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 27, 1935.*

CLAIM OF HEIRS OF JAMES TAYLOR, DECEASED

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying bill, referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed:

To the Senate:

I return without approval Senate 2306, an act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes.

The bill involves a claim of approximately $389,706 made by the heirs of James Taylor, a deceased Cherokee Indian, for some 22,800 acres of land in North Carolina, now a part of the Nantahala National Forest. A finding of facts in connection with this claim was transmitted to Congress by the Court of Claims on November 11, 1915, and is contained in the Senate report, no. 875, Seventy-third Congress, second session, on Senate 3092, a bill similar in purpose, which was vetoed by me, both because I considered that it tied the hands of the Court of Claims and prevented an equitable determination of the case, and because of other objectionable features.

While the present bill omits most of the objectionable features of that bill, I invite particular attention to section 4 of the present bill, which authorizes the court to allow attorney's fees in addition to the award on the claim. Such action is without precedent, and if permitted to stand, the United States would be placed in the position of paying the fees for attorneys representing both the plaintiff and the defendant. If the court awarded the claimants in this case the total amount stated, the Government, in addition to paying $389,706 or any other amount found due, would pay a sum of not to exceed an additional 10 percent to the attorneys for the plaintiffs. Any fees to attorneys should be paid out of the amount recovered.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 26, 1935.*

THOMAS G. CARLIN

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying bill, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and ordered to be printed:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 1410, entitled "An act for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin."

This bill authorizes me to summon Thomas G. Carlin, formerly a captain in the Regular Army, before a retiring board to inquire whether at the time of his resignation he was incapacitated for active service, and whether such incapacity was a result of an incident of service, and if, as a result of such inquiry, it is found that he was so incapacitated, to take the necessary action to have him placed upon the retired list of the Army.

From the facts in this case of record in the War Department it appears that on September 9, 1929, a board of general officers placed the then Captain Carlin provisionally in class B, under the provisions of the National Defense Act, as amended; that on December 2, 1929, charges were preferred against him involving drunkenness and disorderly conduct; and that while these charges were pending he tendered his unconditional resignation, which was accepted. It further appears that although Captain Carlin, at the time of his separation from the service, expressed the belief that he was suffering from the effects of being gassed in France in 1918, and an injury received in an automobile accident in October 1929, his final physical examination on January 4, 1930, by the Army medical authorities showed that he was not incapacitated for active field service at that time. Also, as I am advised, his annual physical examinations for several years prior to and including 1928, as well as a 4 months' period of observation and general medical survey in a general hospital, failed to develop any incapacity for the performance of full military duty.

I am also advised by the Veterans' Administration that a claim filed by Thomas G. Carlin for disability compensation was disallowed November 20, 1930, because of his failure to establish as much as a 10-percent service-connected disability.

In view of the foregoing, it would be a futile thing for me to order this man before an Army retiring board, even if I considered him entitled thereto, which I do not. It is not good policy subsequently to reopen the cases of officers separated from the military service with a view to placing them upon the retired list, when at the time of their separation they were clearly not entitled to such treatment. The retirement system of the Regular Army was provided for the twofold purpose of attracting desirable permanent personnel to the service and of vitalizing the active list. Its maintenance for such purpose is vital to the national defense, and should not be jeopardized by utilizing it as a means of relief or for placing upon the retired list persons other than the permanent personnel of the Military Establishment.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *June 27, 1935.*

SIGNING OF ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS DURING RECESS

The Vice President announced that, under authority heretofore granted by the Senate, he signed, on Friday, June 28, 1935, the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the Untied States:

S. 2738. An act to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree;

S. 2917. An act authorizng an appropriation to effect a settlement of the remainder due on Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the expeditionary forces, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5809. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia";

H. R. 7160. An act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; and

H. J. Res. 324. Joint resolution to provide revenue, and for other purposes.

The Vice President also announced that, under the said authority, he signed, on Friday, June 28, 1935, the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 152) to extend to August 31, 1935, the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act as amended, said joint resolution having been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and previously reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ELECTRIC RATES IN MARYLAND AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND MISSISSIPPI

The Vice President laid before the Senate two communications from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia and in the State of Mississippi on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

EMPLOYEES IN FEDERAL ALCOHOLIC CONTROL ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States Civil Service Commission, referring to certain provisions in House bill 8539 which exempts from the merit system established by the Civil Service Act and rules all employments in the Federal Alcoholic Control Administration, and remonstrating against the proposed exemption of these positions; which was referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate seven communications from the President of the United States, together with accompanying letters from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, supplemental estimates of appropriations, as follows:

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of State for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $12,500, for participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation required by the District of Columbia, amounting to $150,000, from the water fund of the District of Columbia, for the purpose of replacing obsolete pumping equipment at the McMillan Park pumping station;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation required by the Treasury Department for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $482,032.92, for memorial to personnel of American Expeditionary Forces;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Legislative Establishment, under the United States Senate, for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $2,089.18, for the purchase of furniture;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for payment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J., upon settlement and adjustment by the Comptroller General of the United States, amounting to $122,422.43;

A supplemental estimate of appropriation required by the Navy Department, amounting to $3,050,000, for Public Works, Bureau of Yards and Docks; and

A supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of State for the fiscal year 1935, amounting to $9,000, for the relief of Lily M. Miller.

Ordered, That the communications, with the accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California requesting an invitation be extended to the peoples of the world to participate in the Pacific Exposition to be held in the county of Los Angeles, Calif., during 1937 and 1938; to the Committee on Commerce.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing benefits to persons who served in the Quartermaster Corps or under the Quartermaster General during certain wars; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A petition of A. W. Peterson, of Chicago, Ill., praying the enactment of legislation providing regular positions for substitute postal employees; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Chelsea, Mass., remonstrating against regulations recently promulgated in regard to the selection of certain personnel of the Civilian Conservation Corps camps; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of citizens of Carroll County, Md., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the payment of French spoliation claims; to the Committee on Claims.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Rebecca Dobson, of New York City, praying the enactment of legislation providing for her relief.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a petition of the congregation of the First Methodist Church of Lakewood, N. J., praying the enactment of legislation to prevent profiteering in war and to promote peace.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R.

3109) for the relief of Herman W. Bensel, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 976) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 6768. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the Seventeenth National Convention of the American Legion at St. Louis, Mo., during the month of September 1935 (Rept. No. 977).

H. R. 7902. An act to provide a right-of-way (Rept. No. 978); and

H. R. 8400. An act providing for the loan by the War Department of certain material and equipment to the Veterans of Foreign Wars 1935 Encampment Corporation, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 979).

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1683) for the relief of Robert L. Monk, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 980) thereon.

Mr. Hale, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4274. An act correcting date of enlistment of Elza Bennett in the United States Navy (Rept. No. 981); and

H. R. 4623. An act for the relief of George Brackett Cargill, deceased (Rept. No. 982).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1194) for the relief of the State of Maine, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 983) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2330) authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 984) thereon.

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 985) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 382) to provide for the purchase of a certain lot of land in Cedar City, Utah, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 986) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2888. A bill to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1004);

S. 2958. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y. (Rept. No. 989);

H. R. 5920. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain Government land to the Borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., for street purposes and as a part of the approach to the Stroudsburg viaduct on State Highway Route No. 498 (Rept. No. 990); and

H. R. 6983. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Anderson, S. C., to such city (Rept. No. 991).

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following joint resolutions, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. J. Res. 99. Joint resolution to regulate the issuance of passports to American citizens in time of war (Rept. No. 987); and

S. J. Res. 100. Joint resolution to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans under certain conditions (Rept. No. 988).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1820) to provide warrant officers of the Coast Guard parity of promotion with warrant officers of the Navy, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 992) thereon.

Mr. McNary, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 620) to authorize the periodic construction of channels for fishing purposes in the Siltcoos and Takenitch Rivers, in the State of Oregon, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 993) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2002) to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 994) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 33. A bill to encourage travel to and within the United States by citizens of foreign countries, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 999);

S. 2905. A bill to increase the efficiency of the Coast Guard (Rept. No. 995); and

S. 3071. A bill providing for the placing of improvements on the areas between the shore and bulkhead lines in rivers and harbors (Rept. No. 996).

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3) to regulate commerce in firearms, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 997) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1714) for the relief of Russell H. Lindsay, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 998) thereon.

Mr. Reynolds, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2021. A bill to recognize the service of Brig. Gen. Edward R. Chrisman (Rept. No. 1000); and

S. 2558. A bill for the relief of Pettus H. Hemphill (Rept. No. 1001).

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2731) to create an Indian Claims Commission, to provide for the powers, duties, and functions thereof, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1002) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2867) to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said District", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1003) thereon.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on June 28, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 2738. An act to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree;

S. 2917. An act authorizing an appropriation to effect a settlement of the remainder due on Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the Expeditionary Forces, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 152. Joint resolution to extend to August 31, 1935, the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3174) granting a pension to Julia A. King; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 3175) for the relief of Jesse Ashby; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 3176) to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans, to be delivered to a United States property and disbursing officer, 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3177) granting a pension to Lottie B. Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 3178) to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3179) to appoint one additional judge of the district court of the United States for the eastern, middle, and western districts of Tennessee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 3180) to authorize the appointment and retirement of Joseph P. Constantine as a second lieutenant of the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3181) authorizing an appropriation to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to cooperate with the experiment station of the Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College, located at Goodwell, Okla.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 3182) authorizing an appropriation to carry out the provisions of section 26 of the agreement with the Muskogee or Creek Tribe of Indians, approved March 1, 1901; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 3183) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to make all varieties of potatoes included in the species Solanum tuberosum a basic agricultural commodity, to raise revenue by imposing a tax on the first sale of such potatoes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3184) to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3185) for the relief of Grace K. Barber; and

A bill (S. 3186) for the relief of Edward H. Karg; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3187) to amend section 32 of the World War Veterans' Act of 1924, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 3188) authorizing the Secretary of War to purchase lands for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions for national cemeteries; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 155) authorizing exchange of certain securities, coins, and currencies of the United States, withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations, limiting the use of certain appropriations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PROGRAM OF CONGRESS

Mr. McNary (for Mr. Hastings) submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 20):

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Congress shall have completed its legislative program, except the revenue bill, it shall adjourn until noon on Monday, November 18, 1935;

Further resolved, That between the day of adjournment and November 18, 1935, the proper committees of the two Houses are requested to study the financial conditions of the Government as to income and expenses and make such recommendations as they find necessary to balance the Budget and begin the reduction of the national debt;

Further resolved, That when the Congress reconvenes on November 18, 1935, such revenue bill as such committees may recommend shall be the first order of business.

Ordered, That it lie over 1 day under the rule.

INVESTIGATION OF PATENT POOLS AND PATENT HOLDING CORPORATIONS

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 164), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Whereas the following combinations of patent holding corporations, patent pools, and major companies in each commodity and industry, directly or indirectly affecting interstate commerce, the national defense, and relations with foreign governments and interests, viz: Glass-container industry—including milk bottles, beverage bottles, and pharmaceutical ware; radio industry; electrical industry—including electrical equipment manufacturing and articles approved by underwriters; railway signaling apparatus and systems—including automatic train control; business-machine industry—including stenciling machines, tabulators, bookkeeping machines, and cash registers; ethyl-gasoline industry; and telephone and telegraph equipment industry; and

Whereas the combinations of holding corporations, patent pools, and the major companies in each industry simultaneously control most, if not all, of the thousands of patents covering products of the above-mentioned industries through patent pools and exclusive franchises to the continuing disadvantage of other manufacturers, small enterprises, and the consuming public; and

Whereas it is alleged that the control of these patent pools and patents is tantamount to the power to dominate the industries and to fix all prices for the products thereof by mentioning royalties under the patents on the one hand and by issuing or refusing to issue franchises for the manufacture and use of patented articles on the other hand; and

Whereas the military and naval forces cannot effectively operate without the patented articles so essential to the national defense; and

Whereas it is alleged that the advantages inherent in the exercise of the exclusive franchise to manufacture and use the various patented articles are not available to all manufacturers in each of the industries upon open, equal, and reasonable terms but are granted or withheld solely within the absolute discretion of the holding corporations or patent pools; and

Whereas it is alleged that such limitations upon the free use of the patented products tends to substantially lessen free and open competition and constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade, and

Whereas it is alleged that this control of holding corporations and patent pools is preventing the full recovery of small industries, preventing the reemployment of hundreds of thousands of unemployed: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of patent pools, patent holding corporations, and the major companies and corporations in each of the above-named industries, with a view to determining to what extent, if any, their patent rights, trade practices, trade policies, contracts, financial

status, and other functions directly or indirectly affect interstate commerce, and national defense, and our relations with foreign governments, and to determine the cost of Government purchase of patented articles manufactured by such industries and such other matters as may be pertinent thereto. The committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the result of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $———, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolutions:

On June 25, 1935:

S. 148. An act for the relief of the estate of Donnie Wright;

S. 1052. An act for the relief of the Washington Post Co.;

S. 1066. An act to extend the provisions of section 2 of the act of February 28, 1935, authorizing reservations of timber, minerals, or easements to exchanges of lands in the State of New Mexico, under the act of February 14, 1923, and the act of February 7, 1929;

S. 1656. An act for the relief of Ward J. Lawton;

S. 2185. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes ";

S. 2333. An act for the relief of John W. Dady; and

S. 2780. An act to repeal the limitation on the sale price of the Federal building at Main and Ervay Streets, Dallas, Tex.

On June 26, 1935:

S. 1051. An act for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.; and

S. 1860. An act for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.

On June 28, 1935:

S. 314. An act for the relief of Vito Valentino;

S. 2276. An act to authorize participation by the United States in the Interparliamentary Union;

S. 2917. An act authorizing an appropriation to effect a settlement of the remainder due on Pershing Hall, a memorial already erected in Paris, France, to the commander in chief, officers, and men of the expeditionary forces, and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 131. Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 152. Joint resolution to extend to August 31, 1935, the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12–B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PROCEEDINGS ACCEPTING HANNIBAL HAMLIN STATUE

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 27) to print and bind the proceedings in Congress and in Statuary Hall upon the acceptance in the Capitol of the statue of Hannibal Hamlin, presented by the State of Maine, which was read.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

On motion by Mr. Moore that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 1633) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes,

Pending debate,

Mr. King raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrd raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Burke in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That on tomorrow, at not later than 2 o'clock p. m., the Senate proceed to vote on the question of agreeing to Mr. Moore's motion.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 12 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 2, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed five enrolled bills, viz, S. 1958, S. 2074, S. 2642, H. R. 3012, and H. R. 6464, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1958. An act to diminish the causes of labor disputes burdening or obstructing interstate and foreign commerce, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes;

S. 2074. An act to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes;

S. 2642. An act to incorporate the American National Theater and Academy;

H. R. 3012. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Hopkins County, Ky., to the Commonwealth of Kentucky; and

H. R. 6464. An act to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

LAWS OF THE LEGISLATURE OF PUERTO RICO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and, with the accompanying document, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 23 of the act of Congress approved March 2, 1917, entitled "An act to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico, and for other purposes ", I transmit herewith certified copies of laws and resolutions enacted by the Thirteenth Legislature of Puerto Rico during its third regular session, February 11 to April 14, 1935.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *July 2, 1935.*

AMENDMENTS TO GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS, BUREAU OF NAVIGATION AND STEAMBOAT INSPECTION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting two copies of the fifty-first supplement to the General Rules and Regulations, Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection, covering the new boiler rules, and two copies of the fifty-second supplement to the General Rules and Regulations; which, with the accompanying documents, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

ELECTRIC RATES IN WEST VIRGINIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of West Virginia on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

ANNUAL REPORT OF FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Governor of the Federal Reserve Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Federal Reserve Board, covering operations during the calendar year 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of San Juan, P. R., favoring the passage of House bill 7931, creating a national park in that city, which was referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring the enactment of legislation to increase the tariff on foreign fats and oils used in the manufacture of oleomargarine, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Massachusetts favoring the granting of Federal funds for the immediate removal of elevated railway structures in Boston, Mass., and the construction of subways in substitution therefor, which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes ", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269), reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1005) thereon.

Mr. Carey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2564) to grant an honorable discharge to Charles L. Wymore, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1006) thereon.

Mr. Glass, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1007) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3077. A bill for the relief of Constantin Gilia (Rept. No. 1008); and

S. 3078. A bill for the relief of C. R. Whitlock (Rept. No. 1009).

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 208) to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory, reported it without amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3189) granting a pension to Carrie Gibbon (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 3190) granting a pension to Lucy A. Rose (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3191) for the relief of John C. Crossman; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3192) to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

(By request.) A bill (S. 3193) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to purchase a bust made by J. Antoine Houdon in 1796 in Paris, France, of James Monroe, fifth President of the United States and father of the Monroe Doctrine, while Mr. Monroe was Ambassador to France; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3194) to amend section 10 (A) of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Neely (for Mr. Costigan):

A bill (S. 3195) for the relief of Guiry Bros. Wall Paper & Paint Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3196) for the relief of Charles Flanagan; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3197) to repeal a provision of section 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Everglades National Park in the State of Florida, and for other purposes", approved May 30, 1934; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Dieterich:

A bill (S. 3198) to amend subsection (c) of section 15 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3199) for the relief of the estate of Hattie M. Dunford; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3200) to create the Office of Publications; to the Committee on Printing.

A bill (S. 3201) to equalize the practice in the marine bureaus; to raise the standard of the personnel and secure continuity of service by providing for the retirement for age of certain employees of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection of the Department of Commerce; to the Committee on Commerce.

LOBBYING ON HOLDING COMPANY BILL

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 165), which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce:

Resolved, That a special committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the lobbying activities in connection with the so-called "holding company bill." The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such correspondence, books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $150,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the concurrent resolution of the Senate (S. Con. Res. 17) providing for the disposition of certain obsolete Government publications stored in the folding rooms of Congress.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and a joint resolution, as follows:

On June 27, 1935:

H. R. 1703. An act for the relief of Cletus F. Hoban;

H. R. 7205. An act to amend the Ship Mortgage Act, 1920, otherwise known as "section 30" of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920, approved June 5, 1920, to allow the benefits of the said act to be enjoyed by owners of certain vessels of the United States of less than 200 gross tons; and

H. R. 7652. An act to authorize the furnishing of steam from the central heating plant to the Federal Reserve Board, and for other purposes.

On June 28, 1935:

H. R. 4505. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Maine and the Dominion of Canada to maintain a bridge already constructed across the St. John River between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada;

H. R. 6630. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Rio Grande City, Tex.;

H. R. 6717. An act to amend section 1 of the act of July 8, 1932;

H. R. 6988. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 21 meets Texas Highway No. 45;

H. R. 7044. An act authorizing the State of Louisiana and the State of Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Sabine River at or near a point where Louisiana Highway No. 6, in Sabine Parish, La., meets Texas Highway No. 21, in Sabine County, Tex.;

H. R. 7083. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Ind.;

H. R. 7374. An act to amend section 98 of the Judicial Code to provide for the inclusion of Durham County, N. C., in the middle district of North Carolina, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7526. An act to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paying of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters";

H. R. 7765. An act to amend (1) an act entitled "An act providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia"; (2) an act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia"; to regulate the giving of official bonds by officers and employees of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 324. Joint resolution to provide revenue, and for other purposes.

On June 29, 1935:

H. R. 1315. An act for the relief of Thomas J. Gould;

H. R. 2708. An act for the relief of James M. Pace;

H. R. 3180. An act for the relief of Ruth Nolan and Anna Panozza;

H. R. 3574. An act for the relief of Nellie T. Francis;

H. R. 4105. An act for the relief of Julian C. Dorr;

H. R. 4817. An act for the relief of Matthew E. Hanna;

H. R. 6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor";

H. R. 7160. An act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges; and

H. R. 7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller.

On July 1, 1935:

H. R. 805. An act for the relief of Luther M. Turpin and Amanda Turpin;

H. R. 5774. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Rogue River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5775. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siuslaw River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5776. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Yaquina River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 5777. An act to authorize a preliminary examination of Siletz River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods;

H. R. 7313. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Gafford Creek, Ark.;

H. R. 7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River;

H. R. 7600. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of the Tanana River and Chena Slough, Alaska; and

H. R. 7870. An act to provide a preliminary examination of the Purgatoire (Picketwire) and Apishapa Rivers in the State of Colorado with a view to the control of their floods and the conservation of their waters.

AMENDMENT OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Moore's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 1633) to amend the interstate commerce act, as amended, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Capper in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

The hour of 2 o'clock p. m. having arrived, and further debate, under the order of yesterday, being precluded.

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The motion of Mr. Moore was agreed to; and

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The Senate proceeded to consider the said bill.

The reported amendments were agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Long to further amend the bill by inserting at the end of the bill the following:

Where rates and charges of common carriers to ports are made as reductions to equalize rates to ports served by competing carriers, it shall not be termed undue preference or discrimination.

Pending debate,

The amendment was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the foregoing amendment was reconsidered.

The question recurring on agreeing to the said amendment,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. George in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Neely in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

Seventy-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Long's amendment,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas—23 / Nays—49

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Borah, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Copeland, Donahey, Fletcher, Gibson, Hatch, Johnson, King, Long, McCarran, McGill, Murphy, Norbeck, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Schall, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Trammell.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Keyes, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Neely, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe,

Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Steiwer, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. Long's amendment was not agreed to.

No further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

On motion by Mr. Copeland to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill,

On motion by Mr. Moore,

Mr. Copeland's motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 to the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 9 to the said bill and agreed to the same with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 29), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in the enrollment of the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to change the numbering of section 4 thereof to section 5 and to insert a new section, as follows:

"SEC. 4. The appropriations and authority with respect to appropriations contained herein shall be available from and including July 1, 1935, for the purposes respectively provided in such appropriations and authority. All obligations incurred during the period between June 30, 1935, and the date of the enactment of this act in anticipation of such appropriations and authority are hereby ratified and confirmed if in accordance with the terms thereof."

APPROPRIATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT

Mr. Tydings submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on certain amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have been unable to agree.

MILLARD E. TYDINGS,
JAMES F. BYRNES,
CARL HAYDEN,
FREDERICK HALE,
JOHN G. TOWNSEND, Jr.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

LOUIS LUDLOW,
J. BUELL SNYDER,
M. A. ZIONCHECK,
JOHN F. DOCKWEILER,
EDWARD C. MORAN, Jr.,
J. B. BUCHANAN,
D. LANE POWERS,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendment of the Senate no. 9 to the said bill.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLMENT OF LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATION BILL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 29) to authorize and direct the Clerk of the House of Representatives, in the enrollment of H. R. 8021—the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1936—to add an additional section making the appropriations therein effective as of July 1, 1935, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REGULATION OF WATER CARRIERS

On motion by Mr. Wheeler,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments on page 2, line 4 and line 5, respectively, were agreed to.

The further consideration of the said bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

PUBLIC WORKS ON RIVERS AND HARBORS

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion heretofore entered by Mr. King to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes; and

The motion was agreed to.

The vote ordering the engrossment of the amendments and third reading of the bill having also been reconsidered,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. King and the motion of Mr. Copeland, on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, and on behalf of Mr. Lonergan and Mr. Maloney, respectively.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Copeland, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Johnson, and Mr. McNary.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

THIRD WORLD POWER CONFERENCE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and with the accompanying report, referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

To the Congress of the United States of America:

I commend to the favorable consideration of the Congress the enclosed report from the Secretary of State to the end that legislation may be enacted requesting the President to invite the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States in 1936 or 1937, and providing an appropriation of the sum of $75,000 for the necessary expenses of organizing and holding such a meeting.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *July 2, 1935.*

INVESTIGATION OF VIRGIN ISLANDS ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from Hon. Wallace H. White, Jr., Senator from Maine, tendering his resignation as a member of the Select Committee to Investigate the Administration of the Virgin Islands.

The Vice President thereupon appointed Mr. Gibson to fill the vacancy.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 48 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

SPECIAL ASSISTANT ATTORNEYS, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the special assistants employed under the appropriation "Pay of special assistant attorneys" in the Department of Justice Appropriation Act, 1935, the rates of compensation, the amounts paid, and a description of their duties; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF RECALL OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

Mr. Connally presented a brief entitled "The Constitutionality of the Recall of United States Senators and Representatives in Congress", prepared by Hon. Walter F. George, Chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, United States Senate; which was ordered to be printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Wheeler, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 165) providing for an investigation of lobbying activities in connection with the so-called "holding company bill" (S. 2796), reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 754) to amend section 21 of the act approved June 5, 1920, entitled "An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of the American merchant marine, to repeal certain emergency legislation, and provide for the disposition, regulation, and use of property acquired thereunder, and for other purposes", as applied to the Virgin Islands of the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1010) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1991) for the relief of Wilson G. Bingham, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1012) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2734) to confer jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of Henry W. Bibus, Annie Ulrick, Samuel Henry, Charles W. Hensor, Headley Woolston, John Henry, estate of Harry B. C. Margerum, and George H. Custer, of Falls Township and Borough of Tullytown, Bucks County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1013) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 153) providing for the participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four-hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay, and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1014) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1011) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7050) to amend the act of June 27, 1930 (ch. 634, 46 Stat. 820), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1015) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2523) authorizing payment to the San Carlos Apache Indians for the lands ceded by them in the agreement of February 25, 1896, ratified by the act of June 10, 1896, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1016) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2849) to provide funds for cooperation with Wellpinit School District No. 49, Stevens County, Wash., for the construction of a public-school building to be available for Indian children of the Spokane Reservation, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1017) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 3202) granting an annuity to George J. Kleffner; to the Committee on Civil Service.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3203) granting a pension to Dorothy King; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Norbeck and Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 3204) to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3205) to provide for the retirement of officers and employees of the legislative branch of the Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Clark:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 156) establishing a commission to be known as the "United States Commission for the Celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of Mark Twain" (Samuel L. Clemens); to the Committee on the Library.

PUBLIC WORKS ON RIVERS AND HARBORS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, be printed showing the Senate amendments numbered.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 2, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1958. An act to diminish the causes of labor disputes burdening or obstructing interstate and foreign commerce, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes;

S. 2074. An act to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes; and

S. 2642. An act to incorporate The American National Theater and Academy.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

AMENDMENT OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

The residue of the reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce; when

The further consideration of the said bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

CENTRAL STATISTICAL COMMITTEE AND BOARD

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7590) to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JULY 4, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

AUTHORITY TO SIGN LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATION BILL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That during the adjournment or recess of the Senate following today's session, the President of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized to sign the enrolled bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

RECESS TO MONDAY

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 1 minute p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JULY 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar days of Wednesday, July 3, and Thursday, July 4, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKeller, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On July 2, 1935:

S. 2738. An act to authorize the use of park property in the District of Columbia and its environs by the Boy Scouts of America at their national jamboree.

On July 5, 1935:

S. 1958. An act to diminish the causes of labor disputes burdening or obstructing interstate and foreign commerce, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes; and

S. 2642. An act to incorporate the American National Theater and Academy.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SIGNING OF LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATION BILL

The Vice President announced that, under authority granted by the Senate on the 4th instant, he signed on Friday, July 5, 1935, the enrolled bill (H. R. 8021) making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, said bill having been signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and previously reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and that it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ELECTRIC RATES IN NORTH DAKOTA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the State of North Dakota on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR EXECUTIVE OFFICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation under the Executive Office, for the fiscal year 1936, for protection of interests of the United States in matters affecting oil lands in former naval reserves, amounting to $40,000; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation required by the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $9,000,000, for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a deficiency estimate of appropriation for the District of Columbia, for the fiscal year 1935, amounting to $617, for the payment of judicial expenses; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following communication and petition:

A communication from the Secretary of War, transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by the Provincial Board of Iloilo, P. I., expressing regret at the death of Senator Bronson Cutting; and

A petition of Anna T. and Eugene Davies praying the defeat of legislation inimical to public-utility companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Guffey presented a resolution adopted at the governors' conference held at Biloxi, Miss., favoring the encouragement of national economic security by providing for a Nation-wide program for minimum wages and maximum hours of employment; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Walsh presented a resolution adopted by the Massachusetts State Council, Knights of Columbus, of Boston, Mass., favoring an investigation of religious persecutions in Mexico; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Walsh presented the following memorials:

A resolution adopted by the policy committee of the northern cotton mills and the board of government of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers remonstrating against the enactment of legislation which will deprive taxpayers of the right to have the constitutionality of processing taxes judicially determined; and

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Independent Oil Men's Association of New England remonstrating against the passage of the so-called "Thomas Federal Petroleum Act."

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Minton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 110) authorizing Brig. Gen. C. E. Nathorst, Philippine Constabulary, retired, to accept such decorations, orders, medals, or presents as have been tendered him by foreign governments, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1018) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2833) for the relief of Mrs. Jack J. O'Connell, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1019) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2834) to provide for the appointment of Ira E. Porter as a second lieutenant, United States Army, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1020) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3430) to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons; to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners; to establish Federal jails; and for other purposes", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1021) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2657) for the relief of Harold Dukelow, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1022) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 478. A bill to amend a part of section 1 of the act of May 27, 1908, chapter 200, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, sec. 592) (Rept. No. 1023); and

S. 479. A bill to amend section 126 of the Judicial Code, as amended (Rept. No. 1024).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2340. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to determine the fees to be paid in connection with the taking of depositions on behalf of the United States (Rept. No. 1025); and

S. 2603. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to determine and pay certain claims against the Government for damage to persons or property in sum not exceeding $500 in any one case (Rept. No. 1026).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred an amendment appropriating $61,240 for salaries in the Health Department, District of Columbia, for the fiscal year 1936, intended to be proposed by him to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the said amendment be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Guffey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1567) for the relief of certain claimants in cases of contracts connected with prosecution of the World War, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1027) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2577) to repeal the provisions of the homestead laws requiring the cultivation of homestead entries, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1028) thereon.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2955) for the relief of Emil Zumbrunn and that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 2963) to amend the act of Congress approved March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1109), relating to the restoration of Fort McHenry, in the State of Maryland, and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES MEMORIAL FUND

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 237) for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the "Oliver Wendell Holmes Memorial Fund" be referred to the Committee on the Library.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson:

A bill (S. 3206) for the relief of Col. Richard M. Cutts, United States Marine Corps; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3207) for the relief of Miriam Grant; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 3208) to provide protection by registration of designs for textiles and other materials; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3209) for the relief of Frank E. O'Rourke; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. La Follette:

A bill (S. 3210) to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 3211) to provide for direct review by the Supreme Court in cases involving the constitutionality of statutes of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3212) granting a pension to George T. Hodges; and

A bill (S. 3213) granting a pension to Clark Huggins; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 3214) granting a pension to John Wesley Heal; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 157) approving the construction and establishment of buildings and facilities for, and the production and operation of, a Pan American Exposition and International Merchandising Mart, at Miami, Fla., and authorizing the director of the Public Works Administration to cooperate in making available certain funds therefor; providing for the participation by the United States therein; and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

LYDA BEERY

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 166), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1935, to Lyda Beery, sister of Lutie M. Hart, late an assistant clerk to the Committee on Commerce of the Senate, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate she was receiving by law at the time of her death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

REGULATION OF WATER CARRIERS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1632) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. White raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. George in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison.

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the bill be temporarily laid aside, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) thereupon laid before the Senate the amendment of the House of Representatives to the text of the said bill S. 2796, together with an amendment of the title, providing that the same read as follows: "An act to provide for regulation in the public interest of public-utility holding companies, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes."

On motion by Mr. Wheeler that the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and that the Chair appoint the conferees on the part of the Senate,

Mr. Dieterich submitted a preferential motion, viz, that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 38 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1206. An act authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

S. 2230. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light;

S. 2378. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.; and

S. 2846. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired.

The House has passed the bill (S. 883) directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 64 years, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The President of the United States approved and signed acts, as follows:

On July 2, 1935:

H. R. 115. An act to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920;

H. R. 1292. An act for the relief of Grace McClure;

H. R. 2987. An act for the relief of E. W. Tarrence;

H. R. 3556. An act for the relief of Sophie Carter;

H. R. 4034. An act for the relief of Charles Szymanski;

H. R. 4123. An act providing for the payment of $15 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of the Red Lake Band of Minnesota from the timber fund standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States;

H. R. 4651. An act for the relief of the Noble County (Ohio) Agricultural Society;

H. R. 4764. An act for the relief of the officers and men of the United States Naval and Marine Corps Reserves who performed flights in naval aircraft in connection with the search for victims and wreckage of the United States dirigible *Akron*;

H. R. 4808. An act for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.;

H. R. 4811. An act for the relief of George W. Miller; and

H. R. 5809. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the manufacture, transportation, possession, and sale of alcoholic beverages in the District of Columbia."

On July 3, 1935:

H. R. 1438. An act for the relief of Carrie McIntyre;

H. R. 3012. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Hopkins County, Ky., to the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

H. R. 4368. An act for the relief of E. C. West;

H. R. 4610. An act for the relief of John J. Moran; and

H. R. 7235. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes.

On July 8, 1935:

H. R. 8021. An act making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN THE STATES OF IDAHO, SOUTH CAROLINA, VERMONT, AND WASHINGTON

The Vice President laid before the Senate four communications from the Vice Chairman of the Federal Power Commission; transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of Idaho, South Carolina, Vermont, and Washington, respectively, on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate joint resolutions of the Legislature of the State of California, which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, as follows:

A joint resolution favoring the calling of a constitutional convention of the States for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing that no securities heretofore or hereafter issued, either by the Federal Government or any State or political subdivision, shall be exempt from taxation; and

A joint resolution favoring the calling of a constitutional convention of the States for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing that Congress shall have the power to regulate hours of labor and prescribe minimum wages in any and all industries engaged in intrastate, as well as interstate, commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the First Quadrennial Convention of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen favoring the passage of House bill 2827, providing unemployment insurance and social security.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Dearing, Kans., praying the passage of legislation providing for a retirement system for employees of carriers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of citizens of Greenwood County, Kans., praying the passage of Senate bill 3150, providing for an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Kansas State Council of the Knights of Columbus, of Hays, Kans., favoring an investigation of religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

Petitions of citizens of the State of New York praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A petition of employees of the Albany Knitting Co., Inc., of Albany, N. Y., praying the passage of House bill 8603, to prevent the dumping of foreign merchandise on the markets of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Catholic War Veterans, Inc., of Long Island City, N. Y., opposing communism as against the basic laws of society and human nature; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the New York Produce Exchange, of New York City, remonstrating against proposed amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Passaic, N. J., favoring the passage of House bill 8212, to appropriate $25,000 for the eradication and control of the tent caterpillar in the State of New Jersey; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of Boston (Mass.) Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, praying the enactment of legislation providing for the erection of a statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va.; which was referred to the Committee on the Library.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 7680. An act to amend the act of May 18, 1934, providing punishment for killing or assaulting Federal officers (Rept. No. 1033); and

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended (Rept. No. 1029).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3050. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt. (Rept. No. 1030); and

S. 3105. A bill to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala. (Rept. No. 1031).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2929) for the relief of Frank I. Otis, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1032) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3192) to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1034) thereon.

Mr. Overton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3111) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to grant to the State of Louisiana an easement over certain land of the United States in Natchitoches Parish, La., for highway purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1035) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 3215) to permit certain special-delivery messengers to acquire a classified status through noncompetitive examination; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3216) for the relief of the Zoar Baptist Church, of Kesslers Cross Lanes, Nicholas County, W. Va.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3217) for the relief of Lexie Hagy; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bone:

A bill (S. 3218) to amend section 201 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3219) fixing the computation of travel distances; and

A bill (S. 3220) to authorize the Secretary of War or the Secretary of the Navy to withhold the pay of officers, warrant officers, enlisted men, and nurses of the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps to cover indebtedness to the United States under certain conditions; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3221) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 158) to extend the time within which applications may be filed under the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Copeland, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Moore, Mr. Lonergan, and Mr. Maloney:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 159) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

BITUMINOUS COAL CONSERVATION ACT, 1935

Mr. Byrd, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 167):

Resolved, That the Attorney General is requested to transmit to the Senate, as soon as practicable, his opinion in writing with respect to the constitutionality of the bill (H. R. 8479, 74th Cong., 1st sess.) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties.

Ordered, That the resolution lie over 1 day under the rule.

LINE OF THE NAVY

Mr. Trammell submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5599) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the first amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following:

Sec. 9. The last proviso of the appropriation "Pay of the Navy", contained in the Naval Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1897, approved June 10, 1896 (29 Stat., 361), is hereby amended to read as follows:

"And provided further, That hereafter no payment shall be made from appropriations made by Congress to any officer in the Navy or Marine Corps on the active list while such officer is employed, after June 30, 1897, by any person or company furnishing naval supplies or war materials to the Government, and such employment is hereby made unlawful after said date: Provided, That no payment shall be made from appropriations made by Congress to any retired officer in the Navy or Marine Corps who for himself or for others is engaged in the selling of, contracting for the sale of, or negotiating for the sale of, to the Navy or the Navy Department, any naval supplies or war material."

And the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the second amendment of the Senate, and agree to the same.

PARK TRAMMELL,
DAVID I. WALSH,
FREDERICK HALE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

CARL VINSON,
P. H. DREWRY,
Managers on the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Trammell,

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Dieterich's motion that the Senate concur in the said amendments of the House,

Pending debate,

Mr. Dieterich withdrew his motion.

The question recurring on agreeing to Mr. Wheeler's motion that the Senate disagree to the said amendments and ask a conference with the House of Representatives on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and that the Chair appoint the conferees,

The motion was agreed to by unanimous consent.

On motion by Mr. Dieterich that the conferees on the part of the Senate be instructed not to insist upon section 11 as contained in the Senate bill (relating to dissolution of certain holding companies),

Pending debate,

Mr. Dieterich raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Robinson submitted a request for unanimous consent to vote on tomorrow, at not later than 1 o'clock p. m., on Mr. Dieterich's motion.

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Robinson having modified his request,

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That after the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. on tomorrow no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 10 minutes on the pending motion, and that at 2 o'clock p. m. on said day the Senate proceed to vote thereon without further debate.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill be printed showing the House amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 28 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2966) to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8270) to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8270 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Assistant Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Legislative Establishment, United States Senate, for contingent expenses, expenses of inquiries and investigations, amounting to $150,000; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $980,000, for the further endowment of colleges and agriculture and the mechanic arts; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Department of Justice, amounting to $4,500,000, for buildings and equipment, penal institutions; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7980) to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1036) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 423) for the relief of Lynn Brothers' Benevolent Hospital, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1037) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3612) to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1038) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 5159. An act to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska (Rept. No. 1039); and

H. R. 6990. An act to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1040).

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3204) to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1041) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2297) to amend section 17, as amended, of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1042) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 166) to pay a gratuity to Lyda Beery, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 147) increasing the limit of expenditures in the investigation of the steamship *Morro Castle* and other steamship disasters, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment, striking out the numerals "$25,000" on line 1, and inserting in lieu thereof *$10,000*, having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 160) providing for an investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, together with the accompanying preamble, was agreed to, as follows:

Whereas wool is one of the major agricultural products of many sections of the United States and is used in many industries and provides a substantial part of the commerce of the country; and

Whereas proper methods of marketing wool are essential to the establishment and maintenance of the prosperity of the industry; and

Whereas existing methods of marketing the wool crop have proved unsatisfactory to the wool producers of America: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool. The committee shall report to the Senate, not later than the beginning of the second session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, the results of its investigations, together with its recommendations, if any, for necessary legislation.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, correspondence, and other documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 165) providing for an investigation of lobbying activities in connection with the so-called "holding company bill" (S. 2796), reported it with amendments.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Commitee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 1470) for the relief of Carl A. Butler and that it be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3222) to amend the Filled Milk Act; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 3223) for the relief of Joe Reno; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3224) to amend subsection (e) of section 24 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 3225) to provide for the erection of a building to be used exclusively for the recorder of deeds; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 3226) for the relief of Gertrude Hunter (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 3227) to amend section 3 of the act approved May 10, 1928, entitled "An act to extend the period of restriction in lands of certain members of the Five Civilized Tribes, and for other purposes", as amended February 14, 1931; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3228) for the relief of W. E. Reynolds; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3229) for the relief of the estate of Hattie M. Dunford; and

A bill (S. 3230) for the reimbursement of R. H. Quynn, lieutenant, United States Navy, for loss of property by fire at the naval operating base, Hampton Roads, Va.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Gore (by request):

A bill (S. 3231) for the relief of S. A. Rourke; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3232) granting a pension to Ellen Morris McClain (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Van Nuys:

A bill (S. 3233) granting a pension to Earl Dudley; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 3234) to provide for the payment of certain indebtedness on lands acquired by the United States; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Russell:

A bill (S. 3235) to authorize Federal land banks to accept veterans' adjusted-service certificates in payment for farm land; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A bill (S. 3236) to provide for the waiving of interest on loans made on veterans' adjusted-service certificates; to the Committee on Finance.

A bill (S. 3237) to provide for the establishment in the Department of Agriculture of an experiment station for the development of tung trees; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REGULATION OF PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating or marketing securities in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Dieterich's motion that the conferees on the part of the Senate be instructed not to insist upon section 11 as contained in the Senate bill,

Pending debate,

Mr. Dieterich withdrew his motion.

The order providing for a vote on the foregoing motion at 2 o'clock p. m. today was rescinded by unanimous consent.

The Vice President appointed Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Barkley, Mr. Brown, Mr. White, and Mr. Shipstead as the conferees on the part of the Senate on the foregoing bill.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of the action of the Senate on the amendments of the House to the said bill.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The motion of Mr. Robinson was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

The reported amendments in part were agreed to, and the reported amendment on page 11, line 3, was disagreed to.

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 38, line 14, was reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Barkley,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Pending debate,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed five enrolled bills, viz, S. 1206, S. 2230, S. 2378, S. 2846, and S. 2966, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1206. An act authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

S. 2230. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light;

S. 2378. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.;

S. 2846. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired; and

S. 2966. An act to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

Mr. Capper presented petitions of citizens of Independence and Ellis, and of employees of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., of Topeka, all in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing a retirement system for railroad employees; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the passage of legislation providing for the payment of French spoliation claims.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred to the Committee on Finance:

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying the enactment of legislation to repeal the Federal tax on gasoline; and

A resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Niagara Falls, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to repeal the exemption from taxation of the dividends on municipal securities.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 100) requesting the United States Tariff Commission to complete an investigation relating to frozen swordfish, reported it with an amendment.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 419. An act for the relief of Ruth Relyea (Rept. No. 1043);

H. R. 1864. An act for the relief of Henry Dinucci (Rept. No. 1044); and

H. R. 6825. An act for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary (Rept. No. 1045).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3090) for the relief of Mayme Hughes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1046) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2810) for the relief of the State of Pennsylvania, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1047) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 351) for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1048) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2343. A bill for the relief of Maj. Edwin F. Ely, Finance Department; Capt. Reyburn Engles, Quartermaster Corps; and others (Rept. No. 1049);

S. 2808. A bill for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 1050);

S. 2875. A bill for the relief of J. A. Jones (Rept. No. 1051);

H. R. 2325. An act for the relief of James P. Whalen (Rept. No. 1052); and

H. R. 4850. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (Rept. No. 1053).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2666) for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1054) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 470. A bill for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co. (Rept. No. 1055); and

S. 1957. A bill for the relief of the George R. Jones Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire (Rept. No. 1056).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6549) for the relief of Horton & Horton, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1057) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1118) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to refund to the Bankers Reserve Life Co., of Omaha, Nebr., and the Wisconsin National Life Insurance Co., of Oshkosh, Wis., income taxes illegally paid to the United States Treasury, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1058) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2268. A bill for the relief of Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. (Rept. No. 1059); and

H. R. 2606. An act for the relief of the estate of Paul Kiehler (Rept. No. 1060).

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1950) for the relief of Julius Crisler, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1061) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2296) to reduce the interest rate on delinquent taxes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1062) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1359. A bill for the relief of A. N. Ross (Rept. No. 1063);

S. 2741. A bill for the relief of Maj. Joseph H. Hickey (Rept. No. 1064); and

S. 3043. A bill for the relief of the State of Maine (Rept. No. 1065).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 85. A bill for the relief of Homer H. Adams (Rept. No. 1066); and

S. 1120. A bill for the relief of J. P. Mawrath & Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 1067).

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 739) to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix in the State of New York, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1068) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following joint resolutions, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. J. Res. 140. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1069); and

S. J. Res. 145. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World in the District of Columbia, August 25, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive (Rept. No. 1070).

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3060. A bill to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended (Rept. No. 1071); and

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pension, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay and insurance, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1072).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3238) to provide compensation for disability or death resulting from injury to employees of contractors on public buildings and public works; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3239) to amend the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3240) for the relief of Bernard F. Hickey; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 3241) authorizing adjustment of the claims of F. L. Forbes, John L. Abbot, and the Ralph Sollitt & Sons Construction Co. (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3242) for the relief of Homer R. Stickney; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 3243) for the relief of the Indians of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

CLAIMS OF AMERICAN NATIONALS AGAINST GERMANY

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 168), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas in response to Senate Resolution No. 181, agreed to on June 8, 1932, a report from the Secretary of State on the character and estimated amount of the claims of American nationals against the Government of Germany filed with the Department of State, between June 30, 1928, and June 8, 1932, disclosed that 2,138 notices of claim had been filed having an estimated value of $5,495,000, exclusive of interest; and

Whereas several hundred additional claims of American nationals against the Government of Germany have been notified to the Department of State since June 8, 1932; and

Whereas in future negotiations with the Government of Germany for the settlement of these claims and for the information of the Congress, it is desirable that a survey be made of the additional claims notified to the Department of State since June 8, 1932, in order that a more accurate estimate may be stated as to the total amount to be claimed of the Government of Germany: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be, and he is hereby, directed to transmit to the agent of the United States, before the Mixed Claims Commission, United States and Germany, all claims and notices of claims of American nationals against the Government of Germany, under the treaty of Berlin of August 25, 1921, filed in the Department of State between June 8, 1932, and the date of the passage of this resolution.

That the agent of the United States, Mixed Claims Commission, United States and Germany, shall examine all of the claims and notices of claims filed in the agency of the United States and/or in the Department of State by American nationals against the Government of Germany, to determine the character and amount of such claims under the decisions of the Mixed Claims Commission, United States and Germany, heretofore rendered under the treaty of Berlin, of August 25, 1921, and the principles of international law applicable thereto.

That the agent of the United States Mixed Claims Commission, United States and Germany, be, and is hereby, instructed to prepare and transmit within 15 days after the passage of this resolution a report setting forth as nearly as may be ascertained from the documents now on file the character and amount of the additional claims, and notices of claims, of American nationals against the Government of Germany, filed between June 8, 1932, and the date of the passage of this resolution.

RECOMMITTAL OF BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 2905) to increase the efficiency of the Coast Guard be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Pittman, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the following joint resolutions be recommitted to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

S. J. Res. 99. Joint resolution to regulate the issuance of passports to American citizens in time of war; and

S. J. Res. 100. Joint resolution to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans under certain conditions.

INVESTIGATION OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

On motion by Mr. Black, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 165) providing for an investigation of lobbying activities in connection with the so-called "holding company bill" (S. 2796); and the reported amendments of the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That a special committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of all lobbying activities and all efforts to influence, encourage, promote, or retard legislation, directly or indirectly, in connection with the so-called "holding company bill", or any other matter or proposal affecting legislation. The committee shall report to the Senate, as soon as practicable, the results of its investigation, together with its recommendation.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ and to call upon the executive departments for clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such correspondence, books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $50,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

The Vice President subsequently appointed Mr. Black, Mr. Minton, Mr. Schwellenbach, Mr. Frazier, and Mr. Gibson as the members of the said committee.

RETIREMENT OF ACTING ASSISTANT SURGEONS OF THE NAVY

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. HATCH in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 883) directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 64 years, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of seventy years."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bill and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 8632. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; and

H. J. Res. 347. Joint resolution to provide for the compensation of pages of the Senate and House of Representatives from July 1, 1935, until the close of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

COMPENSATION OF PAGES OF CONGRESS

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 347) to provide for the compensation of pages of the Senate and House of Representatives from July 1, 1935, until the close of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CUSTODY OF FEDERAL DOCUMENTS

Mr. Barkley submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, and agree to the same.

ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
PETER NORBECK,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

HATTON W. SUMNERS,
EMANUEL CELLER,
RANDOLPH PERKINS,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

The bill (H. R. 8632) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama; and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Norris by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of the engrossed Senate bill 2357,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Norris,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Smith, Mr. Wheeler, and Mr. Norris.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

The reported amendments beginning on page 71, line 19, and page 73, line 18, respectively, were agreed to.

Mr. Smith raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 201) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes incident to said encampment.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, House Joint Resolution 201, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 201) giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes incident to said encampment.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PRODUCTION, TRANSPORTATION, AND MARKETING OF WOOL

The Vice President appointed Mr. Adams, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Murray, Mr. Steiwer, and Mr. Carey as the members of the special committee to investigate the production, transportation, and marketing of wool authorized by Senate Resolution 160.

UNITED STATES CONNECTICUT TERCENTENARY COMMISSION

The Vice President appointed Mr. Lonergan, Mr. Maloney, Mr. Barkley, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Austin as the members on the part of the Senate of the United States Connecticut Tercentenary Commission, established by Public Resolution No. 18, approved May 14, 1935.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 36 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF A QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2779) to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 2566. An act for the relief of Percy C. Wright; and

H. R. 5393. An act for the relief of Moses Israel.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4410. An act granting a renewal to Patent No. 54296 relating to the badge of the American Legion;

H. R. 4413. An act granting a renewal of Patent No. 55398 relating to the badge of the American Legion Auxiliary; and

H. R. 7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 4410 and H. R. 4413 be referred to the Committee on Patents; and that the bill H. R.

7882 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

CLOSING OF MILITARY ROAD

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint communication from the Assistant Secretary of War, the Second Assistant Postmaster General, and the Director, Bureau of Air Commerce, as members of a committee recently appointed by the Secretary of War, the Postmaster General, and the Secretary of Commerce to study the traffic situation at the Washington-Hoover Airport, favoring the passage of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 330) to close Military Road temporarily, which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana favoring the enactment of legislation providing for flood control; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following resolutions adopted at a mass meeting of citizens of New York City:

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the immediate full cash payment of adjusted-service certificates of World War veterans;

A resolution urging the immediate repeal of the "economy act";

A resolution urging the removal of Rear Admiral Yates Stirling, Jr., for the publication of an article allegedly advocating war against a friendly nation; and

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation providing social and unemployment insurance.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey memorializing Congress to reduce taxes on distilled spirits and requesting Congress to call a conference between its representatives and representatives of the several States to consider the proper relationship between Federal and State taxes on alcoholic beverages; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of citizens of the State of Kansas praying the enactment of legislation providing a retirement system for railroad employees; which were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2697) for the relief of the United Pocahontas Coal Co., Crumpler, W. Va., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1073) thereon.

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Patents, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment:

H. R. 4410. An act granting a renewal of Patent No. 54296 relating to the badge of the American Legion; and

H. R. 4413. An act granting a renewal of Patent No. 55398 relating to the badge of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3558) for the relief of Capt. Walter S. Bramble, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1074) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1073) for the relief of John F. Hatfield, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1075) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3123) to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1076) thereon.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent, reports were submitted, as follows:

Mr. Sheppard, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of First Lt. Oscar John Ogren to be first lieutenant in the Dental Corps, and certain other nominations for appointment in the Regular Army, reported them favorably.

Mr. Trammell, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Lt. Col. Paul A. Capron to be colonel, and certain other nominations for appointment in the Marine Corps, reported them favorably.

Mr. King, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of John Dickinson to be an Assistant Attorney General, reported it favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Wilcie G. Hoel to be postmaster at Peoria, Ariz., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the nomination of Andrew J. Roper to be postmaster at Saltillo, Miss., reported it adversely.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3244) relating to the Oregon-Washington Bridge Board of Trustees; and

A bill (S. 3245) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Columbia River at Astoria, Clatsop County, Oreg.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3246) granting a pension and relief to Mary H. Denison; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 3247) to amend title II of the National Industrial Recovery Act as amended by the Emergency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1935, and as extended by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 3248) to improve the Government service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Civil Service.

(By request.) A bill (S. 3249) to create an Industrial Commission on Negro Affairs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 3250) to prohibit the acquisition by the United States of any land located in any State without the consent of such State; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

POST-OFFICE FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 169), which was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads:

Resolved, That the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads of the Senate, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, shall, during the recess of the Congress, examine into the matter of fixtures and equipment in post offices and rentals therefor, and all other questions pertaining thereto, the expenses incurred in pursuance thereof, not to exceed $3,000, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE IN UNITED STATES COURTS

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 170), which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

Resolved, That in addition to the authority conferred upon the special committee of the Senate to investigate the administration of receivership and bankruptcy proceedings in the courts of the United States, created under Senate Resolution No. 78, Seventy-third Congress, first session, agreed to June 13, 1933, and supplemented by Senate Resolution No. 72, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to February 15, 1935, said committee shall have authority to make a full and complete investigation of the administration of justice in the courts of the United States. The Department of Justice

is requested to furnish to the committee such investigators and legal assistants as the committee may require in its investigation.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Filled Milk Act; and Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College, Goodwell, Okla.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Col. Richard M. Cutts; and R. H. Quynn; to the Committee on Claims.

Foods and Drugs Act of 1906; and Trading with the Enemy Act, section 24; to the Committee on Commerce.

Act to extend the period of restriction in lands of certain members of the Five Civilized Tribes, May 10, 1928, section 3; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Everglades National Park, Fla.; and Fort McHenry, Md.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Textiles and other materials, protection by registration of designs; to the Committee on Patents.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Rayburn, Mr. Huddleston, Mr. Lea of California, Mr. Cooper of Ohio, and Mr. Holmes managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 4751. An act to amend section 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

H. R. 4760. An act to increase the statutory limit of expenditure for repairs or changes to naval vessels.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5599) to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6453) to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", and so forth, as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. McReynolds, Mr. Bloom, and Mr. Fish managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed five enrolled bills, viz, S. 883, S. 2779, H. R. 2566, H. R. 5393, and H. R. 5599, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, House Joint Resolution 347, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 883. An act directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 70 years;

S. 2779. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska;

H. R. 2566. An act for the relief of Percy C. Wright;

H. R. 5393. An act for the relief of Moses Israel;

H. R. 5599. An act to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 347. Joint resolution to provide for the compensation of pages of the Senate and House of Representatives from July 1, 1935, until the close of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 11, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1206. An act authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

S. 2220. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light;

S. 2378. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.;

S. 2846. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired; and

S. 2966. An act to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes.

EQUITABLE USE OF WATERS OF RIO GRANDE

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6453) to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", and so forth, as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Pittman,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Pittman, Mr. Connally, and Mr. Johnson.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the committee amendment, on page 11, lines 4 and 5, striking out the words "and not including fruits for canning",

The consideration of the amendment was, by unanimous consent, postponed for 1 hour.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, on page 11, lines 6 and 7, inserting the words *soybeans, hops, package bees and queen bees, poultry,* and a comma,

On motion by Mr. Duffy to amend the amendment by striking out the word "hops" and the comma, and, by unanimous consent, to amend the committee amendment, on page 16, beginning in line 11, by striking out the words "hops and their products",

Ordered by unanimous consent, That the two amendments be considered together.

The reported amendment, on page 11, line 6, was amended on the motion of Mr. McNary, by inserting after the word "hops" and the comma the words *not including the products thereof* and a comma; and

Mr. Duffy's amendment, on page 16, line 11, was also amended, by unanimous consent, on the motion of Mr. McNary, by striking out the words " and their products ",

After debate,

The amendment proposed by Mr. Duffy, on page 11, line 6, and his amendment, as amended, on page 16, line 11, were agreed to.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the amendments proposed by Mr. Duffy was reconsidered.

The question being again taken on agreeing to the said amendments, viz, on page 11, line 6, strike out " hops, not including the products thereof,"; and on page 16, line 11, strike out the word " hops " and the comma,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 48 / Nays 34}

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hatch, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Neely, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, Keyes, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Wheeler, and White.

So Mr. Duffy's amendments were agreed to.

The two reported amendments, as amended, were agreed to.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the foregoing amendments, as amended, was reconsidered.

Pending debate,

The period of 1 hour having expired,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the reported amendment on page 11, line 4, striking out after the word " apples " the words " and not including fruits for canning."

Pending debate,

Mr. Trammell raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Adams in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendment,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 29 / Nays 46}

On motion by Mr. George,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pope, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Truman.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Brown, Bulkley, Byrd, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Harrison, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Neely, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammel, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, and White.

So the reported amendment was not agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 16, line 11, was also disagreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the reported amendment, as amended, on page 11, beginning in line 6,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Smith, at 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JULY 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, July 12, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

JUDICIAL DISTRICTS IN MICHIGAN

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 64, agreed to March 13, 1935, a report as to the advisability of redistricting the State of Michigan with reference to United States District Courts; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

PULPWOOD, PULP, AND PAPER REQUIREMENTS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 205 (73d Cong.), a report on national pulp and paper requirements in relation to forest conservation; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, and, with the accompanying illustrations, ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey memorializing Congress to reduce taxes on distilled spirits and requesting Congress to call a conference between its representatives and representatives of the several States to consider the proper relationship between Federal and State taxes on alcoholic beverages; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the board of supervisors of Seneca County, N. Y., favoring appropriations for the repair of roads and bridges damaged in central New York by cloudburst; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution adopted by the seventeenth annual convention of the New York County Organization of the American Legion favoring the passage of legislation relating to the universal draft and the conscription of capital, industry, and man power in the event of, and for the duration of war; and

A resolution adopted at West Seneca, N. Y., by the convention of the American Legion of Erie County, N. Y., remonstrating against any curtailment of personnel in the armed forces of the country; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1042) for the relief of J. R. Collie and Eleanor Y. Collins, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1077) thereon.

Mr. Bilbo, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3641. An act to amend section 559 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restrictions on residence of members of the fire department (Rept. No. 1078); and

H. R. 3642. An act to amend section 483 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the Police Department (Rept. No. 1079).

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 170) authorizing the Special Committee to Investigate the Administration of Bankruptcy and Receivership Proceedings in United States Courts to investigate the administration of justice in such courts, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2868) to provide for the reappointment of Harrison S. Markham as a second lieutenant, United States Army, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1080) thereon.

Mr. Hastings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3097) relating to interest and usury affecting parties under the jurisdiction of courts of the United States functioning in countries where the United States exercises extraterritorial jurisdiction, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1081) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3020) for the relief of A. E. Taplin, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1082) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3227) to amend section 3 of the act approved May 10, 1928, entitled "An act to extend the period of restriction in lands of certain members of the Five Civilized Tribes, and for other purposes ", as amended February 14, 1931, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2578) authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1084) thereon.

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1085) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3251) for the relief of Lowrenza D. Johnston; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 3252) to provide for recovery of compensation for taking property, and for damage to the same from overflow, water seepage, water percolation, or interference with drainage, and for interference with the sewer, drainage, or flood protection system of any municipality, and to any legally organized drainage or levee district, by the construction, maintenance, or operation of any dam, structure, or other improvement by the United States in or along navigable streams and inland waterways for the improvement of navigation thereon, and to provide for the prosecution of claims against the United States therefor and payment of judgments; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Capper (by request):

A bill (S. 3253) to aid in alleviating the loss caused by sickness; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3254) to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3255) granting a pension to James C. Ross; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 3256) for the relief of James H. Robinson; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3257) to amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3258) to amend section 304 of the Revised Statutes, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Clark and Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 3259) to prohibit officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps from making public statements, or publishing articles relating to international affairs without express authority; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 3260) to amend Public Law No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver, issue silver certificates, and for other purposes "; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3261) to amend the "Communications Act of 1934"; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 160) to create a commission to study and report on the feasibility of establishing a national monument, or monuments, in the territory occupied by the Spanish Colonial Missions and other buildings, in the States of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Florida, and Louisiana; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 312. An act for the relief of Lilian G. Frost;

S. 377. An act to grant to the Utah Gilsonite Co. the right to use a water well on certain public lands in Utah;

S. 428. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;

S. 475. An act for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman;

S. 1036. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;

S. 1054. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.;

S. 1099. An act for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;

S. 1290. An act for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.;

S. 1446. An act for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;

S. 1447. An act for the relief of Mary C. Moran;

S. 1498. An act for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;

S. 1499. An act for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;

S. 1566. An act for the relief of Carl C. Christensen;

S. 1872. An act for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck;

S. 2292. An act for the relief of Emanuel Wallin; and

S. 2487. An act for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3512) for the relief of H. B. Arnold.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 239. An act for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.; and

S. 780. An act for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co. Co.

The House has passed the bill (S. 884) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 830. An act for the relief of Sanford Madison Strange;

H. R. 921. An act for the relief of Edgar Sampson;

H. R. 1286. An act for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell);

H. R. 1437. An act for the relief of August A. Carminati;

H. R. 1702. An act for the relief of the Hermosa-Redondo Hospital, C. Max Anderson, Julian O. Wilke, Curtis A. Wherry, Hollie B. Murray, Ruth M. Laird, Sigrid I. Olsen, and Stella S. Guy;

H. R. 2165. An act for the relief of Charles A. Gettys;

H. R. 2319. An act for the relief of Oswald Orlando;

H. R. 2393. An act for the relief of John P. Smith, deceased;

H. R. 2394. An act for the relief of David Hughes;

H. R. 2421. An act for the relief of John R. Allgood;

H. R. 2432. An act for the relief of the Weis-Patterson Lumber Co., Inc.;

H. R. 2476. An act to grant a patent to Albert M. Johnson and Walter Scott;

H. R. 2707. An act for the relief of Ben D. Showalter;

H. R. 2923. An act for the relief of Misner Jane Humphrey;

H. R. 2970. An act for the relief of Jose Munden;

H. R. 2982. An act for the relief of Sarah Shelton;

H. R. 3214. An act for the relief of Capt. Robert E. Coughlin;

H. R. 3282. An act for the relief of Nina Drips;

H. R. 3759. An act for the relief of E. H. Jennings;

H. R. 4047. An act granting 6 months' pay to James Zanetti;

H. R. 4084. An act for the relief of Charles D. Jeronimus;

H. R. 4846. An act to provide for the reimbursement of certain enlisted men and former enlisted men of the Marine Corps for the value of personal effects lost, damaged, or destroyed by fire at the Marine Barracks, Quantico, Va., on October 5, 1930;

H. R. 4848. An act for the relief of Charles E. Molster, disbursing clerk, Department of Commerce, and Dr. Louis H. Bauer, a former employee;

H. R. 4851. An act to provide for the reimbursement of certain civilian employees of the naval operating base, Hampton Roads, Va., for the value of tools lost in a fire at Pier No. 7 at the naval operating base on May 4, 1930;

H. R. 4852. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 4858. An act for the relief of Edward Shippen West;

H. R. 4923. An act for the relief of Maj. E. Leslie Medford, United States property and disbursing officer for Maryland;

H. R. 4999. An act for the relief of Marie Linsenmeyer;

H. R. 5097. An act for the relief of Mary E. Lord;

H. R. 5099. An act for the relief of Albert Henry George;

H. R. 5127. An act for the relief of D. E. Sweinhart;

H. R. 5750. An act for the relief of Mary Brown Raley;

H. R. 5781. An act for the relief of the widow and next of kin of James J. Curran;

H. R. 5790. An act for the relief of certain creditors of J. R. and J. A. Whelan, Inc.;

H. R. 5827. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Wyhowski, mother and guardian of Dorothy Wyhowski;

H. R. 6254. An act for the relief of David N. Aiken;

H. R. 6703. An act for the relief of Joanna Forsyth;

H. R. 6708. An act to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Flying Cross to Lt. Col. Francis T. Evans, United States Marine Corps;

H. R. 7110. An act to authorize the President to bestow the Congressional Medal of Honor upon Brig. Gen. Robert H. Dunlap, United States Marine Corps, deceased;

H. R. 7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith; and

H. J. Res. 179. Joint resolution authorizing the President to present in the name of Congress a Medal of Honor to J. Harold Arnold.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 3512, H. R. 4751, and H. R. 4760, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 3512. An act for the relief of H. B. Arnold;

H. R. 4751. An act to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

H. R. 4760. An act limiting expenditures for repairs or changes to naval vessels.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, on page 11, beginning in line 6, inserting

after the comma the following: *soybeans, package bees and queen bees, poultry* and a comma;

And having been further amended on the motion of Mr. Pope and the motion of Mr. King, the reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 16, beginning in line 11, was also further amended on the motion of Mr. Pope and the motion of Mr. King.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

Mr. Borah entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 11, line 6, as amended.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, on page 16, begining in line 11,

The further consideration of the said amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment inserting on page 18, after line 20, a new paragraph relating to minimum prices,

Pending debate,

BARLOW-MOORE TOBACCO CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Maloney in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 239) for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Logan,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bills and joint resolution this day received from the House of Representaitves for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 830, H. R. 921, H. R. 1437, H. R. 1702, H. R. 2319, H. R. 2421, H. R. 2432, H. R. 2707, H. R. 2970, H. R. 2982, H. R. 3282, H. R. 3759, H. R. 4846, H. R. 4848, H. R. 4851, H. R. 4852, H. R. 4923, H. R. 4999, H. R. 5097, H. R. 5127, H. R. 5750, H. R. 5781, H. R. 5790, H. R. 5827, and H. R. 7577 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bills H. R. 1286, H. R. 2393, H. R. 2394, H. R. 3214, and H. R. 4858 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bills H. R. 2165, H. R. 2923, H. R. 4047, H. R. 4084, H. R. 5099, H. R. 6254, H. R. 6708, and H. R. 7110, and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 179 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; and that the bills H. R. 2476 and H. R. 6703 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 12, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 883. An act directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 70 years; and

S. 2779. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska.

STANDARD DREDGING CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 780) for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment inserting on page 18, after line 20, a new paragraph relating to minimum prices,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrd raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Gerry raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed 18 enrolled bills, viz, S. 239, S. 312, S. 377, S. 428, S. 475, S. 780, S. 1036, S. 1054, S. 1099, S. 1290, S. 1446, S. 1447, S. 1498, S. 1499, S. 1566, S. 1872, S. 2292, and S. 2487, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 239. An act for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.;

S. 312. An act for the relief of Lillian G. Frost;

S. 377. An act to grant to the Utah Gilsonite Co. the right to use a water well on certain public lands in Utah;

S. 428. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;

S. 475. An act for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman;

S. 780. An act for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.;

S. 1036. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;

S. 1054. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.;

S. 1099. An act for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;

S. 1290. An act for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.;
S. 1446. An act for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;
S. 1447. An act for the relief of Mary C. Moran;
S. 1498. An act for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;
S. 1499. An act for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;
S. 1566. An act for the relief of Carl C. Christensen;
S. 1872. An act for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck;
S. 2292. An act for the relief of Emanuel Wallin; and
S. 2487. An act for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

LT. COMDR. G. C. MANNING

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 884) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 16, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quroum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN VARIOUS STATES

The Vice President laid before the Senate six communications from the Vice Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of Colorado, Florida, South Dakota, Montana, New Jersey, Arizona, Tennessee, Alabama, Minnesota, Kentucky, North Carolina, Indiana, Wisconsin, Virginia, Kansas, Georgia, Louisiana, and Connecticut on January 1, 1935, which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Borah presented a telegram from Gene Buck, of Great Neck, N. Y., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 3047, to amend the copyright act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented copies of communications addressed to the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs by the Secretary of War with reference to Senate Resolution 163 (74th Cong., 1st sess.), providing for action by the Philippine Legislature for the effective protection of American textiles in the Philippine market; which, with the accompanying papers, were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

REPORT OF BOARD OF VISITORS TO MILITARY ACADEMY

Mr. Sheppard presented a report submitted to him, as Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, by the members on the part of the Senate of the Board of Visitors to the Military Academy.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 15, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 239. An act for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.;
S. 312. An act for the relief of Lillian G. Frost;
S. 377. An act to grant to the Utah Gilsonite Co. the right to use a water well on certain public lands in Utah;
S. 428. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;
S. 475. An act for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman;
S. 780. An act for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.;
S. 1036. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;
S. 1054. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.;
S. 1099. An act for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;
S. 1290. An act for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.;
S. 1446. An act for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;
S. 1447. An act for the relief of Mary C. Moran;
S. 1498. An act for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;
S. 1499. An act for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;
S. 1566. An act for the relief of Carl C. Christensen;
S. 1872. An act for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck;
S. 2292. An act for the relief of Emanuel Wallin; and
S. 2487. An act for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3049) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1086) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was rereferred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention, establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission", reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1087) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2137) to provide for the appointment of one additional district judge for the eastern, northern, and western districts of Oklahoma, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1088) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3072) to amend the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1089) thereon.

Mr. La Follette, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 5229. An act directing the Secretary of the Interior to investigate, hear, and determine claims of the individual members of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians of the State of Wisconsin (Rept. No. 1090); and

H. R. 5230. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear claims of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians (Rept. No. 1091).

S. 3210. A bill to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States (Rept. No. 1092).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 3262) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3263) for the relief of Max Schwartz; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3264) for the relief of A. E. Bostrom (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 3265) granting a pension to Alice Shelton (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3266) granting an increase of pension to Blaine E. Davis; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3267) for the relief of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3268) to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to make a lease for the Agua Caliente or Palm Springs Band of Mission Indians of California; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3269) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3270) to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 161) validating certain conveyances by Kickapoo Indians of Oklahoma made prior to February 17, 1933; providing for actions in partition in certain cases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 18, line 21.

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, withdrew the motion yesterday entered by him to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, on page 11, beginning in line 6.

Pending debate,

Mr. McKellar raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 156. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.;

S. 2904. An act to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases; and

S. 3038. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2532) to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 298. An act for the relief of Jack Page; and

H. R. 617. An act to correct the military record of Lake B. Morrison.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 5368. An act to provide for the addition of certain lands to the Chalmette National Monument, in the State of Louisiana, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6228. An act authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association;

H. R. 6361. An act to amend the Filled Milk Act;

H. R. 6512. An act to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequent to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935;

H. R. 7575. An act to legalize a bridge across Black River on United States Highway No. 60 in the town of Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Mo.;

H. R. 7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities;

H. R. 7620. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Morgan and Walsh Streets in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and a point opposite thereto in the city of East St. Louis, Ill.;

H. R. 7659. An act to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7809. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of certain free highway bridges across the Red River from Moorhead, Minn., to Fargo, N. Dak.;

H. R. 7936. An act to adjust the salaries of rural letter carriers, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8002. An act to increase the compensation of letter carriers in the village delivery service;

H. R. 8209. An act temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act; and

H. J. Res. 257. Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, as amended by the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1929, approved March 4, 1929.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bills, except H. R. 6512, and joint resolution this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 5368 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys; that the bill H. R. 6228 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bill H. R. 6361 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; that the bills H. R. 7575, H. R. 7591, H. R. 7620, H. R. 7659, and H. R. 7809 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bills H. R. 7936 and H. R. 8002 be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads; and that the bill H. R. 8209 and the joint resolution H. J. Res. 257 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 18, line 21,

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrd raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the reported amendment, viz, on page 18, after line 20, insert the following:

(G) *Fixing, or providing methods for fixing, minimum prices at which any such commodity or product thereof, or any grade, size, or quality thereof, shall be sold by the first handler thereof: Provided, That no such minimum prices shall be fixed, unless not less than 50 per centum of the volume of such commodity or product is sold by an association or associations of producers, or otherwise for the account of producers, and/or by producers who are also handlers.*

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas ---------- 40 / Nays ---------- 38 }

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Costigan, Duffy, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gore, Hale, Hatch, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McCarran, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Radcliffe, Schall, Schwellenbach, Townsend, Vandenberg, Wagner, and White.

So the reported amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, on page 16, beginning in line 11, was agreed to.

The reported amendments in part were further agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 38, beginning in line 1,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed five enrolled bills, viz, S. 156, S. 2904, S. 3038, H. R. 298, and H. R. 617, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 156. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.;

S. 2904. An act to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases;

S. 3038. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La.;

H. R. 298. An act for the relief of Jack Page; and

H. R. 617. An act for the relief of Lake B. Morrison.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 20 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 7506) to provide for a stenographic grade in the office of Chief Clerk and Superintendent in the Railway Mail Service, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 884, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 7506 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 884) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of certain World War veterans praying the passage of House Joint Resolution 300 providing for the payment of adjusted-service certificates, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of W. A. Connell, of Gaithersburg, Md., praying the passage of House bill 6990, providing for a 40-hour week in the Postal Service.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Pope presented the following joint memorials of the Legislature of the State of Idaho, which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

A joint memorial favoring combating the noxious weed menace in Idaho by putting men to work from allocations from the Works Progress Administration; and

A joint memorial favoring an appropriation for the continuance and necessary expansion of the purchase and better economic development of submarginal lands.

Mr. McCarran presented correspondence from the American Manganese Producers' Association and an article from the Washington Times of July 15, relative to the proposed or existing reciprocal trade agreement with Russia and steel imports, respectively; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Wagner presented several telegrams remonstrating against the enactment of legislation amending the Copyright Act.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4226) for the relief of Floyd Hull, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1093) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4406) for the relief of Anna Farruggia, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1094) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1422. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of William E. B. Grant (Rept. No. 1095); and

S. 1540. An act for the relief of Lester I. Conrad (Rept. No. 1096).

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon as follows:

H. R. 2421. An act for the relief of John R. Allgood (Rept. No. 1097);

H. R. 4290. An act for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler (Rept. No. 1098); and

H. R. 4718. An act for the relief of Yamato Sesoko (Rept. No. 1099).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2323) for the relief of Ida C. Buckson, executrix of E. C. Buckson, deceased, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1100) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 670. An act conferring jurisdiction in the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Gates (Rept. No. 1101);

H. R. 1541. An act for the relief of Evelyn Jotter (Rept. No. 1102);

H. R. 2122. An act for the relief of William Seader (Rept. No. 1103);

H. R. 2487. An act for the relief of Bernard McShane (Rept. No. 1104);

H. R. 3167. An act for the relief of Louis Alfano (Rept. No. 1105);

H. R. 3826. An act for the relief of John Evans (Rept. No. 1106);

H. R. 4029. An act for the relief of Thomas Enchoff (Rept. No. 1107);

H. R. 4822. An act for the relief of Thomas F. Olsen (Rept. No. 1108); and

H. R. 4853. An act for the relief of Charles H. Holtzman, former collector of customs, Baltimore, Md.; George D. Hubbard, former collector of customs, Seattle, Wash.; and William L. Thibadeau, former customs agent (Rept. No. 1109).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3186) for the relief of Edward H. Karg, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1110) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5521) for the relief of Frank Williams, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1111) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 2449. An act for the relief of Floyd L. Walter (Rept. No. 1112);

H. R. 2679. An act for the relief of Ladislav Cizek (Rept. No. 1113);

H. R. 3506. An act for the relief of George Raptis (Rept. No. 1114);

H. R. 4812. An act for the relief of Mrs. Carlysle von Thomas, Sr. (Rept. No. 1115);

H. R. 4814. An act for the relief of Lt. Col. Russell B. Putnam, United States Marine Corps (Rept. No. 1116);

H. R. 4815. An act for the relief of Jasper Daleo (Rept. No. 1117);

H. R. 4820. An act for the relief of Lawrence S. Copeland (Rept. No. 1118);

H. R. 4824. An act for the relief of Capt. George W. Steele, Jr., United States Navy (Rept. No. 1119);

H. R. 4833. An act for the relief of Ciriaco Hernandez and others (Rept. No. 1120);

H. R. 4974. An act for the relief of Rabbi Isaac Levine (Rept. No. 1121); and

H. R. 5041. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Lela C. Brady and Ira P. Brady for the losses sustained by them by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps (Rept. No. 1122).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2944) to prevent and make unlawful the practice of law before Government departments, bureaus, commissions, and their agencies by those other than duly licensed attorneys at law, reported it adversely.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1421) to amend subsection (a) of section 313 of the Tariff Act of 1930, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1123) thereon.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3179) to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern, Middle, and Western Districts of Tennessee, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1124) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 7575. An act to legalize a bridge across Black River on United States Highway No. 60 in the town of Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Mo. (Rept. No. 1125);

H. R. 7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities (Rept. No. 1126);

H. R. 7620. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Morgan and Walsh Streets in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and a point opposite thereto in the city of East St. Louis, Ill. (Rept. No. 1127);

H. R. 7659. An act to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1128); and

H. R. 7809. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of certain free highway bridges across the Red River, from Moorhead, Minn., to Fargo, N. Dak. (Rept. No. 1129).

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3086) to provide for the striking of medals, in lieu of coins, for commemorative purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1130) thereon.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (S. 3226) for the relief of Gertrude Hunter and that it be referred to the Committee on Pensions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 3271) providing for the deductibility of charitable and other contributions by corporations for the purposes of income tax; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3272) authorizing the Snake or Piute Tribe of Indians of the former Malheur Indian Reservation of Oregon to sue in the Court of Claims; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Bachman:

A bill (S. 3273) for the relief of Oswald Orlando; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Duffy:

A bill (S. 3274) for the relief of Mary Hobart; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3275) for the relief of Thomas Ernest Warren; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. La Follette (by request):

A bill (S. 3276) to provide for payment of hospital care in lieu of hospitalization or domiciliary care in certain cases, and to limit the reduction of compensation in such blind cases; to the Committee on Finance.

PROCEEDINGS CONCERNING RUSH D. HOLT, SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 171), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the extracts from the Congressional Record containing the proceedings of the Senate in the seating of Rush D. Holt as Senator from West Virginia, together with the petitions and the briefs filed with the Committee on Privileges and Elections respecting said seating, be printed as a Senate document.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment on page 38, inserting lines 1 to 13, inclusive, as follows:

Specific tax rate—floor stocks—flaxseed and barley

(5) If at any time prior to December 31, 1937, any tax with respect to flaxseed, or barley becomes effective pursuant to proclamation as provided in subsection (a) of this section, such tax shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid during the period from the date upon which such tax becomes effective to December 31, 1937, both inclusive, in the case of flaxseed at the rate of 35 cents per bushel of fifty-six pounds, and in the case of barley at the rate of 25 cents per bushel of forty-eight pounds. The provisions of section 16 of this title shall not apply in the case of flaxseed and barley.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That hereafter debate be limited so that no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 30 minutes on the bill or longer than 15 minutes on any amendment.

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Johnson by adding at the end thereof certain words.

On motion by Mr. Shipstead to further amend the said amendment by inserting at the end of the amendment, as amended, certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. King raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Shipstead's amendment, on a division, was agreed to.

The reported amendment was further amended on the motion of Mr. George.

On motion by Mr. Moore to further amend the reported amendment as follows:

On page 38, line 4, strike out the words "flaxseed, or"; in lines 8, 9, and 10, strike out the words "in the case of flaxseed at the rate of 35 cents per bushel of 56 pounds,"; and in line 13, strike out the words "flaxseed and",

Pending debate,

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Moore's amendments,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 49 / Nays 33}

On motion by Mr. Nye,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Chavez, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, O'Mahoney, Overton, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bankhead, Bilbo, Borah, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Fletcher, Frazier, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Robinson, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Moore's amendments were agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Guffey to further amend the reported amendment, as follows:

On page 38, line 4, strike out "barley".

On page 38, lines 10 and 11, strike out "and in the case of barley at the rate of 25 cents per bushel of 48 pounds".

On page 38, line 13, strike out "barley".

On page 38, at the end of section 12 (b) 5, insert the following: *Amend section 6 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, by eliminating therefrom the word "barley".*

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 40 / Nays 42}

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Keyes, Lewis, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Sheppard, Steiwer, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Glass, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pope, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Truman.

So Mr. Guffey's amendments were not agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Walsh to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 18, beginning in line 21,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 48 / Nays 43}

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Overton, Radcliffe, Schall, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Costigan, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Jackson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

So the motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the said reported amendment, viz, on page 18, after line 20, insert the following:

(G) Fixing, or providing methods for fixing, minimum prices at which any such commodity or product thereof, or any grade, size, or quality thereof, shall be sold by the first handler thereof: Provided, That no such minimum prices shall be fixed, unless not less than 50 per centum of the volume of such commodity or product is sold by an association or associations of producers, or otherwise for the account of producers, and/or by producers who are also handlers.

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 41 / Nays 44}

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Costigan, Frazier, Gibson, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Overton, Radcliffe, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So the reported amendment was not agreed to.

USE OF RICE LAKE, MINN., BY CHIPPEWA INDIANS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment received yesterday from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2532) to amend an act en-

titled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes; and it insists upon its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 17, 67, 68, 83, and 84 to the said bill.

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8632) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. McSwain, Mr. Hill of Alabama, Mr. Montet, Mr. McLean, and Mr. Plumley managers at the same on its part.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Mr. Harrison submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 61, 65, 70, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 86, 90, 92, 105, and 108.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 5, 9, 16, 20, 21, 28, 39, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 60, 62, 63, 64, 66, 69, 71, 72, 82, 88, 89, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 102, 103, and 109, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 4: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 4, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *: Provided, That the State plan, in order to be approved by the Board, need not provide for financial participation before July 1, 1937, by the State, in the case of any State which the Board, upon application by the State and after reasonable notice and opportunity for hearing to the State, finds is prevented by its constitution from providing such financial participation*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 19: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 19, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *or such other agencies as the Board may approve*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 59: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 59, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: On page 8 of the Senate engrossed amendments strike out line 12 and insert in lieu thereof the following: *welfare services (hereinafter in this section referred to as "child-welfare services") for the protection and care of homeless, dependent, and neglected children, and children in danger of becoming delinquent* and a comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 73: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 73, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *If the tax is not paid when due, there shall be added as part of the tax interest (except in the case of adjustments made in accordance with the provisions of sections 802 (b) and 805) at the rate of one-half of 1 per centum per month from the date the tax became due until paid*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 74: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 74, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *together with a statement of the additional expenditures in the District of Columbia and elsewhere incurred by the Post Office Department in performing the duties imposed upon said Department by this Act, and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to advance from time to time to the credit of the Post Office Department from appropriations made for the collection of the taxes imposed by this title, such sums as may be required for such additional expenditures incurred by the Post Office Department*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 85: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 85, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *eight*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 87: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 87, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *or such other agencies as the Board may approve*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 91: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 91, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *eight*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 99: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 99, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Appropriation

Section 1001. For the purpose of enabling each State to furnish financial assistance, as far as practicable under the conditions in such State, to needy individuals who are blind, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, the sum of $3,000,000, and there is hereby authorized to be appropriated for each fiscal year thereafter a sum sufficient to carry out the purposes of this title. The sums made available under this section shall be used for making payments to States which have submitted, and had approved by the Social Security Board, State plans for aid to the blind.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 100: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 100, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

State plans for aid to the blind

Sec. 1002. (a) A State plan for aid to the blind must (1) provide that it shall be in effect in all political subdivisions of the State, and, if administered by them, be mandatory upon them; (2) provide for financial participation by the State; (3) either provide for the establishment or designation of a single State agency to administer the plan, or provide for the establishment or designation of a single State agency to supervise the administration of the plan; (4) provide for granting to any individual, whose claim for aid is denied, an opportunity for a fair hearing before such State agency; (5) provide such methods of administration (other than those relating to selection, tenure of office, and compensation of personnel) as are found by the Board to be necessary for the efficient operation of the plan; (6) provide that the State agency will make such reports, in such form and containing such information, as the Board may from time to time require, and comply with such provisions as the Board may from time to time find necessary to assure the correctness and verification of such reports; and (7) provide that no aid will be furnished any individual under the plan with respect to any period with respect to which he is receiving old-age assistance under the State plan approved under section 2 of this act.

(b) The Board shall approve any plan which fulfills the conditions specified in subsection (a), except that it shall not approve any plan which imposes, as a condition of eligibility for aid to the blind under the plan—

(1) Any residence requirements which excludes any resident of the State who has resided therein five years during the nine years immediately preceding the application for aid and has resided therein continuously for one year immediately preceding the application; or

(2) Any citizenship requirement which excludes any citizen of the United States.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 101: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 101, and agree to the same with the following amendments: On page 24 of the Senate engrossed amendments, line 19, strike out "permanently"; and on page 25 of the Senate engrossed amendments, line 16, strike out "permanently"; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 104: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 104, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Definition

Sec. 1006. When used in this title the term "aid to the blind" means money payments to blind individuals.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 106: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 106, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *XI*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 107: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 107, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *1101*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 110: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 110, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert *1102*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 111: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 111, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert *1103*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 112: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 112, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *1104*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 113: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 113, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *1105*; and the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the title of the bill, and agree to the same.

The committee of conference have not agreed on the following amendments: Amendments numbered 17, 67, 68, 83, and 84.

PAT HARRISON,
WILLIAM H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
HENRY W. KEYES,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAM B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ISAAC BACHARACH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its action on the amendments of the Senate numbered 17, 67, 68, 83, ad 84 to the bill H. R. 7260.

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That the Senate further insist upon the said amendments and ask a further conference with the House of Representatives on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 45, beginning in line 17,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes to amend the amendment by inserting in lieu of the language contained in said amendment certain other words,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 3 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: I am directed by the House of Representatives to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act author-

izing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602).

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5917) to appoint an additional circuit judge for the ninth judicial circuit.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS CAMPS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, in response to Senate Resolution 159, agreed to June 24, 1935, a report giving information concerning Civilian Conservation Corps camps in Tennessee, which, with the accompanying report, was ordered to lie on the table.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Tydings presented petitions of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of the State of New York praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted at Croton-on-Hudson, N. Y., by an assembly of citizens held under the auspices of the American League Against War and Fascism remonstrating against all manifestations of war and preparations leading thereto and favoring total disarmament; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A resolution adopted by the Italian-American Society of Croton-on-Hudson, N. Y., remonstrating against the passage of House bill 8731, providing for the deportation of alien workers; to the Committee on Immigration.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3140. A bill to provide that funds allocated to Puerto Rico under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 may be expended for permanent rehabilitation, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1131); and

H. R. 8209. A bill temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the Government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act (Rept. No. 1132).

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4507) to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Park, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1133) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3269) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1134) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3277) authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem River and tributaries, in Clatsop, Columbia, and Washington Counties, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3278) to provide for the construction of the Tennessee Valley and Tombigbee River Inland Waterway, and for other purposes; and

A bill (S. 3279) authorizing the city of Natchez and the county of Adams, State of Mississippi, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Natchez, State of Mississippi; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3280) for the relief of Doris Allen; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3281) to amend the act of February 16, 1929, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to readjust the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Public Health Service', approved June 10, 1922, as amended"; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Frazier:

A bill (S. 3282) to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the United States of America, and for other purposes; and

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 162) to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the United States of America, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 163) to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

INVESTIGATION OF DECLINE OF COTTON PRICES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 172), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Resolved, That in addition to the authority conferred upon the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, under Senate Resolution No. 103, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to March 16, 1935, and Senate Resolution No. 125, agreed to May 7, 1935, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, shall have authority to investigate, with a view to determining whether there has been any manipulation, direct or indirect, of the cotton markets, or any undue influence thereupon in connection with the issuance or publication of cotton reports or statements, (1) the causes of the decline of the price of cotton on the cotton exchanges on, prior, and subsequent to March 11, 1935, and (2) the activities of the Department of Agriculture, cotton exchanges, cotton merchants, cotton brokers, cotton millers, bankers, and any other persons, firms, or corporations connected with the cotton business on, prior, and subsequent to March 11, 1935.

The said committee shall report to the Senate at the earliest practicable date the result of its investigation, together with its recommendations for the enactment of necessary legislation.

For the purpose of this resolution and Senate Resolution 103 and 125, the said committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is hereby authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses, and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per 100 words. The limit of expenditures to be made under the authority of this resolution, as well as under the aforesaid Senate Resolutions 103 and 125, is hereby increased by $———, and shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers to be approved by the Chairman of said Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Byrnes to the reported amendment beginning on page 45, line 17,

Mr. Byrnes withdrew his proposed amendment.

The reported amendment was then disagreed to.

The reported amendment on page 49, beginning in line 19, was also disagreed to.

The reported amendment beginning on page 54, line 21, was amended on the motion of Mr. Carey and, as amended, agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1309. An act to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes;

S. 2326. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to sell to the Eagle Pass & Piedras Negras Bridge Co. a portion of the Eagle Pass Military Reservation, Tex., and for other purposes; and

S. 2965. An act to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920.

The House further insists upon its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 17, 67, 68, 83, and 84 to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment-compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes; it agrees to the further conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Doughton, Mr. Sam B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 2532, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 2532) to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL UNITED STATES JUDGES

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill H. R. 5917, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, and 3, and agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the title of the bill, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the amended title proposed by the Senate, amend the title so as to read: "An act to provide for the appointment of additional United States judges"; and the Senate agree to the same.

WILLIAM H. KING,
W. G. MCADOO,
WM. E. BORAH,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

A. J. MONTAGUE,
WESLEY LLOYD,
U. S. GUYER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, beginning on page 57, line 22,

Pending debate,

Mr. Vandenberg raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Norris to amend the reported amendment by inserting, on page 58, line 15, after the word "amendment", certain words,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the reported amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 66, line 15, striking out section 31,

Mr. Connally proposed an amendment inserting certain language in lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out.

Pending debate,

Mr. Connally's amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Johnson by striking out, on page 1, line 9, the word "major."

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Connally's amendment, as amended, viz, in lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out beginning on page 66, line 15, down to and including line 22, on page 57, insert the following:

Sec. 32. There is authorized to be appropriated for each fiscal year an amount equal to 30 per centum of the gross receipts from duties collected under the customs laws during the period January 1 to December 31, both inclusive, preceding the beginning of such fiscal year. Sums appropriated in pursuance of such authorization shall be maintained in a separate fund and shall be used by the Secretary of Agriculture only to: (1) Encourage the exportation of agricultural commodities and products thereof by the payment of benefits in connection with the exportation thereof or of indemnities for losses incurred in connection with such exportation or by payments to producers in connection with the production of that part of any agricultural commodity required for domestic consumption; (2) encourage the domestic consumption of such commodities or products by diverting them, by the payment of benefits or indemnities or by other means, from the normal channels of trade and commerce; (3) purchase or lease, on behalf of the United States, submarginal agricultural and grazing lands; (4) finance adjustments in the quantity planted or produced for market of agricultural commodities. The amounts appropriated in pursuance of this section shall be expended for such of the above-specified purposes, and at such times, in such manner, and in such amounts as the Secretary of Agriculture finds will tend to eliminate unprofitable agricultural and grazing lands, bring about the utilization of only such lands as can be profitably utilized, increase the exportation of agricultural commodities and products thereof, and increase the domestic consumption of agricultural commodities and products thereof: Provided, That no part of the funds authorized to be appropriated by this section shall be expended pursuant to (3) or (4) hereof unless the Secretary of Agriculture determines that the expenditure of such part pursuant to clauses (1) and (2) is not necessary to effectuate the purposes of this section: Provided further, That no part of the funds authorized to be appropriated by this section shall be used for the payment of benefits in connection with the exportation of unmanufactured cotton.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 34 / Nays 41

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bailey, Bankhead, Bilbo, Borah, Bulow, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Hastings, Hatch, Johnson, La Follette, McCarran, McGill, Murray, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Pope, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Vandenberg, and Van Nuys.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Caraway, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Keyes, King, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Tydings, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Connally's amendment, as amended, was not agreed to.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, resumed the consideration of the reported amendment beginning on page 57, line 22.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment thereto proposed by Mr. Norris on page 58, line 15, inserting after the word "amendment" certain words,

Mr. Norris withdrew the said amendment.

On motion by Mr. Norris, and by unanimous consent,

The reported amendment beginning on page 60, line 21, was reconsidered.

An amendment inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, certain other words having been proposed by Mr. George,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 38 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITION AND MEMORIAL

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Central Society of America, New York State branch, of Brooklyn, N. Y., favoring the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Warsaw, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation to remove the income-tax exemption from municipal securities; to the Committee on Finance.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 17, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 156. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.;

S. 884. An act for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning;

S. 2904. An act to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases; and

S. 3038. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2166) for the relief of Ludwig Larson, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1135) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1483. A bill for the relief of William E. Williams (Rept. No. 1136); and

S. 2618. A bill for the relief of James M. Montgomery (Rept. No. 1137).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1124) for the relief of Anna Carroll Taussig, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1138) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2719. A bill for the relief of Capt. Guy L. Hartman (Rept. No. 1139); and

H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry (Rept. No. 1140).

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 163) to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1141) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 172) to investigate the causes of the decline of cotton prices on, prior, and subsequent to March 11, 1935, and activities of persons connected with the cotton business, reported it with an amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3145) authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Samuel Woodfill a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1142) thereon.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2456) to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the northern and southern districts of West Virginia, reported it without amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3283) for the relief of the Baker-Whitely Coal Co.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3284) to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Dexter P. Reynolds; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 3285) fixing the liability of owners of vessels; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3286) to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); and

A bill (S. 3287) to provide for the licensing of importers of watches, watch movements, and watch parts, to protect the revenue, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3288) consolidating certain forestry branches and other divisions and services in a separate bureau of the Department of Agriculture to be known as the "Bureau of Forestry"; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 3289) to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 Reunion at Amarillo, Tex.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Overton:

A bill (S. 3290) to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to the Louisiana Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Ouachita River at or near Monroe, La.", approved January 26, 1925; and

A bill (S. 3291) to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to the Louisiana Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Red River at or near Alexandria, La.", approved January 15, 1931; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3292) to provide for the impounding, conserving, and making use of the unappropriated waters of the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3293) providing old-age pensions for Indians of the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Tydings:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 164) to authorize the selection of a site and the erection thereon of a suitable monument indicating the historical significance of the first entrance into the city of Washington of a steam railroad, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Barkley:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 165) directing the Architect of the Capitol to accept a copy of the painting Liev Eiriksson Discovers America; to the Committee on the Library.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7590) to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. George to the reported amendment beginning on page 60, line 21,

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Pending debate,

Mr. Bankhead raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Ninety Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. George, viz, in lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted on page 61, line 15, down to and including line 12, on page 62, as follows:

"(d) No recovery, refund, or credit shall be made or allowed of any amount of any tax which accrued on or after the date of the adoption of this amendment (and, in case any part or application of subsection (a) of this section is held invalid, which may have heretofore accrued) under this title (including any overpayment of such tax), unless the claimant establishes to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, or in the case of a judicial proceeding establishes in such proceeding, (1) that he has not included such amount in the price of the article with respect to which it was imposed or of any article processed from the commodity with respect to which it was imposed, that he has not collected from the vendee any part of such amount, and that the price paid to the producer was not reduced by such amount, or (2) that he has repaid such amount to the ultimate purchaser of the article, or in case the price paid to the producer was reduced by such amount, to such producer; nor shall any judgment or decree be entered by any Federal or State court for damages for the collection thereof, unless the claimant establishes the foregoing facts, in addition to all other facts required to be established. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to any refund or credit under subsection (a) or (c) of section 15, section 16, or section 17."

Insert the following:

(d) No recovery, recoupment, set-off, refund, or credit shall be made or allowed of, nor shall any counter claim be allowed for, any amount of any tax, penalty, or interest which accrued before, on, or after the date of the adoption of this amendment under this title (including any overpayment of such tax), unless the claimant establishes to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, or in the case of a judicial proceeding establishes in such proceeding (1) that he has not included such amount in the price of the article with respect to which it was imposed or of any article processed from the commodity with respect to which it was imposed, that he has not collected from the vendee any part of such amount, and that the price paid to the producer was not reduced by any part of such amount, or (2) that he has repaid such amount to the ultimate purchaser of the article, or in case the price paid to the producer was reduced by such amount, to such producer; nor shall any judgment or decree be entered by any Federal or State court for damages for the collection thereof, unless the claimant establishes the foregoing facts, in (1) or (2) as the case may be, in addition to all other facts required to be established. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to any refund or credit under subsection (a) or (c) of section 15, section 16, or section 17 of this title, or to any refund or credit to the processor of any tax paid by him with respect to articles exported pursuant to the provisions of section 317 of the Tariff Act of 1930.

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 61, Nays 23

On motion by Mr. George,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bankhead, Bilbo, Black, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Caraway, Connally, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Holt, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Robinson, Russell, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Truman.

So Mr. George's amendment was agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the reported amendment, beginning on page 57, line 22, striking out part of subdivision (a) and inserting in lieu thereof certain words.

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The amendment was divided.

On the question of agreeing to the first branch of the amendment, striking out all after "(a)", in line 22, down to and including the period in line 3, page 58 (being House text),

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question of agreeing to the second branch of the amendment, inserting in lieu of the foregoing matter certain words,

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Smith asked and obtained unanimous consent to consider the remainder of subdivision (a), beginning on page 58, line 16, and extending down to and including line 5, on page 59.

On motion by Mr. George to strike out the foregoing matter,

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Truman to reconsider the vote agreeing to the reported amendment inserting on page 38, lines 1 to 14, as amended, relating to a tax on barley,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 33, Nays 52

On motion by Mr. Frazier,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Coolidge, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Keyes, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, Metcalf, Moore, Radcliffe, Steiwer, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Connally, Costigan, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Tydings, and Wheeler.

So the motion to reconsider was not agreed to.

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 63, beginning in line 3, was reconsidered by unanimous consent; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Smith,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, proposed an amendment on page 19, line 18, inserting after the word "agencies" certain words; and having been subsequently modified by him,

The amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 38, line 15, was reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Copeland to amend the said amendment by striking out certain language therein,

After debate,

It was determined in the negative.

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Bailey and, as amended, agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Russell to reconsider the vote disagreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 45, line 17, providing for a compensatory tax on rayon,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, SATURDAY, JULY 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, AND NEBRASKA

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Vice Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of Missouri, Oklahoma, and Nebraska on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Portland, Oreg., urging the location of an air base in the State of Oregon; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted at Ocean City, N. J., by the American Shore and Beach Preservation Association remonstrating against the enactment of legislation transferring river and harbor work from the Corps of Engineers, War Department.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Keyes presented petitions of citizens of the State of New Hampshire praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Capper presented petitions of citizens of the State of Kansas praying the enactment of legislation establishing a retirement system for railroad employees.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of the New Bedford (Mass.) Board of Commerce praying the passage of House bill 8603, known as the "antidumping act"; and

Petitions of several organizations of the State of Massachusetts praying the passage of proposed amendments to the present income-tax laws to permit deduction from gross income of charitable and other contributions; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Chelsea, Mass., remonstrating against the requirement that 90 percent of the personnel of the Civilian Conservation Corps camps be taken from relief rolls; to the Committee on Appropriations.

A petition of the Massachusetts State Federation of Federal Employees Unions praying the enactment of legislation providing 30 days annual and 15 days sick leave for Federal employees; to the Committee on Civil Service.

A resolution adopted by the Ladies Auxiliary Division, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Holyoke, Mass., remonstrating against religious persecutions in Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A memorial of the New England Traffic League, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 2573, providing for Government ownership of railroads; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A communication from Frank W. Barber, of Springfield, Mass., outlining the needs of the older-youth group, with an accompanying paper; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by the mayor and Board of Aldermen of Somerville, Mass., favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials:

A petition of Branch No. 9, National Association of Post Office and Railway Mail Service Laborers, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing benefits to such laborers;

A petition of members of the Railroad Employees and Tax Payers Association of Massachusetts, praying the passage of legislation providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating in interstate and foreign commerce;

A petition of the Boston and Albany Railroad Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, praying the passage of legislation providing a retirement system for railroad employees;

A petition of Branch 34, National Association of Letter Carriers, of Boston, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing for a 40-hour week for postal employees; and

A memorial of the New England Traffic League remonstrating against the passage of Senate bill 2944, to limit the practice of law before Government departments or agencies by other than duly licensed attorneys at law.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Lonergan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2044) for the refund of income and profits erroneously collected, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1143) thereon.

Mr. Pope, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3183) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to make all varieties of potatoes included in the species Solanum tuberosum a basic agricultural commodity, to raise revenue by imposing a tax on the first sale of such potatoes, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1144) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 3294) to amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, to permit payments to the estates of veterans in certain cases; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3295) to amend sections 181 and 186 of the Criminal Code; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 3296) to provide for the payment to the American War Mothers of interest on the fund known as the "Recreation Fund, Army"; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 3297) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near St. Charles, Mo.; and

A bill (S. 3298) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Arrow Rock, Mo.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3299) to authorize the construction of a bridge as a memorial to Calvin Coolidge; to the Committee on the Library.

ADDITIONAL CLERK FOR COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 173), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Committee on Immigration hereby is authorized to employ for the remainder of the present session an assistant clerk to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate at the rate of $2,400 per annum.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the motion yesterday made by Mr. Russell to reconsider the vote disagreeing to the following reported amendment, viz, on page 45, after line 16, insert the following:

Sec. 15. Section 9 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(g) There shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid (during any period after the date of the adoption of this amendment when a processing tax is in effect with respect to cotton) a processing tax on the first domestic processing of any material which results in the production of rayon or other synthetic yarn, at the rate of 125 per centum of the per pound rate of the processing tax which is then in effect on cotton.

"(1) The tax shall be measured by the yield in pounds of finished rayon or other synthetic yarn.

"(2) The term 'first domestic processing of any material which results in the production of rayon or other synthetic yarn' means that amount and degree of manufacturing or other processing of such material from the spinnerette up to the point where the rayon or other synthetic yarn is in form either to be packaged and sold as such, or to be used in further manufacturing or other processing.

"(3) The term 'rayon or other synthetic yarn' means yarn suitable for commercial winding of a denier size exceeding one hundred and twelve deniers. The term 'rayon yarn' shall not be deemed to include rayon ropes of more than five hundred filaments.

"(4) The provisions of paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of section 16 shall not apply in the case of rayon or other synthetic yarn, or the products thereof."

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 15 / Nays 62}

On motion by Mr. Russell,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bankhead, Black, Bulow, Connally, Duffy, Frazier, George, McGill, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Russell, Shipstead, and Trammell.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Pope, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Russell's motion was not agreed to.

The reported amendment on page 64, beginning in line 1, was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment beginning on page 64, line 20, striking out section 30,

Mr. La Follette proposed an amendment, inserting certain language in lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out; and he subsequently modified his amendment.

Pending debate,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the reported amendment on page 71, inserting lines 12 to 18, inclusive (sec. 39); and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Bilbo, the reported amendment as amended was agreed to.

The consideration of Mr. La Follette's amendment, as modified, was resumed.

Pending debate,

ORDER FOR RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate completes its labors today it take a recess until 10 o'clock a. m. on Monday next.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS UNDER FAIR COMPETITION CODES

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 163) to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read the third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 2 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, pursuant to its order of today, took a recess, as in legislative session, until 10 o'clock a. m. on Monday next.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, JULY 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Saturday, July 20, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Wagner presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Mill Rock Post, No. 716, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of New York City, favoring the continuance of radio station WVFW; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A petition of Flushing Auxiliary to Post No. 536, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, of Flushing, N. Y., praying the passage of legislation to authorize the deportation of criminals, etc.; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Wagner presented the following petition and memorials:

A telegram from the chairman of the legislative committee of the American Hotel Association favoring, and a communication from Carl Engel, of New York City, and a telegram from Arthur Freed, of Hollywood, Calif., remonstrating against the passage of legislation amending the Copyright Act.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a resolution adopted by the Federation of Republican Women's Clubs of Prince Georges County, Md., favoring the passage of House bill 5541, to provide for the regulation of the display of the American flag on Government buildings of the United States and the District of Columbia; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 19, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 2532) to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1145) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, who were directed by Senate Resolution 228 (73d Cong., 2d sess.) to examine into the relationship existing between contractors and their employees engaged in the construction of buildings or works financed in whole or in part by the United States, and continued by Senate Resolution 40, agreed to January 14, 1935, submitted an additional report; which was ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 332.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works (Rept. No. 1146); and

H. R. 8270. An act to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1147).

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. McKellar, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the nomination of Florence M. Borman to be postmaster at Clermont, Fla., and certain other post-office nominations, reported them favorably.

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. Trammell, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the nomination of Francis A. L. Vossler to be a captain in the Navy, and certain other naval nominations, reported them favorably.

As in executive session, and by unanimous consent,

Mr. King, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following nominations, reported them favorably:

Francis M. Brooks, of Hawaii, to be fourth judge, first circuit, Territory of Hawaii;

Emil C. Peters, of Hawaii, to be associate justice, Supreme Court, Territory of Hawaii; and

Edward M. Watson, of Hawaii, to be United States district judge, district of Hawaii.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3300) granting a pension to Lee A. Smith (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3301) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 3302) for the relief of Maj. Wilbur Rogers; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3303) to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3304) extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act to John Milton Floyd; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. La Follette, as modified, inserting certain language in lieu of the language contained in section 30, beginning on page 64, line 20, proposed to be stricken out,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette further modified his amendment.

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. La Follette's amendment, as modified, viz, in lieu of the language beginning on page 64, line 20, extending down to and including line 13, on page 66 (sec. 30), proposed to be stricken out, insert the following:

Sec. 30. The Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, is amended by inserting after section 21 the following:

"Imports

"Sec. 22. (a) Whenever the President has reason to believe that any one or more articles are being imported into the United States under such conditions and in sufficient quantities as to render or tend to render ineffective or materially interfere with any program or operation undertaken under

this title or to reduce or tend to reduce the amount of any commodity processed in the United States subject to this title, he shall cause an immediate investigation to be made by the United States Tariff Commission, which shall give precedence to investigations under this section to determine such facts. Such investigation shall be made after due notice and opportunity for hearing to interested parties and shall be conducted subject to such regulations as the President shall specify.

"(b) If, on the basis of such investigation and report to him of findings and recommendations made in connection therewith, the President finds the existence of such facts, he shall by proclamation impose such limitations on the total quantities of any article or articles which may be imported as he finds and declares shown by such investigation to be necessary to prescribe in order that the entry of such article or articles will not render or tend to render ineffective or materially interfere with any program or operation undertaken under this title: Provided, That no limitation shall be imposed on the total quantity of any article which may be imported from any country which reduces such permissible total quantity to less than 50 per centum of the average annual quantity of such article which was imported from such country during the period from July 1, 1928, to June 30, 1933, both dates inclusive.

"(c) No import restriction proclaimed by the President under this section nor any revocation, suspension, or modification thereof shall become effective until fifteen days after the date of such proclamation, revocation, suspension, or modification.

"(d) Any decision of the President as to facts under this section shall be final.

"(e) After investigation, report, finding, and declaration in the manner provided in the case of a proclamation issued pursuant to subsection (b) of this section, any proclamation or provision of such proclamation may be suspended by the President whenever he finds that the circumstances requiring the proclamation or provision thereof no longer exist, or may be modified by the President whenever he finds that changed circumstances require such modification to carry out the purposes of this section."

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 60, Nays 17

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Hale, Hatch Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, La Follette, McAdoo, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Black, Byrnes, Caraway, Gerry, Glass, Harrison, King, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McKellar, Robinson, Smith, and Tydings.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment, as modified, was agreed to.

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The consideration of the reported amendment beginning on page 66, line 15, was resumed; and

It was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Borah, the motion of Mr. Johnson, and the motion of Mr. Lonergan.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler to further amend the bill by adding at the end thereof several sections relating to submarginal lands,

Pending debate,

Mr. Wheeler modified his amendment, and it was subsequently amended on the motion of Mr. McCarran.

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Wheeler's amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Smith, the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, and the motion of Mr. Byrd.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, and by unanimous consent,

The reported amendment on page 56, inserting lines 20 to 23, inclusive, was reconsidered.

The question recurring on agreeing to the amendment.

Mr. Long raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was disagreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6323) to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof.

The Speaker of the House having signed six enrolled bills, viz, S. 1309, S. 2326, S. 2965, H. R. 5917, H. R. 6323, and H. R. 7590, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1309. An act to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes;

S. 2326. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to sell to the Eagle Pass & Piedras Negras Bridge Co. a portion of the Eagle Pass Military Reservation, Tex., and for other purposes;

S. 2965. An act to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920;

H. R. 5917. An act to provide for the appointment of additional United States judges;

H. R. 6323. An act to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof; and

H. R. 7590. An act to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Bailey.

On motion by Mr. McCarran to add at the end of the bill the following:

Sec. —. No foreign trade agreement entered into as of the date of the enactment of this act under the provisions of section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930 shall become effective until ratified by the Senate in the manner provided in the Constitution.

Mr. McCarran raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead. Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson to lay Mr. McCarran's amendment on the table,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, Yeas 47, Nays 30

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Holt, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Smith, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Barbour, Borah, Bulow, Capper, Carey, Davis, Dickinson, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Hale, Johnson, Long, McCarran, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murray, Norbeck, Overton, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, and White.

So Mr. McCarran's amendment was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg to further amend the bill by inserting at the proper place therein a provision repealing certain foreign trade agreements,

Pending debate,

Mr. McCarran proposed an amendment thereto, inserting in lieu of the language contained therein certain other language,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, Keyes, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California favoring the enactment of legislation to provide for the taxation of all bonds and other evidences of indebtedness issued by the Federal, State, and local governments; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Petitions of citizens of the States of Pennsylvania and New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Mrs. May Hanson, of Yreke, Calif., praying the enactment of legislation to provide for the payment of adjusted-service certificates of World War veterans.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour presented a copy of a brief filed by the Chamber of Commerce of Paterson, N. J., with the Committee for Reciprocal Information, United States Tariff Commission, remonstrating against any reduction in tariff rates on silk and rayon textiles by reciprocal trade agreements; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Davis presented the following petitions of the Philadelphia (Pa.) Board of Trade, which were refererd as indicated:

A petition praying the passage of House bill 4813, to make it a crime to advocate or otherwise promote the overthrow of the United States Government by force or violence; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition praying the passage of House bill 5845, to suppress attempted incitation of members of the military and naval forces of the United States to disobedience; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Duffy, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3016) for the relief of E. Sullivan, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1148) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3305) granting a pension to Modie A. Quick; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3306) granting a pension and relief to Mary H. Denison; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3307) for the relief of W. H. Humphreys; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3308) granting a pension to Bruce J. Massey; to the Committee on Finance.

SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION OF CONGRESS

Mr. Hastings, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 21):

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the two Houses of Congress shall adjourn on Saturday, the 10th day of August 1935, and that when they adjourn on said day they stand adjourned sine die.

Ordered, That the concurrent resolution lie on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2830) to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 405. An act for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

S. 2034. An act to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes; and

S. 2259. An act to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 52 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 7199. An act to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars;

H. R. 8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior;

H. R. 8579. An act to amend the law with respect to jury trials in the police court of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8580. An act to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8581. An act to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8582. An act to provide for the semiannual inspection of all motor vehicles in the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8583. An act to amend the Code of Law for the District of Columbia in relation to the qualifications of jurors;

H. J. Res. 335. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 351. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Improved, Benevolent, and Protective Order of the Elks of the World, and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 7199 and H. R. 8444 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bills H. R. 8579, H. R. 8580, H. R. 8581, H. R. 8582, and H. R. 8583 be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia; that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 335) be referred to the Committee on Finance; and that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 351) be placed on the calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 23, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1309. An act to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes;

S. 2326. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to sell to the Eagle Pass & Piedras Negras Bridge Co. a portion of the Eagle Pass Military Reservation, Tex., and for other purposes; and

S. 2965. An act to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. McCarran to Mr. Vandenberg's amendment, inserting at the end of the bill a provision relating to foreign-trade agreements,

Mr. McCarran modified his amendment so as to read: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by Mr. Vandenberg's amendment insert the following:

No foreign-trade agreement entered into after the enactment of this act under section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930 shall become effective until submitted to the Senate by the President and approved by the Senate by two-thirds vote. The vote on such agreement shall be taken within twenty days after the President submits the agreement to the Senate, or, if the Senate is not in session, within twenty days after the convening of the next session of the Senate. In the event that the Senate shall fail to act within such period of twenty days, then said agreement shall be in full force and effect upon the expiration of said twenty-day period.

On motion by Mr. Walsh to lay Mr. McCarran's amendment, as modified, on the table,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Walsh's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 51 / Nays 24}

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Smith, Trammell, Truman, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Borah, Capper, Carey, Davis, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Johnson, Maloney, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Murray, Nye, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So Mr. McCarran's amendment, as modified, was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Mr. Vandenberg's amendment was also laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Carey to further amend the bill by adding at the end thereof the following:

After the date of the enactment of this act no foreign-trade agreement shall be entered into under the provisions of title III of the Tariff Act of 1930 with respect to any agricultural commodity or manufactured product thereof as to which any program is in effect under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson to lay Mr. Carey's amendment on the table,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called; When

Seventy-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Coolidge, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Robinson's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 53 / Nays 23}

On motion by Mr. Long,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Costigan, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Smith, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Borah, Capper, Carey, Davis, Dickinson, Frazier, Gibson, Hastings, Johnson, Long, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Tydings, and Vandenberg.

So Mr. Carey's amendment was laid on the table.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Smith, the motion of Mr. Burke, the motion of Mr. Bankhead, the motion of Mr. Hatch, the motion of Mr. La Follette, and the motion of Mr. Bailey.

On motion by Mr. Lonergan, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by him inserting on page 46, after line 2, certain language, was reconsidered; and

Mr. Lonergan withdrew his proposed amendment.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Lonergan, and the motion of Mr. McAdoo.

On motion by Mr. Shipstead, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to certain reported amendments on page 54, line 1, line 6, and line 16, respectively, were reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Shipstead,

The reported amendments, as amended, were respectively agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Gore.

On motion by Mr. Smith, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 37, beginning in line 14, was reconsidered; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Smith,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 64 / Nays 15}

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Barbour, Bulkley, Davis, Donahey, Gerry, Hale, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Schall, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, and Walsh.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Mr. Smith moved that the vote on the passage of the bill be reconsidered; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Mr. Smith's motion was laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

EXTENSION OF AIR MAIL SERVICE

Mr. McKellar submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws, and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

That subsection (a) of section 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to revise air-mail laws, and to establish a commission to make a report to the Congress recommending an aviation policy", approved June 12, 1934, as amended (48 Stat. 933, 1243), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. (a) The Postmaster General is authorized to award contracts for the transportation of air mail by airplane between such points as he may designate, and for initials periods of not exceeding three years, to the lowest responsible bidders tendering sufficient guaranty for faithful performance in accordance with the terms of the advertisement at fixed rates per airplane-mile: Provided, That where the Postmaster General holds that a low bidder is not responsible or qualified under this Act, such bidder shall have the right to appeal to the Comptroller General, who shall speedily determine the issue, and his decision shall be final: Provided further, That the base rate of pay which may be bid and accepted in awarding such contracts shall in no case exceed 33⅓ cents per airplane-mile for transporting a mail load not exceeding three hundred pounds. Payment for transportation shall be at the base rate fixed in the contract for the first three hundred pounds of mail or fraction thereof plus one-tenth of such base rate for each additional one hundred pounds of mail or fraction thereof, computed at the end of each calendar month on the basis of the average mail load carried per mile over the route during such month, except that in no case shall payment exceed 40 cents per airplane-mile."

Sec. 2. Subsection (c) of section 3 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(c) If, in the opinion of the Postmaster General, the public interest requires it, he may grant extensions of any route: Provided, That the aggregate mileage of all such extensions on any route in effect at one time shall not exceed two hundred and fifty miles, and that the rate of pay for such extensions shall not be in excess of the rate per mile fixed for the service thus extended."

Sec. 3. The first sentence of subsection (d) of section 3 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"The Postmaster General may designate certain routes as primary or as secondary routes. He shall designate as primary routes at least three transcontinental routes, with such termini as he may deem advisable, and, in addition thereto, such other routes as he may consider in the public interest, but no route less than seven hundred and fifty miles in length shall be designated as a primary route: Provided, That the present routes from Seattle to San Diego and from Newark (or New York, as the case may be) to Miami, Florida, may be held and regarded as other than primary routes: Provided further, That the Southern Transcontinental Route from Boston via New York (or Newark, as the case may be) and Washington to Los Angeles, shall be designated as a primary route."

Sec. 4. Subsection (f) of section 3 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(f) The Postmaster General shall not award contracts for air-mail routes or extend such routes in excess of an aggregate of thirty-two thousand miles, and shall not pay for air-mail transportation on such routes and extensions in excess of an annual aggregate of forty-five million airplane-miles. Subject to the foregoing, the Postmaster General shall prescribe the number and frequency of schedules, intermediate regular stops, and time of departure of all planes carrying air mail, with due regard for the volume of mail carried over each route and for connecting schedules, and he may, under such regulations as he may prescribe, authorize and, notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, compensate for a special schedule or an extra or emergency trip in addition to any regular schedule over air-mail routes or portions thereof at the same mileage rate paid for regular schedules on the contract route or routes, or at a lesser rate if agreed to by the contractor and the Postmaster General, and he may utilize therefor any scheduled passenger or express flight of the contractor between the terminal points or over a portion of any route whenever the needs of the service may so require: Provided, That the Postmaster General may, upon application by an air-mail contractor, authorize said contractor for his own convenience to transport air mail on any nonmail schedule or plane, with the understanding that the weights of mail so transported will be credited to regular mail schedules and no mileage compensation will be claimed therefor and the miles flown in such cases will not be computed in the annual aggregate of flown mileage authorized under this section."

Sec. 5. Subsection (a) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. (a) The Interstate Commerce Commission is hereby empowered and directed, after notice and hearing, to fix and determine by order, as soon as practicable and from time to time, the fair and reasonable rates of compensation within the limitations of this Act for the transportation of air mail by airplane and the service connected therewith over each air-mail route, and over each section thereof covered by a separate contract, prescribing the method or methods by weight or space, or both, or otherwise, for ascertaining such rates of compensation, and to publish the same, which shall continue in force until changed by the said Commission after due notice and hearing, and so much of subsection (g) of section 3 of this Act as is in conflict with this section is hereby repealed."

Sec. 6. Subsection (e) of section 6 of such Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"In arriving at such determination the Commission shall disregard losses resulting, in the opinion of the Commission, from the unprofitable maintenance of nonmail schedules, in cases where the Commission may find that the gross receipts from such schedules fail to meet the additional operating expense occasioned thereby. In fixing and determining such rates, if it shall be contended or alleged by the holder of an air-mail contract that the rate of compensation in force for the service involved is insufficient, the burden of establishing such insufficiency and the extent thereof shall be assumed by him. In no case shall the rates fixed and determined by the said Commission hereunder exceed the limits prescribed in section 3 (a) of this Act.

"The Commission is hereby authorized and directed, after having made a full and complete examination and audit of the books, and after having examined and carefully scrutinized all expenditures and purported expenditures, of the holders of the contracts hereinafter referred to, for goods, lands, commodities, and services, in order to determine whether or not such expenditures were fair and just, and were not improper, excessive, or collusive, in the cases of the eight air-mail contracts which are allowed, by a previous report of the Commission, the rate of 33⅓ cents per mile, under the provisions of the Act of June 12, 1934, on routes Numbered 7, 12, 13, 14, 19, 25, 27, and 32, and the Commission shall make a report to the Congress, not later

than January 15, 1936, whether or not, in its judgment, a fair and reasonable rate of compensation on each of said eight contracts, under the other provisions and conditions of said Act, as herein amended, is in excess of 33⅓ cents per mile; together with full facts and reasons in detail why it recommends for or against any claim for increase."

Sec. 7. Subsection (b) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(b) The Interstate Commerce Commission is hereby directed at least once in each calendar year from the date of the award of any contract to examine the books, accounts, contracts, and entire business records of the holder of each air-mail contract, and to review the rates of compensation being paid to such holder in order to be assured that no unreasonable profit is being derived or accruing therefrom, and in order to fix just rates. In determining what may constitute an unreasonable profit the said Commission shall take into consideration the income derived from the operation of airplanes over the routes affected, and in addition to the requirements of section 3 (f) of this Act, shall take into consideration all forms of expenditures of said companies in order to ascertain whether or not the expenditures have been upon a fair and reasonable basis on the part of said company and whether or not the said company has paid more than a fair and reasonable market value for the purchase or rent of planes, engines, or any other types or kind, or class, or goods, or services, including spare parts of all kinds, and whether or not the air-mail contracting company has purchased or rented any kind of goods, commodities, or services from any individuals who own stock in or are connected with the said contracting companies or has purchased such goods and services from any company or corporations in which any of the individuals employed by or owning stock in the air-mail contracting company have any interest or from which such purchase or rents any of the employees or stockholders of air-mail contracting companies would be directly or indirectly benefited. Within thirty days after a decision has been reached upon such review by the Interstate Commerce Commission touching such profit a full report thereof shall be made to the Postmaster General, to the Secretary of the United States Senate, and to the Clerk of the House of Representatives."

Sec. 8. The first sentence of subsection (c) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Any contract (1) let, extended, or assigned pursuant to the provisions of this Act, and in full force and effect on March 1, 1935, or (2) which may be let subsequent to such date, pursuant to the provisions of this Act and shall have been satisfactorily performed by the contractor during its full initial period, shall, from and after such date, or from and after the termination of its initial period, as the case may be, be continued in effect for an indefinite period, and compensation therefor, on and after March 1, 1935, during such period of indefinite continuance, shall be paid at the rate fixed by order of the Commission under this Act, subject to such additional conditions and terms as the Commission may prescribe, upon recommendation of the Postmaster General, which shall be consistent with the requirements and limitations contained in section 1 of this Act; but any contract so continued in effect may be terminated by the Commission upon sixty days' notice, upon such hearing and notice thereof to interested parties as the Commission may determine to be reasonable; and may also be terminated, in whole or in part, by mutual agreement by the Postmaster General and the contractor, or for cause by the contractor upon sixty days' notice."

Sec. 9. Subsection (d) of section 7 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(d) No person shall be qualified to enter upon the performance of, or thereafter to hold an air-mail contract (1) if, at or after the time specified for the commencement of mail transportation under such contract, such person is (or, if a partnership, association, or corporation, has a member, officer, or director, or an employee performing general managerial duties, that is) an individual who has theretofore entered into any unlawful combination to prevent the making of any bids for carrying the mails: Provided, That whenever required by the Postmaster General or Interstate Commerce Commission the bidder shall submit an affidavit executed by the bidder, or by such of its officers, directors, or general managerial employees as the Postmaster General or Interstate Commerce Commission may designate, sworn to before an officer authorized and empowered to administer oaths, stating in such affidavit that the affiant has not entered nor proposed to enter into any combination to prevent the making of any bid for carrying the mails, nor made any agreement, or given or performed, or promised to give or perform, any consideration whatever to induce any other person to bid or not to bid for any mail contract, or (2) if it pays any officer, director, or regular employee compensation in any form, whether as salary, bonus, commission, or otherwise, at a rate exceeding $17,500 per year for full time: Provided further, That it shall be unlawful for any such officer or regular employee to draw a salary of more than $17,500 per year from any air-mail contractor, or a salary from any other company if such salary from any company makes his total compensation more than $17,500 per year."

Sec. 10. Section 10 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 10. All persons holding air-mail contracts shall be required to keep their books, records, and accounts under such regulations as may be promulgated by the Postmaster General, and he is hereby authorized, if and when he deems it advisable to do so, to examine and audit the books, records, and accounts of such contractors, and to require such contractors to submit full financial reports in such form and under such regulations as he may prescribe.

"Whenever an audit of the books, records, or accounts of any air-mail contractor is made by the auditors of the Interstate Commerce Commission, a full and complete report thereof shall be made to the Post Office Department within thirty days, and that report shall contain all instances in which the contractor has failed to comply with any of the provisions of the uniform system of accounts prescribed by the Post Office Department; and the Postmaster General shall, upon request, have at all times access to the records and reports of the Commission concerning air mail and air-mail contracts. There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for Contract Air Mail Service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department."

Sec. 11. Section 13 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 13. It shall be a condition upon the holding of any air-mail contract that the rate of compensation and the working conditions and relations for all pilots and other employees of the holder of such contract shall conform to decisions heretofore or hereafter made by the National Labor Board, or its successor in authority, notwithstanding any limitation as to the period of its effectiveness included in any such decision heretofore rendered. This section shall not be construed as restricting the right of any such employees by collective bargaining to obtain higher rates of compensation or more favorable working conditions and relations."

Sec. 12. Section 15, as amended, of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 15. After June 30, 1935, no person holding a contract or contracts for carrying air mail on a primary route shall be awarded or hold any contract for carrying air mail on any other primary route, nor on more than three additional routes other than primary routes. In case one person holds several contracts covering different sections of one air-mail route as designated by the Postmaster General, such several contracts shall be counted as one contract for the purpose of the preceding sentence. It shall be unlawful for air-mail contractors, competing in parallel routes, to merge or enter into any agreement, express or implied, which may result in common control or ownership. After June 30, 1935, no air-mail contractor shall be allowed to maintain

passenger or express service off the line of his air-mail route which in any way competes with passenger or express service available upon another air-mail route, except that off-line competitive service which has been regularly maintained for at least four months next preceding July 1, 1935, and such seasonal schedules as may have been regularly maintained during the year prior to July 1, 1935, may be continued if restricted to the number of schedules and to the stops scheduled and in effect during such period or season.

"Upon application of the Postmaster General or of any interested air-mail contractor, setting forth that the general transport business or earnings upon an air-mail route are being adversely affected by any alleged unfair practice of another air-mail contractor, or by any competitive air-transport service supplied by an air-mail contractor other than that supplied by him on the line of his prescribed air-mail route, or by any service inaugurated by him after March 1, 1935, through the scheduling of competitive nonmail flights over an air-mail route, the Interstate Commerce Commission shall, after giving reasonable notice to the air-mail contractor complained of, inquire fully into the subject matter of the allegations; and if the Commission shall find such practice or competition or any part thereof to be unfair, or that such competitive service in whole or in part is not reasonably required in the interest of public convenience and necessity, and if the Commission shall further find that in either case the receipts or expenses of an air-mail contractor are so affected thereby as to tend to increase the cost of air-mail transportation, then it shall order such practice or competitive service, or both, as the case may be, discontinued or restricted in accordance with such findings, and the respondent air-mail contractor named in the order shall comply therewith within a reasonable time to be fixed in such order. The compensation of any air-mail contractor shall be withheld during any period that it continues to violate any order of the Commission or any provision of this Act."

Sec. 13. Section 6 of such Act is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new subsection to read as follows:

"(f) Each holder of an air-mail contract shall file with the Interstate Commerce Commission, in such form as the Commission shall require, on July 1st and January 1st of each year, a full statement of all free transportation hereafter, furnished during the preceding semiannual period to any persons, including in each case the regular tariff value thereof, the name and address of the donee, and a statement of the reason for furnishing such free transportation."

And the Senate agree to the same.

KENNETH MCKELLAR,
CARL HAYDEN,
THOMAS D. SCHALL,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JAS. M. MEAD,
W. F. BRUNNER,
DONALD C. DOBBINS,
PHILIP A. GOODWIN,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

PROSTITUTION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received for concurrence to the bill (S. 405) for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. King, Mr. Copeland, and Mr. Capper.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FOULING OF ATMOSPHERE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2034) to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. King, Mr. Copeland, and Mr. Capper.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Bulkley,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes; when,

On motion by Mr. Adams, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside; and

DEFICIENCY AND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments in part were agreed to, and in part amended and, as amended, agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment on page 7, beginning in line 17, two amendments were proposed thereto by Mr. Duffy, when the further consideration of the reported amendment was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 3 o'clock and 53 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1065. An act to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead and desert-land entrymen; and

S. 3269. An act to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8519) requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public buildings or public work, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 2830, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On July 10, 1935:

H. R. 6464. An act to provide means by which certain Filipinos can emigrate from the United States.

On July 15, 1935:

H. J. Res. 347. Joint resolution to provide for the compensation of pages of the Senate and House of Representatives from July 1, 1935, until the close of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

On July 16, 1935:

H. R. 4751. An act to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, with respect to the terms of office of members of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

On July 18, 1935:

H. R. 3512. An act for the relief of H. B. Arnold;

H. R. 4760. An act limiting expenditures for repairs or changes to naval vessels; and

H. J. Res. 201. Joint resolution giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment.

On July 19, 1935:

H. R. 5393. An act for the relief of Moses Israel.

On July 22, 1935:

H. R. 5599. An act to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8519, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 2830) to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION FOR JUNE

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and expenditures of the Corporation for the month of June 1935; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

TRANSFER OF LAND WITHIN FORT KNOX MILITARY RESERVATION, KY.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation authorizing and directing the Secretary of War to transfer to the jurisdiction and control of the Secretary of the Treasury such portions of the land at present included within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., upon such conditions as may be mutually agreed upon by the respective Secretaries; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the passage of Senate bill 1842, providing that the United States district judge for the district of Puerto Rico be a resident of Puerto Rico for 1 year before appointment, which was referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Mr. Wagner presented a petition of citizens of Clarks Mills, N. Y., praying the passage of neutrality legislation, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the amendment of the organic act of Puerto Rico with reference to the term "corporation" and to levy a progressive tax on lands in excess of 500 acres owned directly or indirectly by corporations and to levy a surtax on real property owned for the benefit of persons not residents of Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

A petition of citizens of the State of Maryland, delegates of the Peoples Unemployment League of Maryland, of Baltimore, Md., praying the passage of House Joint Resolution 327, to amend the Constitution to regulate the labor of persons under 18 years of age, to establish minimum wages, and to provide for relief payments and Government operation and ownership of properties; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 997) to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1149) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2665) to change the name of the Department of the Interior and to coordinate certain governmental functions, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1150) thereon.

Mr. La Follette, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3045) providing for payment to the State of Wisconsin for its swamp lands within all Indian reservations in that State, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1151) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 3309) amending the act of June 4, 1920, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for making further and more effectual provision for the national defense, and for other purposes', approved June 3, 1916, and to establish military justice", to limit its application in the case of civil educational institutions to those offering elective courses in military training; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3310) for the relief of Robert B. Rolfe; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 3312) to amend the civil-service laws with respect to the retirement of employees engaged in the apprehension of criminals; to the Committee on Civil Service.

MOUNT RUSHMORE NATIONAL MEMORIAL, SOUTH DAKOTA

On motion by Mr. Norbeck, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3204) to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Norbeck,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Johnson, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 76, beginning in line 15, was reconsidered, and the further consideration of the amendment was temporarily postponed.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the reported amendment on page 7, beginning in line 17.

The question being on agreeing to the amendments yesterday proposed by Mr. Duffy thereto, striking out, in line 21, "$2,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$4,000*, and striking out, in line 22, "$100,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$300,000*,

Pending debate,

Mr. Duffy raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Duffy's amendments,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 51 / Nays 18 }

On motion by Mr. Duffy,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Russell, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bailey, Burke, Carey, Chavez, Coolidge, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, McKellar, Metcalf, O'Mahoney, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, and Tydings.

So Mr. Duffy's amendments were agreed to.

The committee amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion by Mr. Neely, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 4, beginning in line 10, was reconsidered; and having been amended on his motion,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Wheeler.

On motion by Mr. McAdoo to further amend the bill by inserting, on page 64, after line 14, the following:

For reimbursement to the State of California of the net balance due said State for actual expenditures made in aiding the United States during the War between the States as found and certified by the Comptroller General of the United States, August 14, 1930, and printed in Senate Document Numbered 220, Seventy-first Congress, third session, the sum of $6,462,145.35.

Pending debate,

Mr. Adams raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment provided for the payment of a private claim and, under rule XVI, paragraph 5, was not in order.

The President pro tempore, in the following language, overruled the point of order:

"The junior Senator from California [Mr. McAdoo] has offered an amendment to the pending deficiency appropriation bill, providing an appropriation of $6,462,145.35 to carry out an authorization provided in an act which was passed by the Senate at the present session, authorizing such an appropriation.

"There are two grounds on which the amendment might be subject to a point of order. The first ground is that it adds a new item of appropriation to an appropriation bill. The amendment is not subject to a point of order on that ground, because it is especially stated in rule XVI, paragraph 1:

"'Or to add a new item of appropriation, unless it be made to carry out the provisions of some existing law, or treaty stipulation, or act, or resolution previously passed by the Senate during that session.'

"The bill authorizing the appropriation of the $6,462,145.35 was passed by the Senate during the present session of Congress.

"Paragraph 5 of rule XVI reads as follows:

"'No amendment, the object of which is to provide for a private claim, shall be received to any general appropriation bill, unless it be to carry out the provisions of an existing law or a treaty stipulation, which shall be cited on the face of the amendment.'

"The question arises as to whether the claim in question is a private claim. Undoubtedly claims which are not private claims are not subject to such a point of order as has been raised against this claim. The committee preparing the rules must have had in mind a distinction between private and public claims.

"It has been held by the Senate on several occasions that an amendment to an appropriation bill to pay a claim of a State or a municipality is not a private claim. If we go back to 1853, we shall find that a question very similar to this question arose. The Chair reads from Gilfry, volume 1, page 87:

"'The general deficiency appropriation bill was under consideration. An amendment was proposed "that the sum of $300,000 be paid to the State of California to be applied to the expenses of the State government prior to the admission of California into the Union as a State."

"'An objection was made, but the President pro tempore decided he thought that the item having been previously agreed to in a bill that passed the Senate at the last session but not yet acted upon by the House, was in order.'

"It is the opinion of the Chair that the general precedents of this body are to that effect, and that they hold that a claim by a State, such as the one for which appropriation is now asked, is not a private claim but is a public claim, and therefore the point of order is not sustained."

Mr. McAdoo's amendment was then agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar, the motion of Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Appropriations, the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, the motion of Mr. Bone, the motion of Mr. Byrnes, and the motion of Mr. Fletcher.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the reported amendment on page 76, beginning in line 15,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was disagreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Hayden.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed 2 enrolled bills, viz, S. 1065 and S. 3269, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1065. An act to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead and desert-land entrymen; and

S. 3269. An act to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 2 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS

Mr. Hatch presented a resolution adopted by Fort Bayard Chapter No. 1, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, of Fort Bayard, N. Mex., favoring the establishment of a national cemetery at that place to be designated as "The Bronson M. Cutting National Memorial Cemetery", which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bailey presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of North Carolina favoring the retention of the present provisions of the long-and-short-haul clause in section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act, which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6703) for the relief of Joanna Forsyth, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1152) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3289) to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1153) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 32) to establish a national military park to commemorate the campaign and Battles of Saratoga, in the State of New York, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1154) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3303) to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1155) thereon.

Mr. Coolidge, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2969) to authorize the deportation of criminals, to guard against the separation from their families of aliens of the noncriminal classes, to provide for legalizing the residence in the United States of certain classes of aliens, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1156) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1157) thereon.

Mr. O'Mahoney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1158) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Gerry:

A bill (S. 3313) for the relief of George W. Olney; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3314) granting an increase of pension to Augusta Coontz; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 3315) granting a pension to Roy Joyce (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3316) authorizing the Delaware Tribe of Indians in the State of Oklahoma to sue in the Court of Claims; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 3317) to establish a national cemetery at Fort Bayard, N. Mex.; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Dickinson:

A bill (S. 3318) for the relief of Robert W. Anderson; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3319) for the relief of the Waterton Oil, Land & Power Co.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 166) authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 8870. An act to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8875. An act to clarify section 104 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title II, sec. 194).

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 8870 be referred to the Committee on Finance, and that the bill H. R. 8875 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE IN UNITED STATES COURTS

On motion by Mr. Van Nuys, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 170) authorizing the Special Committee to Investigate the Administration of Bankruptcy and Receivership Proceedings in United States Courts to investigate the administration of justice in such courts; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On July 10, 1935:

S. 2074. An act to create a National Park Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes.

On July 12, 1935:

S. 2378. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States a bequest of certain personal property of the late Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, Mass.

On July 15, 1935:

S. 1206. An act authorizing the transfer of certain lands near Vallejo, Calif., from the United States Housing Corporation to the Navy Department for naval purposes;

S. 2230. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a suitable site at Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, for a rear range light;

S. 2846. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept on behalf of the United States the devise and bequest of real and personal property of the late Paul E. McDonnold, passed assistant surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired; and

S. 2966. An act to empower the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds, to authorize the city and county of Honolulu to issue flood-control bonds, and for other purposes.

On July 17, 1935:

S. 377. An act to grant to the Utah Gilsonite Co. the right to use a water well on certain public lands in Utah; and

S. 883. An act directing the retirement of acting assistant surgeons of the United States Navy at the age of 70 years.

On July 18, 1935:

S. 312. An act for the relief of Lillian G. Frost.

On July 19, 1935:

S. 475. An act for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman;

S. 780. An act for the relief of the Standard Dredging Co.;

S. 1099. An act for the relief of Ethel G. Remington;

S. 1290. An act for the relief of Walter Motor Truck Co., Inc.;

S. 1446. An act for the relief of Knud O. Flakne;

S. 1447. An act for the relief of Mary C. Moran;

S. 1498. An act for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin;

S. 1499. An act for the relief of Robert J. Enochs;

S. 1566. An act for the relief of Carl C. Christensen;

S. 2292. An act for the relief of Emanuel Wallin; and

S. 2779. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands in Nome, Alaska.

On July 22, 1935:

S. 428. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.;

S. 884. An act for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning;

S. 1036. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey;

S. 1054. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of White Bros. & Co.; and

S. 2487. An act for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.

On July 23, 1935:

S. 156. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the city of Perth Amboy, N. J.;

S. 239. An act for the relief of the Barlow-Moore Tobacco Co.;

S. 1872. An act for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck; and

S. 3038. An act to authorize the transfer of certain lands in Rapides Parish, La., to the State of Louisiana for the purpose of a State highway across a portion of the Federal property occupied by the Veterans' Administration facility, Alexandria, La.

On July 24, 1935:

S. 1309. An act to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of district court for the western district of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes;

S. 2532. An act to amend an act entitled "An act setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota", approved June 23, 1926, and for other purposes; and

S. 2904. An act to prohibit the interstate transportation of prison-made products in certain cases.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the three titles of the bill be considered and disposed of separately, beginning with title I.

On the question of agreeing to the first branch of the reported amendment (being Title I, Federal Deposit Insurance), striking out all after line 2, on page 1, down to and including page 43 and inserting in lieu thereof the matter beginning with line 4, on page 92 and extending down to and including line 9, on page 144,

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Murphy to amend the part proposed to be inserted by striking out lines 3 to 21, inclusive, on page 143,

After debate,

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Coolidge, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The first branch of the reported amendment was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the second branch of the reported amendment (being title II, amendments to the Federal Reserve Act), striking out all after page 43 down to and including line 13, on page 57, and inserting in lieu thereof lines 10, on page 144, down to and including line 6, on page 154,

On motion by Mr. Nye to amend the part proposed to be inserted, by inserting in lieu of the language contained therein, certain other language; and Mr. Nye having subsequently modified his amendment,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 5 o'clock and 22 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 3059) to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 5375. An act relating to the compensation of certain charwomen;

H. R. 8026. An act to establish and promote the use of standards of classification for tobacco, to provide and maintain an official tobacco inspection service, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8845. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill,

McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN CALIFORNIA, MICHIGAN, ILLINOIS, AND TEXAS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the vice chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports showing the domestic and residential electric rates in effect in the States of California, Michigan, Illinois, and Texas, respectively, on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A concurrent resolution of the Legislature of Puerto Rico favoring the enactment of legislation to amend the organic act of Puerto Rico to define the term "corporation", to authorize a progressive tax on lands in excess of 500 acres owned directly or indirectly by corporations, and to levy a surtax on real property owned for the benefit of persons not residents of Puerto Rico; and

A cablegram from certain organizations of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, remonstrating against the confirmation of Lawrence W. Cramer to be Governor of the Virgin Islands and favoring the return to naval rule of the islands with Judge T. Webber Wilson's retention; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1951) for the relief of John J. O'Connor, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1159) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 3320) to authorize the President to present the Distinguished Flying Cross to Rudolph W. Schroeder; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3321) to add lands to the Mount Hood National Forest, Oreg.; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Clark:

A bill (S. 3322) for the relief of Elmer Naslund; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 3323) making certain appropriations available for the purchase of certain letters patent, applications for letters patent, and licenses under letters patent; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Copeland (by request):

A bill (S. 3324) to reincorporate the Columbia Polytechnic Institute for the Blind of the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A bill (S. 3325) to authorize the issuance of reentry permits in certain cases of aliens ineligible to citizenship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 3326) granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Connally:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 167) to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on the Library.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 168) authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive; to the Committee on Finance.

TREATMENT OF JEWISH AND CATHOLIC CITIZENS OF GERMANY

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 174), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Whereas the present Government of the German Reich has deprived groups of its citizens of many of their civil and political rights and has imposed upon them restrictions, pains, and penalties of a harsh and severe character; and

Whereas among the groups who are victims of persecution and discrimination at the hands of the Reich State are more than 600,000 Jewish citizens and a large number of Christians of partly or wholly Jewish descent; and

Whereas it is claimed that the Reich State has inaugurated and is carrying into effect a plan for the purpose of driving all Jewish citizens from Germany or depriving them of all civil and political rights, including the right to hold and own property and to sustain themselves and their families; and

Whereas the Reich State is also discriminating against German citizens who are members of the Catholic Church and is subjecting them to restrictions which deprive them of rights and privileges to which they are entitled as citizens of such state; and

Whereas the anti-Semitic campaign of the Reich State in part parallels the cruel and inhuman policies adopted by a number of nations in former centuries, and is opposed to the spirit of liberty and tolerance and justice which prevails among civilized peoples; and the antireligious activities of the state respecting members of the Catholic faith are contrary to the traditions of freedom of conscience and liberty of religious worship which are the cherished traditions of all civilized governments; and

Whereas the Government of the United States, as well as other governments, have not infrequently, through appropriate channels, protested against the cruel and inhuman treatment accorded the citizens of other States, and have sought in all appropriate ways to mitigate the sufferings to which such citizens were subjected: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate, or a subcommittee thereof, be authorized to conduct hearings and receive such evidence as may be presented relating to the treatment of the Jewish and Catholic citizens of Germany above referred to, and particularly to inquire into the charges that Jewish citizens have been denied their political and civil rights and have been compelled to leave Germany, and that others who remained are being persecuted and subjected to indignities and deprivation of property and opportunities to obtain sustenance for themselves and families; and also to inquire into the treatment of Catholic citizens and the extent to which they have been discriminated against and deprived of their political and civil rights and the freedom of conscience and liberty of religious worship; and

Resolved further, That the said committee, after such inquiry, shall submit its report to the Senate with such recommendations as it deems proper relating to the policy of the United States with reference to the matters herein referred to and in what way the cause of tolerance and religious freedom may be served.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-

fourth Congress, to employ such clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems available. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

Robert B. Rolfe; to the Committee on Claims.

National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, and June 4, 1920; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Blaine E. Davis; and Lee A. Smith; to the Committee on Pensions.

General Leasing Act, section 27, February 25, 1920; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 24, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1065. An act to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead and desert-land entrymen;

S. 2830. An act to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909; and

S. 3269. An act to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 5375 be referred to the Committee on Civil Service; that the bill H. R. 8026 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; and that the bill H. R. 8845 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment, as modified, yesterday proposed by Mr. Nye as a substitute for title II, viz, in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted on page 144 beginning with line 10 and extending down to and including line 6 on page 154 (relating to amendments of the Federal Reserve Act) insert the following:

Title II.—To issue money and regulate the value thereof

It is the purpose of this title to restore to Congress its constitutional power to issue money and regulate the value thereof; to provide for the orderly distribution of the abundance with which a beneficent Creator has blessed us; to establish and maintain the purchasing power of money at a fixed and equitable level; to restore the values of property to just and equitable levels; to increase the prices of agricultural products to a point where they will yield the cost of production plus a fair profit to the farmer; to provide a living and just annual wage which will enable every citizen willing to work and capable of working to maintain and educate his family on an increasing level or standard of living; to repay debts with dollars of equal value; to lift in part the burden of taxation; and for other purposes.

The Constitution of the United States in article I, section 8, clause 5, provides that Congress shall have the power to coin money and regulate the value thereof and of foreign coins;

The present practice of issuing book credits by commercial banks, and transferring the title of said credits by check, provides a supplementary medium of exchange, abrogating the said constitutional provision and establishing a separate, private, and independent monetary system; and

The permanent welfare of the people and the protection of the economic life of the Nation are dependent on the establishment of a monetary system wholly subject to the control of Congress, which will promote the interests of agriculture and labor, of industry, trade, commerce, and finance for the economic well-being of all citizens by the maintenance of price levels, which will avoid excessive expansion or disastrous contraction and which will protect the national credit and currency at home and in the world's markets.

Section 1. There is hereby created a central bank, which shall be known as the "Bank of the United States of America", which may be abbreviated as the "Bank of the U. S. A."

Sec. 2. The Bank of the United States of America, so created, shall be the agency of the Congress of the United States to issue the money of the United States, to control the value thereof, and the value of foreign moneys, and it shall have sole jurisdiction over all monetary stocks and all moneys and shall be the custodian of the public credit of the United States. It shall be the central depository of all reserve funds of all banks, banking institutions, and banking firms under the jurisdiction of the United States. It shall be the sole fiscal agent of the United States Government. All acts of Congress providing for the issuance of circulating notes by national banks are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. (a) There is hereby created a governing board of the Bank of the United States of America, which shall be known as the "Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America", which shall be the monetary authority and agent of Congress of the Government of the United States. The Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America shall be composed of one representative from each State, appointed by the President of the United States by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, for a period of twelve years. Immediately after they shall be assembled in consequence of the appointment and confirmation, they shall be divided by lot equally into six classes; the seats of the directors of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year; the seats of the second class at the expiration of the fourth year; the third class at the expiration of the sixth year; the fourth class at the expiration of the eighth year; the fifth class at the expiration of the tenth year; and the sixth class at the expiration of the twelfth year; so that one-sixth may be chosen every second year; and if vacancies happen by resignation or otherwise the President may make a temporary appointment subject to Senate confirmation to fill the vacancy. The Board of Directors shall choose from among their own number an executive board consisting of seven members and including a governor and a vice governor selected by a majority of the forty-eight directors. The salary of each director shall be the same as that of an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, paid out of the funds of the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated. The directors shall not during their term of office hold any direct or indirect financial interest in any bank, banking institution, banking firm, or financial institution, or any firm or corporation as stockholder, director, or officer either in the United States or in any foreign country. The Board of Directors shall assembled on the first Monday in December and remain in session at least nine months during each year. A majority shall constitute a quorum. The Board may determine the rules for its proceedings. Congress may, by the process of impeachment, remove a director. No director shall be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States or of the States, Territories, or possessions, nor be a Member of either House of Congress. Any director shall be eligible for reappointment. Upon attaining the age of seventy years, each director shall retire, with an annual pension for the rest of his natural life equal to $1,000 per year for each year

of service or major fraction thereof: Provided, That the maximum annual pension shall be $12,000, which shall be paid out of the funds of the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

(b) The Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board of the Bank of the United States of America.

(c) The members of the Federal Reserve Board at the time of the enactment of this act shall serve as members of the Executive Board of the Bank of the United States of America until their successors are appointed and confirmed, as herein specified.

Sec. 4. (a) The Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America is authorized to appoint and fix the compensation of a president and vice president and such other executive officers, examiners, economists, and other experts as may be necessary to carry out its functions under this act, without regard to provisions of other laws applicable to the employment and compensation of officers and employees of the United States; and, in addition thereto, the Board may, subject to the civil-service laws, appoint such further officers and employees as in their judgment may be necessary, and fix their salaries in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.

(b) The Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America shall have its principal office in Washington, District of Columbia. It shall establish branch offices in each State of the United States and in its Territories and possessions and may establish agencies to conduct a general business of banking and to provide banking facilities in any recognized trading center of the United States which is denied adequate banking facilities by private institutions, and shall formulate policies and regulations for the management of such branch offices and agencies. Branch offices shall be designated by States, as "Maine Branch, Bank of the United States of America"; "California Branch, Bank of the United States of America", and so forth.

Sec. 5. (a) After the passage of this act no currency shall be issued under the authority of the United States except the notes of the Bank of the United States of America of the same size as the present Federal Reserve notes and of such denominations as may be determined by the Executive Board of the Bank of the United States of America, which said bank notes shall be full legal tender at face value for all debts, public and private, within the United States or its Territories or possessions.

(b) Within one year from the passage of this act all present Federal Reserve notes, Federal Reserve bank notes, national bank notes, gold certificates, silver certificates, Treasury notes of 1890, and United States notes issued and outstanding shall be recalled for redemption, and those turned in for redemption shall be retired and destroyed, and notes of the Bank of the United States of America herein provided shall be issued to exchange, it being the purpose of this act to substitute the notes of the Bank of the United States of America herein provided for all other forms of paper currency of the United States.

Sec. 6. In the exercise of its jurisdiction as agent of the Congress of the United States to issue money and to control the value thereof, the Executive Board of the Bank of the United States of America may from time to time order and direct the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to engrave or cause to be engraved, and to print or cause to be printed, United States Bank notes as provided in this act, in such quantities and denominations as the said Board may deem necessary, and to hold the said United States Bank notes subject to further order of the said Board.

Sec. 7. The Secretary of the Treasury of the United States shall, upon receipt of directions or instructions or orders from the Executive Board, duly authenticated in such manner as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors, execute the said directions, instructions, or orders, forthwith, by engraving, printing, and disposing of the said notes of the Bank of the United States of America as specified in said duly authenticated directions, instructions, or orders, and the said duly authenticated directions, instructions, or orders shall at all times be considered and construed to be the direct acts of the Congress of the United States, through its duly authorized agent, the Bank of the United States of America.

Sec. 8. (a) Immediately upon the passage of this act, the Bank of the United States of America is hereby authorized and directed as soon as possible to purchase the capital stock of the twelve Federal Reserve banks and branches, and agencies thereof, and to pay to the owners thereof in the notes of the Bank of the United States of America the paid-in value of said stock, with six per centum per annum interest from the last dividend date.

(b) That all member banks of the Federal Reserve System are hereby required and directed to deliver forthwith to the Bank of the United States of America all the stock of the said Federal Reserve banks owned or controlled by them, together with any and all claims of any kind or nature in and to the capital assets of the said Federal Reserve banks, it being the intention of this act to vest in the Government of the United States the absolute and unconditional ownership of the said Federal Reserve banks.

Sec. 9. Upon the purchase of the stock of any Federal Reserve bank by the Bank of the United States of America as herein provided, the said Federal Reserve bank shall immediately become a branch of the Bank of the United States of America and subject in every respect to the jurisdiction of the Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America herein provided for, and the terms of the officers of the Board of Governors of the said Federal Reserve bank shall immediately cease and terminate: Provided, however, That the chairman of the Board of Governors of the said Federal Reserve bank and all the executive officers or employees thereof shall continue to perform their customary duties and obligations in the operation of said Federal Reserve bank until their successors shall be appointed by the Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America.

Sec. 10. (a) All individuals, firms, associations, or corporations engaged in the business of banking as defined by law and among other things receiving deposits of money or credit from the citizens or firms, corporations, or associations of any State and transferring or transporting said money or credit or the title thereto to other banks or individuals, firms, associations, or corporations of any other State or States, Territories, and possessions of the United States, are hereby declared to be engaged in interstate commerce, and as such are subject to Federal jurisdiction and to the jurisdiction of the Bank of the United States of America and all the provisions of this act.

(b) Within one year after the passage of this act, all banking institutions under the jurisdiction of the Bank of the United States of America shall be required to keep on deposit with the Bank of the United States of America, or in its vaults, United States bank notes herein provided for a full 100 per centum of its deposits which are subject to check and payable on demand; and, in addition thereto, it shall keep within its vaults the further sum equal to 5 per centum upon all savings or investment deposits commonly known as "time" deposits. All demand deposits shall be held in trust for the benefit of the depositors and shall not be merged with or become a part of the assets of the bank, nor shall such trust deposits be liable for any debt or obligation of the said bank.

(c) For the purpose of creating the lawful money reserve hereinabove required, the Bank of the United States of America shall purchase from banks and from individuals, firms, and corporations in the United States, bonds of the United States Government, or guaranteed by the United States Government, and may purchase obligations of States or municipalities of the United States whenever necessary to carry out the purposes of this act.

Sec. 11. The Bank of the United States of America is hereby authorized to purchase or sell gold, silver, and foreign exchange in the financial markets of the United States at such times and in such quantities as in its discretion is necessary to carry out the purposes of this act, namely, to regulate the value of money of the United States and of foreign countries.

Sec. 12. (a) The Bank of the United States of America shall have jurisdiction over and shall control and supervise all banking institutions whatsoever of the United States and Territories and possessions thereof, subject to law, and shall have the power to prescribe such rules and regulations not inconsistent with the law as it may deem desirable for the safe and proper conduct of the banks and banking institutions within its jurisdiction.

(b) The Comptroller of the Currency and all officers of the Government of the United States, exercising any supervisory powers or duties over the banks of the United States, or any of them, shall carry out and perform such rules and regulations for the conduct of banks and banking institutions in the United States or Territories or possessions thereof as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Bank of the United States of America through its duly designated officers.

Sec. 13. Directly upon the passage of this act, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor shall be transferred to the Bank of the United States of America, and such Bureau shall thereafter be under the supervision of the Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America. The statistical department of the present Federal Reserve Board, together with the statistical departments of the Comptroller of the Currency, the Secretary of the Treasury, and of the Treasurer of the United States, together with the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce and the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, shall all be consolidated with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and the name of the consolidated bureaus and departments shall be the "Bureau of United States Statistics." The duties of said Bureau, in addition to all those now prescribed by law for the bureaus and departments consolidated therein, shall be to collect, assemble, and analyze authentic data, for the purpose of determining the true and correct relation of the total amount of money in actual circulation, including both currency and credit money commonly called "demand deposits", to prices, wages, industry and commerce, the standard of living, employment and unemployment, to the end that the Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America and the executive Board thereof may scientifically and accurately determine the rate at which progressive additions to the stock or circulating money, including coin, currency, and credit, must be made in order to maintain an even and stable purchasing power, and to promote a constantly rising standard of living for the people of this Nation, unlimited except by the extent of natural resources and the willingness of the people to work.

Sec. 14. It is hereby made mandatory upon the Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America and the executive Board thereof to provide such stable purchasing power of money and equitable price levels, first, by the progressive purchase of the bonds of the United States and the creation of the 100-per centum reserves behind demand deposits, and, further, if necessary, by increasing the money in circulation by paying the extraordinary and then the ordinary expenses of government by currency issue until the average commodity price level reaches the index of the Bureau of Labor Statistics for 1926. The Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States of America will determine a true and equitable commodity price level to succeed that of 1926, and it is made mandatory on the Board of Directors to provide issues of currency which will maintain this level.

Sec. 15. The Board of Directors of the Bank of the United States shall recommend to Congress the retirement through taxation of such excesses of currency as may be necessary to keep the price level from rising above the level prescribed by section 14 of this act.

Sec. 16. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 17. If any provision of this act or the application of such provision to any person or circumstance shall be held invalid, the remainder of this act or the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

Sec. 18. This act shall take effect January 1, 1936, or sooner by proclamation of the President.

Sec. 19. This act may be cited as the "National Banking and Monetary Control Act of 1935."

Pending debate,

Mr. Nye raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Nye's amendment, as modified,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 10 / Nays 59 }

On motion by Mr. Nye,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bone, Caraway, Frazier, Holt, Neely, Nye, Schall, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dickinson, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Norbeck, Norris. O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, and White.

So Mr. Nye's amendment was not agreed to.

After debate,

The second branch of the reported amendment was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the remaining branch of the reported amendment, striking out title III of the House text and inserting in lieu thereof the matter beginning on page 154, line 7, and extending down to and including line 5 on page 197 (relating to technical amendments to the banking laws),

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. La Follette to amend the reported amendment by striking out all after the word "prescribe" on page 159, line 22, down to and including the word "fund" on page 160, line 18, as follows:

": *Provided further*, That the association, under such limitations and restrictions as the Comptroller of the Currency may by regulation prescribe, may underwrite and sell bonds, debentures, and notes, such selling to be limited to sales on an exchange registered as a national securities exchange under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to direct and unconditional sales to dealers or brokers (other than banks) who are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission under regulations to be prescribed by it, and to sales at public auction or otherwise as permitted by regulations prescribed by the Comptroller of the Currency. The association shall not underwrite as to any one issue more than 20 per centum thereof or more than $100,000 thereof, whichever is the larger amount, nor shall its underwriting engagements with respect to obligations of any one issuer exceed at any one time 10 per centum of the association's capital stock actually paid in and unimpaired, and 10 per centum of its unimpaired surplus fund. The aggregate of the association's underwriting engagements shall not exceed

at any one time 200 per centum of its capital stock actually paid in and unimpaired, and 200 per centum of its unimpaired surplus fund",

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas 22 / Nays 39}

On motion by Mr. La Follette.

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Black, Borah, Capper, Connally, Costigan, Fletcher, Frazier, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, McGill, Minton, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pope, Russell, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Vandenberg.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Davis, Dickinson, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hatch, King, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Moore, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and White.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment was not agreed to.

The remaining branch of the reported amendment was then agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Glass,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Glass, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Bulkley, Mr. McAdoo, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

TEXAS CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 167) to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes", reported it without amendment.

PROTECTION AND USE OF PUBLIC GRAZING GROUNDS

On motion by Mr. Adams,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269).

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said bill be temporarily laid aside and resumed immediately after the completion of the call of the calendar next week.

PREVENTION OF SMUGGLING

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7980) to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 4 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, adjourned until Monday next.

MONDAY, JULY 29, 1935

The Vice President called the Senate to order, and Rev. Harry Lee Doll, of Washington, D. C., offered prayer.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, July 26, 1935, was approved.

ORDER FOR CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at the conclusion of the morning business the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Sixty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On July 25, 1935:

S. 2830. An act to repeal sections 1, 2, and 3 of Public Law No. 203, Sixtieth Congress, approved February 3, 1909.

On July 26, 1935:

S. 2326. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to sell to the Eagle Pass & Piedras Negras Bridge Co. a portion of the Eagle Pass Military Reservation, Tex., and for other purposes;

S. 1065. An act to further extend the period of time during which final proof may be offered by homestead and desert-land entrymen;

S. 2965. An act to amend the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920; and

S. 3269. An act to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INDEPENDENCE OF THE PHILIPPINES

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read, and with the accompanying paper, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with the notation contained in the text thereof, I transmit herewith a copy of a resolution, No. 1, of the "Liga Patriotica", a civil organization of the city of Manila, P. I., dated May 16, 1935, expressing the gratitude of the people of the Philippine Islands toward the Government and people of the United States for the passage of Public, No. 127, Seventy-third Congress, approved March 24, 1934, and for the certification of the Constitution of the Philippine Islands.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *July 26, 1935.*

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate petitions of citizens of the States of Ohio and Pennsylvania, praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; which were referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2480) for the relief of Charles Davis, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1160) thereon.

Mr. Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1843) to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to George J. Frank, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1161) thereon.

Mr. Gore, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 168) authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1162) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2864) to establish the San Juan National Monument, Puerto Rico, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments, and submitted a report (No. 1163) thereon.

Mr. Bankhead, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 258) to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602), reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1164) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2691) for the relief of E. E. Sullivan, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1165) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3293) to provide old-age pensions for the Indians of the United States, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1167) thereon.

Mr. Connally, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 335) to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1166) thereon.

Mr. Schall, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6228) authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1168) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced, severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3327) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 3328) to provide an official seal for the United States Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 3329) to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McNary and Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3330) to authorize completion, maintenance, and operation of certain facilities for navigation on the Columbia River, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. McNary (for Mr. Davis):

A bill (S. 3331) granting a pension to Katie Yoos; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 3332) providing for the advancement on the retired list of the Navy of Louis J. Gulliver; and

A bill (S. 3333) for the relief of DeForest Loys Trautman, lieutenant, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION OF CONGRESS

On motion by Mr. McNary that the Senate proceed to consider the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 21) providing for a final adjournment of the present session of Congress on August 10, 1935,

On motion by Mr. Robinson to lay Mr. McNary's motion on the table,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 52 / Nays 10}

On motion by Mr. Hastings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Dickinson, Gibson, Hale, Hastings, Johnson, McNary, Steiwer, Vandenberg, and White.

So Mr. McNary's motion was laid on the table.

GATHERING OF FARMERS IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution coming over from a previous day, viz, the resolution (S. Res. 139) calling on the Secretary of Agriculture for certain information concerning the present gathering of farmers in Washington; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The resolution was laid on the table.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of today, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The consideration of the bill (S. 2213) to define the exterior boundaries of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico, and for other purposes, was resumed; and,

On motion by Mr. Chavez, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1227. A bill to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes;

S. 2644. A bill for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern;
S. 2203. A bill to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes;
S. 2470. A bill to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended;
S. 2463. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment in any claim which the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians may have against the United States, and for other purposes;
S. 382. A bill to provide for the purchase of a certain lot of land in Cedar City, Utah;
S. 2867. A bill to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes;
S. 2731. A bill to create an Indian Claims Commission, to provide for the powers, duties, and functions thereof, and for other purposes;
S. 2734. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims of Henry W. Bibus, Annie Ulrick, Samuel Henry, Charles W. Hensor, Headley Woolston, John Henry, estate of Harry B. C. Margerum, and George H. Custer, of Falls Township and Borough of Tullytown, Bucks County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;
S. 2657. A bill for the relief of Harold Dukelow;
S. 423. A bill for the relief of Lynn Brothers' Benevolent Hospital;
S. 2666. A bill for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation;
S. 2296. A bill to reduce the interest rate on delinquent taxes;
S. 470. A bill for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.;
S. 1950. A bill for the relief of Julius Crisler;
S. 85. A bill for the relief of Homer H. Adams;
S. 1120. A bill for the relief of J. P. Nawrath & Co., Inc.;
S. 739. A bill to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix in the State of New York; and
S. 1042. A bill for the relief of J. R. Collie and Eleanor Y. Collie.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2228) to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges and agricultural experiment stations; and,

On motion by Mr. Bankhead,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 86) authorizing an annual appropriation of $10,000 to enable the United States to become a member of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; authorizing the President to invite the Institute to hold its second general assembly in the United States in 1935; and authorizing appropriation of $10,000 for expenses of such meeting; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6995) granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes; and an amendment, in the nature of a substitute, having been proposed by Mr. Robinson,

The further consideration of the bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily postponed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 491) for the relief of Fred Herrick; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Steiwer,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 148) granting the consent of Congress to the minimum-wage compact ratified by the Legislatures of Massachusetts and New Hampshire; and,

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Education and Labor.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 208) to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2834) to provide for the appointment of Ira E. Porter as a second lieutenant, United States Army; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the appointment of Ira W. Porter as a second lieutenant, United States Army:"

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

S. 2762. A bill to exempt from taxation, under certain conditions, on the basis of reciprocity official compensation of a consular officer, nondiplomatic representative, or employee of a foreign country;
S. 2257. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide additional pay for personnel of the United States Navy assigned to duty on submarines and to diving duty", to include officers assigned to duty at submarine training tanks and diving units, and for other purposes;
S. 2689. A bill for the relief of the city of New York;
S. 2590. A bill for the relief of James E. McDonald;
S. 2321. A bill for the relief of S. M. Price;
S. 1381. A bill to amend the act approved February 13, 1925, entitled "An act to amend the Judicial Code, and to further define the jurisdiction of the circuit courts of appeals and of the Supreme Court, and for other purposes";
S. 2877. A bill to reimpose and extend the trust period on lands reserved for the Pala Band of Mission Indians, California;
S. 3040. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of the Office of Naval Records and Library, Navy Department;
S. 1314. A bill to make the husband or wife of accused a competent witness in all criminal prosecutions;
S. 2504. A bill to incorporate the Marine Corps League;
S. 2682. A bill for the relief of Chief Carpenter William F. Twitchell, United States Navy;
S. 1683. A bill for the relief of Robert L. Monk;
S. 1194. A bill for the relief of the State of Maine;
S. 2958. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.;

S. 620. A bill to authorize the periodic construction of channels for fishing purposes in the Siltcoos and Takenitch Rivers, in the State of Oregon;
S. 2021. A bill to recognize the service of Brig. Gen. Edward R. Chrisman;
S. 2558. A bill for the relief of Pettus H. Hemphill;
S. 2888. A bill to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes;
S. 3077. A bill for the relief of Constantin Gilia;
S. 3078. A bill for the relief of C. R. Whitlock;
S. 754. A bill to amend section 21 of the act approved June 5, 1920, entitled "An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of the American merchant marine, to repeal certain emergency legislation, and provide for the disposition, regulation, and use of property acquired thereunder, and for other purposes", as applied to the Virgin Islands of the United States;
S. 1991. A bill for the relief of Wilson G. Bingham;
S. 2523. A bill authorizing payment to the San Carlos Apache Indians for the lands ceded by them in the agreement of February 25, 1896, ratified by the act of June 10, 1896;
S. 2833. A bill for the relief of Mrs. Jack J. O'Connell;
S. 478. A bill to amend a part of section 1 of the act of May 27, 1908, chapter 200, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, sec. 592);
S. 479. A bill to amend section 126 of the Judicial Code, as amended;
S. 2340. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to determine the fees to be paid in connection with the taking of depositions on behalf of the United States;
S. 2603. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to determine and pay certain claims against the Government for damage to person or property in sum not exceeding $500 in any one case;
S. 3050. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.;
S. 3105. A bill to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.;
S. 3192. A bill to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building;
S. 3111. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to grant to the State of Louisiana an easement over certain land of the United States in Natchitoches Parish, La., for highway purposes;
S. 2297. A bill to amend section 17, as amended, of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898;
S. 2810. A bill for the relief of the State of Pennsylvania;
S. 2808. A bill for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc.;
S. 2343. A bill for the relief of Maj. Edwin F. Ely, Finance Department; Capt. Reyburn Engles, Quartermaster Corps; and others;
S. 2875. A bill for the relief of J. A. Jones;
S. 2268. A bill for the relief of Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.;
S. 1359. A bill for the relief of A. N. Ross;
S. 3043. A bill for the relief of the State of Maine;
S. 2741. A bill for the relief of Maj. Joseph H. Hickey;
S. 2697. A bill for the relief of the United Pocahontas Coal Co., Crumpler, W. Va.;
S. J. Res. 153. Joint resolution providing for participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay, and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes; and
S. J. Res. 110. Joint resolution authorizing Brig. Gen. C. E. Nathorst, Philippine Constabulary, retired, to accept such decorations, orders, medals, or presents as have been tendered him by foreign governments.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 38) for the adjustment and settlement of losses sustained by the cooperative marketing associations; and certain amendments having been proposed thereto by Mr. Frazier,

An objection to the further consideration of the joint resolution was interposed by Mr. Robinson.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1567) for the relief of certain claimants in cases of contracts connected with prosecution of the World War; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally knwn as the 'War Minerals Relief Act'."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2577) to repeal the provisions of the homestead laws requiring the cultivation of homestead entries; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to eliminate the requirement of cultivation in connection with certain homestead entries."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2929) for the relief of Frank I. Otis; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Margaret McCandlass Otis."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6990) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 100) requesting the United States Tariff Commission to complete an investigation relating to frozen swordfish; and the reported amendment striking out the figures "359" in line 4 and inserting in lieu thereof *336* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 373) for the relief of the American Surety Co. of New York; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. White,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 916) to carry into effect the decisions of the Court of Claims in favor of claimants in French spoliation cases not heretofore paid.

An amendment having been proposed by Mr. Vandenberg, on page 36, line 2, after the word "directed",

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. Burke.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 182) to provide for membership of the United States in the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; and to authorize the President to extend an invitation for the next general assembly of the Institute to meet in the United States in 1935, and to provide an appropriation for expenses thereof; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 86) authorizing an annual appropriation of $10,000 to enable the United States to become a member of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; authorizing the President to invite the Institute to hold its second general assembly in the United States in 1935; and authorizing appropriation of $10,000 for expenses of such meeting, was reconsidered; and

Ordered, That the joint resolution be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills, and no amendment was made:

H. R. 5382. An act to provide for advancement by selection in the Staff Corps of the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant commander and lieutenant; to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the equalization of promotion of officers of the Staff Corps of the Navy with officers of the line" (44 Stat. 717; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 34, sec. 348 to 348t), and for other purposes;

H. R. 4828. An act for the relief of John L. Summers, disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4838. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

H. R. 4146. An act for the relief of Mrs. Olin H. Reed;

H. R. 7022. An act to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally;

H. R. 8297. An act to amend so much of the First Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1921, approved March 1, 1921, as relates to the printing and distribution of a revised edition of Hinds' Parliamentary Precedents of the House of Representatives;

H. R. 29. An act to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty;

H. R. 5532. An act to provide for the acquisition of a portrait of Thomas Walker Gilmer;

H. R. 3061. An act to authorize the adjustment of the boundaries of the Chelan National Forest in the State of Washington;

H. R. 6656. An act to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., by means of an overhead bridge to cross New York Avenue NE., to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial side tracks and for other purposes.

H. R. 3760. An act for the relief of Capt. Arthur L. Bristol, United States Navy;

H. R. 6768. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the Seventeenth National Convention of the American Legion at St. Louis, Mo., during the month of September 1935;

H. R. 7902. An act to provide a right-of-way;

H. R. 8400. An act providing for the loan by the War Department of certain material and equipment to the Veterans of Foreign Wars 1935 Encampment Corporation, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4274. An act correcting date of enlistment of Elza Bennett in the United States Navy;

H. R. 4623. An act for the relief of George Brackett Cargill, deceased;

H. R. 5920. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain Government land to the Borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., for street purposes and as a part of the approach to the Stroudsburg viaduct on State Highway Route No. 498;

H. R. 6983. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Anderson, S. C., to such city;

H. R. 3337. An act for the relief of James Akeroyd & Co.;

H. R. 7050. An act to amend the act of June 27, 1930 (ch. 634, 46 Stat. 820);

H. R. 3430. An act to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons; to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners; to establish Federal jails; and for other purposes";

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended;

H. R. 3612. An act to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended;

H. R. 419. An act for the relief of Ruth Relyea;

H. R. 1864. An act for the relief of Henry Dinucci;

H. R. 6825. An act for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary;

H. R. 4850. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 6549. An act for the relief of Horton & Horton;

H. R. 2606. An act for the relief of the estate of Paul Kiehler;

H. R. 4406. An act for the relief of Anna Farruggia;

H. R. 4410. An act granting a renewal of patent no. 54296, relating to the badge of the American Legion;

H. R. 4413. An act granting a renewal of patent no. 55398, relating to the badge of the American Legion Auxiliary;

H. R. 3558. An act for the relief of Capt. Walter S. Bramble; and

H. R. 1073. An act for the relief of John F. Hatfield.

Ordered, That the bills pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1786) referring the claims of the Turtle Mountain Band or Bands of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota to the Court of Claims for adjudication and settlement; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill referring the claims of the Turtle Mountain Band or Bands of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota to the Court of Claims for finding of fact and recommendations to the Congress."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3) to regulate commerce in firearms; and the reported amendments in part having been agreed to,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4507) to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomatox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomatox Court House National Historical Park, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled 'An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.', approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 997) to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2564) to grant an honorable discharge to Charles L. Wymore; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Charles L. Wymore."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Steagall, Mr. Goldsborough, and Mr. Hollister managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Jones, Mr. Fulmer, Mr. Doxey, Mr. Hope, and Mr. Kinzer managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Taylor of Colorado, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Sandlin, Mr. Taber, and Mr. Bacon managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 3059 and H. R. 7980, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts, as follows:

On July 25, 1935:

H. R. 7590. An act to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes.

On July 26, 1935:

H. R. 6323. An act to provide for the custody of Federal proclamations, orders, regulations, notices, and other documents, and for the prompt and uniform printing and distribution thereof.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 3059. An act to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island; and

H. R. 7980. An act to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes.

The Vice President signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS (CONTINUED)

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 5159. An act to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska;

H. R. 3090. An act for the relief of Mayme Hughes;

H. R. 351. An act for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith; and

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pension, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay and insurance, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1118) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to refund to the Bankers Reserve Life Co., of Omaha, Nebr., and the Wisconsin National Life Insurance Co., of Oshkosh, Wis., income taxes illegally paid to the United States Treasury; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Bankers Reserve Life Co., of Omaha, Nebr., and the Wisconsin National Life Insurance Co., of Oshkosh, Wis."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2330) authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 145) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World in the District of Columbia August 25, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive; and the reported amendment to the text of the joint resolution having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the period August 16, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3060) to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled 'An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government', approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed; and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3123) to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes; and certain amendments thereto having been proposed en bloc by Mr. Robinson,

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

Mr. Robinson's amendments were agreed to en bloc.

The bill having been further amended on the motion of Mr. Wheeler,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 140) authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Improved, Benevolent, and Protective Order of Elks of the World, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 351) of an identical title; and, having been amended on the motion of Mr. King,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the joint resolution read a third time.

The said joint resolution, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, that the joint resolution S. J. Res. 140 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3641) to amend section 559 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend section 559 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3642) to amend section 483 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department.

Pending debate,

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR ON TOMORROW

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate meets tomorrow it proceed with the consideration of the calendar for unobjected bills, resuming Calendar No. 1130 (H. R. 3642).

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Adams, Mr. Glass, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Dickinson.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM EXPOSITION AT TULSA, OKLA., 1936

On motion by Mr. Gore, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 168) authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to 23, 1936, inclusive; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 35 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 30, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ELECTRIC RATES IN IOWA, OHIO, NEW YORK, AND PENNSYLVANIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate three communications from the Vice Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports on domestic and residential electric rates in the States of Iowa, Ohio, New York, and Pennsylvania, respectively, on January 1, 1935; which, with the accompanying reports, were referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message yesterday received from the House of Representatives announcing its disagreements to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Smith, Mr. Bankhead, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Norris, and Mr. McNary.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for unemployment insurance and old-age security.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted by Florence Crittenton Rescue League, Inc., of Swampscott ,and the Community Fund Association of Greater Lynn, Inc., of Lynn, in the State of Massachusetts, favoring the continuance of deductions from gross income of all charitable and other contributions in the application of proposed income-tax legislation; and

A petition of citizens of Andover, Mass., and vicinity, praying the repeal of the 10-percent excise tax on sporting goods; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of North Shore Lodge No. 749, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, of Beverly, Mass., praying the passage of legislation favorable to railroad workers; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented a petition of Local 511, National Federation of Post Office Clerks, of Fall River, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing a 40-hour week for postal clerks in lieu of the present 44-hour week.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3329) to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1169) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3286) to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1170) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3328) to provide an official seal for the United States Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1171) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2977. A bill authorizing the George Washington Memorial Bridge Public Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Potomac River at or near Dahlgren, Va. (Rept. No. 1172);

S. 3107. A bill to exempt publicly owned interstate highway bridges from State, municipal, and local taxation (Rept. No. 1173);

S. 3130. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the State of Tennessee and certain of its political subdivisions to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Tennessee River at or near a point between Dayton and Decatur, Tenn. (Rept. No. 1174);

S. 3131. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge and causeway across the water between the mainland at or near Cedar Point and Dauphin Island, Ala. (Rept. No. 1175);

S. 3164. A bill authorizing the county of Atchison, State of Missouri, and the county of Nemaha, State of Nebraska, singly or jointly, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr. (Rept. No. 1176);

S. 3244. A bill relating to the Oregon-Washington Bridge Board of Trustees (Rept. No. 1177);

S. 3245. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Columbia River at Astoria, Clatsop County, Oreg. (Rept. No. 1178).

S. 3277. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem River and tributaries in Clatsop, Columbia, and Washington Counties, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods (Rept. No. 1179);

S. 3279. A bill authorizing the city of Natchez and the county of Adams, State of Mississippi, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Natchez, State of Mississippi (Rept. No. 1180);

S. 3290. A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to the Louisiana Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Ouachita River at or near Monroe, La.", approved January 26, 1925 (Rept. No. 1181); and

S. 3291. A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to the Louisiana Highway Commission to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Red River at or near Alexandria, La.", approved January 15, 1931 (Rept. No. 1182).

The Senate subsequently proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider said bills; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That they be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 172) to investigate the causes of the decline of cotton prices on, prior, and subsequent to March 11, 1935, and activities of persons connected with the cotton business, reported it with an amendment to the amendment heretofore reported by the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment of the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, inserting in lieu of the sum "$25,000" on page 2, line 24, proposed to be inserted by the reported amendment of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, the sum *$12,500,* having been agreed to,

The amendment, as amended, was agreed to; and

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 102) to investigate the advisability of establishing additional national parks and revising the boundaries of other parks, reported it with an additional amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, or any subcommittee thereof, be, and it is hereby, authorized and directed to investigate the advisability of establishing certain additional national parks and national monuments and the proposed changes in, and boundary revisions of, certain other national parks and national monuments. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this resolution such committee or subcommittee is hereby authorized to sit, act, and perform its duties at such times and places as it deems necessary or proper; to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of witnesses; to require the production of books, papers, documents, and other evidence; and to administer such oaths and to take such testimony and make such expenditures as it deems advisable.

The cost of stenographic service to report such hearings shall not exceed 25 cents per 100 words. The expenses of such committee or subcommittee, which shall not exceed the sum of $5,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 149) providing for the preservation of old documents on file in the Senate Library, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 156) authorizing an additional expenditure in connection with a general survey of Indian conditions in the United States, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment, striking out on line 4 the sum of "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof *$5,000,* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3334) to make provision for the care and treatment of members of the National Guard, Organized Reserves, Reserve Officers' Training Corps, and citizens' military training camps who are injured or contract disease while engaged in military training, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Ashurst (by request):

A bill (S. 3335) to enforce the twenty-first amendment; and

A bill (S. 3336) to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. White:

A bill (S. 3337) to authorize the President to bestow the Congressional Medal of Honor upon Brig. Gen. Robert H. Dunlap, United States Marine Corps, deceased; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Harrison:

A bill (S. 3338) for the relief of Julia Krenz; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A bill (S. 3339) authorizing and directing the appointment of Walter W. Stamps as a captain in the Officers' Reserve Corps; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3340) providing for the appointment of Chester Arthur Davis as captain in the United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3341) for the relief of Edward P. Mandaville; to the Committee on Claims.

INSPECTION OF NAVAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 175), which was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs:

Resolved, That the Committee on Naval Affairs, or any subcommittee thereof duly appointed by the chairman of the committee, and the subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee having charge of naval appropriations, are hereby authorized to visit, for the purposes of inspection, United States navy yards, air stations, and other naval activities, the expenses incurred in pursuance thereof, not to exceed $5,000, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

HOURS OF DUTY OF POSTAL EMPLOYEES

Mr. McKellar entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6990) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 7349) to amend the act entitled "An act for the control of floods on the Mississippi River and its tributaries, and for other purposes", approved May 15, 1928, as amended, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 7349 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they this day presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 3059) to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, resumed the consideration of unobjected bills on the Calendar.

The consideration of the bill (H. R. 3642) to amend section 483 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department was resumed; and the reported amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend section 483 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 4901. An act to authorize appropriations to pay the annual share of the United States as an adhering member of the International Council of Scientific Unions and associated unions;

H. R. 2611. An act for the relief of John E. Fondahl;

H. R. 1540. An act for the relief of Lester I. Conrad;

H. R. 5229. An act directing the Secretary of the Interior to investigate, hear, and determine claims of the individual members of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians of the State of Wisconsin;

H. R. 5230. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear claims of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribe of Indians;

H. R. 2421. An act for the relief of John R. Allgood;

H. R. 4290. An act for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler;

H. R. 4718. An act for the relief of Yamato Sesoko;

H. R. 670. An act conferring jurisdiction in the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Gates;

H. R. 1541. An act for the relief of Evelyn Jotter;

H. R. 2122. An act for the relief of William Seader;

H. R. 2487. An act for the relief of Bernard McShane;

H. R. 3167. An act for the relief of Louis Alfano;

H. R. 3826. An act for the relief of John Evans;

H. R. 4029. An act for the relief of Thomas Enchoff;

H. R. 4822. An act for the relief of Thomas F. Olsen;

H. R. 4853. An act for the relief of Charles H. Holtzman, former collector of customs, Baltimore, Md.; George D. Hubbard, former collector of customs, Seattle, Wash.; and William L. Thibadeau, former customs agent;

H. R. 2449. An act for the relief of Floyd L. Walter;

H. R. 2679. An act for the relief of Ladislav Cizek;

H. R. 3506. An act for the relief of George Raptis;

H. R. 4812. An act for the relief of Mrs. Carlysle Von Thomas, Sr.;

H. R. 4814. An act for the relief of Lt. Col. Russell B. Putnam, United States Marine Corps;

H. R. 4815. An act for the relief of Jasper Daleo;

H. R. 4820. An act for the relief of Lawrence S. Copeland;

H. R. 4824. An act for the relief of Capt. George W. Steele, Jr., United States Navy;

H. R. 4833. An act for the relief of Ciriaco Hernandez and others;

H. R. 4974. An act for the relief of Rabbi Isaac Levine;

H. R. 5041. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Lela C. Brady and Ira P. Brady for the losses sustained by them by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps;

H. R. 7575. An act to legalize a bridge across Black River on United States Highway No. 60 in the town of Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Mo.;

H. R. 7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities;

H. R. 7620. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Morgan and Walsh Streets in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and a point opposite thereto in the city of East St. Louis, Ill.;

H. R. 7809. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of certain free highway bridges across the Red River, from Moorhead, Minn., to Fargo, N. Dak.;

H. R. 8209. An act temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the Government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act;

H. R. 6914. An act to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8270. An act to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works;

H. R. 6703. An act for the relief of Joanna Forsyth;

H. R. 1951. An act for the relief of John J. O'Connor;

H. R. 2480. An act for the relief of Charles Davis;

H. J. Res. 258. Joint resolution to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act; and

H. J. Res. 335. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions pass to a third reading.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1124) for the relief of Anna Carroll Taussig; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. Vandenberg.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6673) providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the Commissions established by that committee; and

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a Commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission"; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 3020. A bill for the relief of A. E. Taplin;

S. 2578. A bill authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma;

S. 2323. A bill for the relief of Ida C. Buckson, executrix of E. C. Buckson, deceased;

S. 3186. A bill for the relief of Edward H. Karg;

S. 1421. A bill to amend subsection (a) of section 313 of the Tariff Act of 1930;

S. 2166. A bill for the relief of Ludwig Larson;

S. 1483. A bill for the relief of William E. Williams;

S. 2618. A bill for the relief of James M. Montgomery;

S. 2719. A bill for the relief of Capt. Guy L. Hartman;

S. 3289. A bill to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex.; and

S. 3303. A bill to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings.

S. 2044. A bill for the refund of income and profits taxes erroneously collected; and

S. 2652. A bill to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1843) to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to George J. Frank; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to George J. Frank, formerly a bugler, Company K, Thirtieth Regiment United States Infantry, in the World War."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended.

The reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1793) to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 (43 Stat. L. 602); and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to amend the act entitled 'An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California', approved May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602)."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2864) to establish the San Juan National Monument, Puerto Rico, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3293) providing old-age pensions for Indians of the United States; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 1697) providing old-age pensions for Indian citizens of the United States be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and no amendment was made:

S. 3227. A bill to amend section 3 of the act approved May 10, 1928, entitled "An act to extend the period of restriction in lands of certain members of the Five Civilized Tribes, and for other purposes", as amended February 14, 1931;

S. 3210. A bill to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States;

S. 1422. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of William E. B. Grant;

S. 3086. A bill to provide for the striking of medals, in lieu of coins, for commemorative purposes;

S. 3145. A bill authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Sgt. Samuel Woodfill a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list;

S. 3016. A bill for the relief of E. Sullivan;

S. 3045. A bill providing for payment to the State of Wisconsin for its swamp lands within all Indian reservations in that State;

S. 2691. A bill for the relief of E. E. Sullivan; and

S. J. Res. 167. Joint resolution to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills and joint resolution were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2944) to prevent and make unlawful the practice of law before Government departments, bureaus, commissions, and their agencies by those other than duly licensed attorneys at law; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 32) to establish a national military park to commemorate the campaign and Battles of Saratoga, in the State of New York; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the creation of the Saratoga National Historical Park in the State of New York, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry;

H. R. 5521. An act for the relief of Frank Williams; and

H. R. 6228. An act authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

PROTECTION AND USE OF PUBLIC GRAZING LANDS

The Senate resumed the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing over-grazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269); when,

On motion by Mr. McGill, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside; and

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR PENSIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6995) granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment yesterday proposed by Mr. Robinson, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense, with an amendment, in which its requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed 35 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 29, H. R. 373, H. R. 419, H. R. 1073, H. R. 1864, H. R. 2606, H. R. 3061, H. R. 3337, H. R. 3430, H. R. 3558, H. R. 3612, H. R. 3760, H. R. 4146, H. R. 4274, H. R. 4406, H. R. 4410, H. R. 4413, H. R. 4623, H. R. 4828, H. R. 4838, H. R. 4850, H. R. 5382, H. R. 5532, H. R. 5920, H. R. 6549, H. R. 6656, H. R. 6768, H. R. 6825, H. R. 6983, H. R. 7022, H. R. 7050, H. R. 7902, H. R. 7909, H. R. 8297, and H. R. 8400, and two enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 182 and H. J. Res. 208, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

H. R. 29. An act to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty;

H. R. 373. An act for the relief of the American Surety Co., of New York;

H. R. 419. An act for the relief of Ruth Relyea;

H. R. 1073. An act for the relief of John F. Hatfield;

H. R. 1864. An act for the relief of Henry Dinucci;

H. R. 2606. An act for the relief of the estate of Paul Kiehler;

H. R. 3061. An act to authorize the adjustment of the boundaries of the Chelan National Forest in the State of Washington;

H. R. 3337. An act for the relief of James Akeroyd & Co.;

H. R. 3430. An act to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons, to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners, to establish Federal jails, and for other purposes";

H. R. 3558. An act for the relief of Capt. Walter S. Bramble;

H. R. 3612. An act to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended;

H. R. 3760. An act for the relief of Capt. Arthur L. Bristol, United States Navy;

H. R. 4146. An act for the relief of Mrs. Olin H. Reed;

H. R. 4274. An act correcting the date of enlistment of Elza Bennett in the United States Navy;

H. R. 4406. An act for the relief of Anna Farruggia;

H. R. 4410. An act granting a renewal of Patent No. 54296, relating to the badge of the American Legion;

H. R. 4413. An act granting a renewal of Patent No. 55398, relating to the badge of the American Legion Auxiliary;

H. R. 4623. An act for the relief of George Brackett Cargill, deceased;

H. R. 4828. An act for the relief of John L. Summers, disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4838. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

H. R. 4850. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 5382. An act to provide for advancement by selection in the Staff Corps of the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant commander and lieutenant; to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the equalization of promotion of officers of the Staff Corps of the Navy with officers of the line" (44 Stat. 717; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 34, secs. 348 to 348t), and for other purposes;

H. R. 5532. An act to provide for the acquisition of a portrait of Thomas Walker Gilmer;

H. R. 5920. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain Government land to the borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., for street purposes and as a part of the approach to the Stroudsburg viaduct on State Highway Route No. 498;

H. R. 6549. An act for the relief of Horton & Horton;

H. R. 6656. An act to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., by means of an overhead bridge, to cross New York Avenue NE., to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial sidetracks, and for other purposes;

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H. R. 6768. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the Seventeenth National Convention of the American Legion at St. Louis, Mo., during the month of September 1935;

H. R. 6825. An act for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary;

H. R. 6983. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Anderson, S. C., to such city;

H. R. 7022. An act to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps, and frontier air-defense bases generally;

H. R. 7050. An act to amend the act of June 27, 1930 (ch. 634, 46 Stat. 820);

H. R. 7902. An act to provide a right-of-way;

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended;

H. R. 8297. An act to amend so much of the First Deficiency Appropriations Act, fiscal year 1921, approved March 1, 1921, as relates to the printing and distribution of a revised edition of Hinds' Parliamentary Precedents of the House of Representatives;

H. R. 8400. An act providing for the loan by the War Department of certain material and equipment to the Veterans of Foreign Wars 1935 Encampment Corporation, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 182. Joint resolution to provide for membership of the United States in the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; and to authorize the President to extend an invitation for the next general assembly of the institute to meet in the United States in 1935, and to provide an appropriation for expenses thereof; and

H. J. Res. 208. Joint resolution to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

EFFICIENCY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Borah presented a petition of Thorvald Solberg, a citizen of the United States, praying the ratification of the copyright convention of 1928 and the passage of Senate bill 3047, to amend the Copyright Act.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin memorializing Congress to enact legislation providing for unemployment insurance and old-age security.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Copeland presented the following resolutions adopted by the Westchester County (N. Y.) Committee of the American Legion, which were referred to the Committee on Immigration:

A resolution remonstrating against the passage of House bill 8163, providing for the deportation of criminal aliens; and

A resolution remonstrating against the passage of House bill 7762, providing for the admission of certain relatives of aliens without regard to quota restrictions.

Mr. Walsh presented a telegram from the Secretary of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation permitting sales in bulk of spirituous liquors, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3281) to amend the act of February 16, 1929, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to readjust the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Public Health Service', approved June 10, 1922, as amended", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1183) thereon.

Mr. Clark, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3135) to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1184) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1185) thereon.

Mr. Fletcher, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 124) providing for an investigation of the sugar-beet industry in the United States, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1188) thereon; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5099) for the relief of Albert Henry George, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1186) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1102) conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Alta Melvin and Tommy Melvin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1187) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3342) for the relief of Jerry R. Quill; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 3343) granting a pension to Margaret A. Srout; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Logan:

A bill (S. 3344) to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Connally:

A bill (S. 3345) to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration Facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3346) to amend the Tariff Act of 1930; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3347) for the relief of Wallace Dee Lamb; and

A bill (S. 3348) for the relief of Verl Willey Scanland; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 3349) granting a pension to Josephine Johnson; and

A bill (S. 3350) granting an increase in pension to Emma J. McCumsey; to the Committee on Pensions.

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR PENSIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6995) granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Robinson, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain language,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Robinson's amendment was disagreed to.

Ordered, That the bill pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, [Yeas---------- 74 / Nays---------- 1]

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Mr. Hastings voted in the negative.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed an enrolled bill, viz, S. 1404, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF AIR-MAIL LAWS

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws, and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, be recommitted to the committee of conference.

PROTECTION AND USE OF PUBLIC GRAZING LANDS

The Senate resumed the consideration of its unfinished business, viz, the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269).

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain language,

Pending debate,

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Pittman, the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, the motion of Mr. McCarran, and the motion of Mr. Norbeck, and, as amended, agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend 'An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes', approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269)."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

AMENDMENT OF COPYRIGHT ACT

On motion by Mr. Duffy that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes,

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Holt in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCar-

ran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

Mr. Duffy's motion was agreed to; and

The Senate resumed the consideration of the said bill.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Vandenberg,

Pending debate,

Mr. Vandenberg modified his amendment.

CREDITING OF SERVICE OF ARMY, NAVY, AND MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McGill in the chair) laid before the Senate the bill (H. R. 6512) to authorize the crediting of service rendered by personnel (active or retired) subsequent to June 30, 1932, in the computation of their active or retired pay after June 30, 1935, heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence; when,

On motion by Mr. Trammell, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock and 27 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 1, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5159) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Brunner, Mr. Haines, Mr. Dobbins, Mr. Hartley, and Mr. Buckbee managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the following resolution (H. Res. 317), which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

Resolved, That the House has learned with profound sorrow of the death of Frederick Huntington Gillett, a Member of the House for 16 consecutive terms, its Speaker of the Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, and Sixty-eighth Congresses, and thereafter a Senator from the State of Massachusetts for one term.

Resolved, That in the death of Hon. Frederick Huntington Gillett the United States and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts have lost a valued and eminent public servant and citizen.

Resolved, That the House of Representatives, of which he was a distinguished Member and leader, unite in honoring his sterling character, the ability, probity, and patriotic motives which illustrated his public career; and the grace, dignity, and fairness which marked his intercourse with his colleagues in Congress and with his fellow citizens.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The Speaker of the House having signed 41 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 670, H. R. 1540, H. R. 1541, H. R. 1951, H. R. 2122, H. R. 2421, H. R. 2449, H. R. 2480, H. R. 2487, H. R. 2611, H. R. 2679, H. R. 3167, H. R. 3506, H. R. 3826, H. R. 4029, H. R. 4290, H. R. 4718, H. R. 4812, H. R. 4814, H R. 4815, H. R. 4820, H. R. 4822, H. R. 4824, H. R. 4833, H. R. 4853, H. R. 4901, H. R. 4974, H. R. 5041, H. R. 5229, H. R. 5230, H. R. 6673, H. R. 6703, H. R. 6914, H. R. 6995, H. R. 7575, H. R. 7591, H. R. 7620, H. R. 7809, H. R 7882, H R. 8209, and H. R. 8270, and two enrolled joint resolutions, viz, House Joint Resolution 258 and House Joint Resolution 335, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

H. R. 670. An act conferring jurisdiction in the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Gates;

H. R. 1540. An act for the relief of Lester I. Conrad;

H. R. 1541. An act for the relief of Evelyn Jotter;

H. R. 1951. An act for the relief of John J. O'Connor;

H. R. 2122. An act for the relief of William Seader;

H. R. 2421. An act for the relief of John R. Allgood;

H. R. 2449. An act for the relief of Floyd L. Walter;

H. R. 2480. An act for the relief of Charles Davis;

H. R. 2487. An act for the relief of Bernard McShane;

H. R. 2611. An act for the relief of John E. Fondahl;

H. R. 2679. An act for the relief of Ladislav Cizek;

H. R. 3167. An act for the relief of Louis Alfano;

H. R. 3506. An act for the relief of George Raptis;

H. R. 3826. An act for the relief of John Evans;

H. R. 4029. An act for the relief of Thomas Enchoff;

H. R. 4290. An act for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler;

H. R. 4718. An act for the relief of Yamato Sesoko;

H. R. 4812. An act for the relief of Mrs. Carlysle Von Thomas, Sr.;

H. R. 4814. An act for the relief of Lt. Col. Russell B. Putnam, United States Marine Corps;

H. R. 4815. An act for the relief of Jasper Daleo;

H. R. 4820. An act for the relief of Lawrence S. Copeland;

H. R. 4822. An act for the relief of Thomas F. Olsen;

H. R. 4824. An act for the relief of Capt. George W. Steele, Jr., United States Navy;

H. R. 4833. An act for the relief of Ciriaco Hernandez and others;

H. R. 4853. An act for the relief of Charles H. Holtzman, former collector of customs, Baltimore, Md.; George D. Hubbard, former collector of customs, Seattle, Wash.; and William L. Thibadeau, former customs agent;

H. R. 4901. An act to authorize appropriations to pay the annual share of the United States as an adhering member of the International Council of Scientific Unions and associated unions;

H. R. 4974. An act for the relief of Rabbi Isaac Levine;

H. R. 5041. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Lela C. Brady and Ira P. Brady for the losses sustained by them by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps;

H. R. 5229. An act directing the Secretary of the Interior to investigate, hear, and determine claims of the individual members of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribes of Indians of the State of Wisconsin;

H. R. 5230. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear claims of the Stockbridge and Munsee Tribes of Indians;

H. R. 6673. An act providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee on Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the commissions established by that committee;

H. R. 6703. An act for the relief of Joanna Forsyth;

H. R. 6995. An act granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7575. An act to legalize a bridge across the Black River on United States Highway No. 60 in the town of Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Mo.;

H. R. 7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities;

H. R. 7620. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Morgan and Wash Streets in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and a point opposite thereto in the city of East St. Louis, Ill.;

H. R. 7809. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of certain free highway bridges across the Red River, from Moorhead, Minn., to Fargo, N. Dak.;

H. R. 7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works;

H. R. 8209. An act temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act;

H. R. 8270. An act to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 258. Joint resolution to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act; and

H. J. Res. 335. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebration to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS FOR PURCHASE OF FOREST LANDS

Mr. McKellar entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes; and,

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the House of Representatives be requested to return the said bill to the Senate.

Mr. McKellar thereupon submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 22), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the action of the Speaker of the House of Representatives in signing the enrolled bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes, be, and the same is hereby, rescinded.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

LIBERALIZATION OF DIVORCE LAWS IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2259) to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 52 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on July 31, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 1404) to promote the efficiency of national defense.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. Walsh, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes, be recommitted to the Committee on Education and Labor.

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of James C. B. Beatty, of East Liverpool, Ohio, praying that the United States be not involved in any European conflict; which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Barbour presented a resolution adopted at Wildwood, N. J., by the United Commercial Fishermen's Associations of New Jersey, favoring the passage of House bill 8055, providing appropriations for the extension of the sea-food and fresh-water fishery products market and for the economic research and collection and distribution of timely information essential to the more orderly marketing of fishery products; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 175) authorizing the inspection of United States navy yards, air stations, and other naval activities, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2632) to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1189) thereon.

Mr. Dieterich, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2897) for the relief of Lt. Robert A. J. English, United States Navy, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1190) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3260) to amend Public Law No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver, issue silver certificates, and for other purposes", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1191) thereon.

Mr. Overton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7349) to amend the act entitled "An act for the control of floods on the Mississippi River and its tributaries, and for other purposes", approved May 15, 1928, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1192) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1193) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3351) granting the consent of Congress to any two or more States to enter into compacts or agreements for greater uniformity in the laws of such States affecting employers and employees; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. Capper:

A bill (S. 3352) for the relief of Edward C. Paxton; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3353) providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3354) for the relief of Samuel R. Mann; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McNary:

A bill (S. 3355) to authorize loans for the construction of recreational housing accommodations in national parks and national forests; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Glass introduced a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 169) granting permission to Hugh S. Cumming, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service; John D. Long, medical director, United States Public Health Service: Bolivar J. Lloyd, medical director, United States Public Health Service; and Clifford R. Eskey, surgeon, United States Public Health Service, to accept and wear certain decorations bestowed upon them by the Government of Ecuador, Chile, Peru, and Cuba; which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and ordered to lie on the table.

RECEIVERSHIP AND BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee to Investigate the Administration of Receivership and Bankruptcy Proceedings in the Courts of the United States, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 176), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the special committee of the Senate to investigate the administration of receivership and bankruptcy proceedings in the courts of the United States, created under Senate Resolution No. 78, Seventy-third Congress, first session, agreed to June 13, 1933, and supplemented by Senate Resolution No. 72, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to February 15, 1935, and Senate Resolution No. 170, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, agreed to July 25, 1935, is authorized to employ counsel at a salary of not to exceed $—— per day.

Resolved further, That the limit of expenditures under such resolutions is hereby increased by $85,100.

REVISION OF COPYRIGHT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendments, as modified, proposed by Mr. Vandenberg,

After debate,

The amendments, as modified, were agreed to en bloc.

Mr. Wagner raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-two Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Trammell to further amend the bill by striking out on page 10, lines 3 to 15, inclusive (sec. 11), and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

AMENDMENT OF AIR-MAIL LAWS

Mr. McKellar submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws, and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

That subsection (a) of section 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to revise air-mail laws, and to establish a commission to make a report to the Congress recommending an aviation policy", approved June 12, 1934, as amended (48 Stat. 933, 1243), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. (a) The Postmaster General is authorized to award contracts for the transportation of air mail by airplane between such points as he may designate, and for initial periods of not exceeding three years, to the lowest responsible bidders tendering sufficient guaranty for faithful performance in accordance with the terms of the advertisement at fixed rates per airplane-mile: Provided, That where the Postmaster General holds that a low bidder is not responsible or qualified under this Act, such bidder shall have the right to appeal to the Comptroller General, who shall speedily determine the issue, and his decision shall be final: Provided further, That the base rate of pay which may be bid and accepted in awarding such contracts shall in no case exceed 33⅓ cents per airplane-mile for transporting a mail load not exceeding three hundred pounds. Payment for transportation shall be at the base rate fixed in the contract for the first three hundred pounds of mail or fraction thereof plus one-tenth of such base rate for each additional one hundred pounds of mail or fraction thereof, computed at the end of each calendar month on the basis of the average mail load carried per mile over the route during such month, except that in no case shall payment exceed 40 cents per airplane-mile."

Sec. 2. Subsection (c) of section 3 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(c) If, in the opinion of the Postmaster General, the public interest requires it, he may grant extensions of any route: Provided, That the aggregate mileage of all such extensions on any route in effect at one time shall not exceed two hundred and fifty miles, and that the rate of pay for such extensions shall not be in excess of the rate per mile fixed for the service thus extended."

Sec. 3. The first sentence of subsection (d) of section 3 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"The Postmaster General may designate certain routes as primary or as secondary routes. He shall designate as primary routes at least three transcontinental routes, with such terminal as he may deem advisable, and, in addition thereto, such other routes as he may consider in the public interest, but no route less than seven hundred and fifty miles in length shall be designated as a primary route: Provided, That the present routes from Seattle to San Diego and from Newark (or New York, as the case may be) to Miami, Florida, may be held and regarded as other than primary routes: Provided further, That the Southern Transcontinental Route from Boston via New York (or Newark, as the case may be) and Washington to Los Angeles, shall be designated as a primary route."

Sec. 4. Subsection (f) of section 3 of an Act is amended to read as follows:

"(f) The Postmaster General shall not award contracts for air-mail routes or extend such routes in excess of an aggregate of thirty-two thousand miles, and shall not pay for air-mail transportation on such routes and extensions in excess of an annual aggregate of forty-five million airplane-miles. Subject to the foregoing, the Postmaster General shall prescribe the number and frequency of schedules, intermediate regular stops, and time of departure of all planes carrying air mail, with due regard for the volume of mail carried over each route and for connecting schedules, and he may, under such regulations as he may prescribe, authorize and, notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, compensate for a special schedule or an extra or emergency trip in addition to any regular schedule over air-mail routes or portions thereof at the same mileage rate paid for regular schedules on the contract route or routes, or at a lesser rate if agreed to by the contractor and the Postmaster General, and he may utilize therefor any scheduled passenger or express flight of the contractor between the terminal points or over a portion of any route whenever the needs of the service may so require: Provided, That the Postmaster General may upon application by an air-mail contractor, authorize said contractor for his own convenience to transport air mail on any nonmail schedule or plane, with the understanding that the weights of mail so transported will be credited to regular mail schedules and no mileage compensation will be claimed therefor and the miles flown in such cases will not be computed in the annual aggregate of flown mileage authorized under this section."

Sec. 5. Subsection (a) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. (a) The Interstate Commerce Commission is hereby empowered and directed, after notice and hearing, to fix and determine by order, as soon as practicable and from time to time, the fair and reasonable rates of compensation within the limitations of this Act for the transportation of air mail by airplane and the service connected therewith over each air-mail route, and over each section thereof covered by a separate contract, prescribing the method or methods by weight or space, or both, or otherwise, for ascertaining such rates of compensation, and to publish the same, which shall continue in force until changed by the said Commission after due notice and hearing, and so much of subsection (g) of section 3 of this Act as is in conflict with this section is hereby repealed."

Sec. 6. Subsection (e) of section 6 of such act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"In arriving at such determination the Commission shall disregard losses resulting, in the opinion of the Commission, from the unprofitable maintenance of nonmail schedules, in cases where the Commission may find that the gross receipts from such schedules fail to meet the additional operating expense occasioned thereby. In fixing and determining such rates, if it shall be contended or alleged by the holder of an air-mail contract that the rate of compensation in force for the service involved is insufficient, the burden of establishing such insufficiency and the extent thereof shall be assumed by him. In no case shall the rates fixed and determined by the said Commission hereunder exceed the limits prescribed in section 3 (a) of this Act.

"The Commission is hereby authorized and directed, after having made a full and complete examination and audit of the books, and after having examined and carefully scrutinized all expenditures and purported expenditures, of the holders of the contracts hereinafter referred to, for goods, lands, commodities, and services, in order to determine whether or not such expenditures were fair and just, and were not improper, excessive, or collusive, in the cases of the eight air-mail contracts which are allowed, by a previous report of the Commission, the rate of 33⅓ cents per mile, under the provisions of the Act of June 12, 1934, on routes Numbered 7, 12, 13, 14, 19, 25, 27, and 32, and the Commission shall make a report to the Congress, not later than January 15, 1936, whether or not, in its judgment, a fair and reasonable rate of compensation on each of said eight contracts, under the other provisions and conditions of said Act, as herein amended, is in excess of 33⅓ cents per mile; together with full facts and reasons in detail why it recommends for or against any claim for increase."

Sec. 7. Subsection (b) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(b) The Interstate Commerce Commission is hereby directed at least once in each calendar year from the date of the award of any contract to examine the books, accounts, contracts, and entire business records of the holder of each air-mail contract, and to review the rates of compensation being paid to such holder in order to be assured that no unreasonable profit is being derived or accruing therefrom, and in order to fix just rates. In determining what may constitute an unreasonable profit the said Commission shall take into consideration the income derived from the operation of airplanes over the routes affected, and in addition to the requirements of section 3 (f) of this Act, shall take into consideration all forms of expenditures of said companies in order to ascertain whether or not the expenditures have been upon a fair and reasonable basis on the part of said company and whether or not the said company has paid more than a fair and reasonable market value for the purchase or rent of planes, engines, or any other types or kind, or class, or goods, or services, including spare parts of all kinds, and whether or not the air-mail contracting company has purchased or rented any kind of goods, commodities, or services from any individuals who own stock in or are connected with the said contracting companies or has purchased such goods and services from any company or corporations in which any of the individuals employed by or owning stock in the air-mail contracting company have any interest or from which such purchase or rents any of the employees or stockholders of air-mail contracting companies would be directly or indirectly benefited. Within thirty days after a decision has been reached upon such review by the Interstate Commerce Commission touching such profit a full report thereof shall be made to the Postmaster General, to the Secretary of the United States Senate, and to the Clerk of the House of Representatives."

Sec. 8. The first sentence of subsection (c) of section 6 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Any contract (1) let, extended, or assigned pursuant to the provisions of this Act, and in full force and effect on March 1, 1935, or (2) which may be let subsequent to such date pursuant to the provisions of this Act and shall have been satisfactorily performed by the contractor during its full initial period, shall, from and after such date, or from and after the termination of its initial period, as the case may be, be continued in effect for an indefinite period, and compensation therefor, on and after March 1, 1935, during such period of indefinite continuance, shall be paid at the rate fixed by order of the Commission under this Act, subject to such additional conditions and terms as the Commission may prescribe, upon recommendation of the Postmaster General, which shall be consistent with the requirements and limitations contained in section 1 of this Act; but any contract so continued in

effect may be terminated by the Commission upon sixty days' notice, upon such hearing and notice thereof to interested parties as the Commission may determine to be reasonable; and may also be terminated, in whole or in part, by mutual agreement of the Postmaster General and the contractor, or for cause by the contractor upon sixty days' notice."

Sec. 9. Subsection (d) of section 7 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"(d) No person shall be qualified to enter upon the performance of, or thereafter to hold an air-mal contract (1) if, at or after the time specified for the commencement of mail transportation under such contract, such person is (or, if a partnership, association, or corporation, has a member, officer, or director, or an employee performing general managerial duties, that is) an individual who has theretofore entered into any unlawful combination to prevent the making of any bids for carrying the mails: Provided, That whenever required by the Postmaster General or Interstate Commerce Commission the bidder shall submit an affidavit executed by the bidder, or by such of its officers, directors, or general managerial employees as the Postmaster General or Interstate Commerce Commission may designate, sworn to before an officer authorized and empowered to administer oaths, stating in such affidavit that the affiant has not entered nor proposed to enter into any combination to prevent the making of any bid for carrying the mails, nor made any agreement, or given or performed, or promised to give or perform, any consideration whatever to induce any other person to bid or not to bid for any mail contract, or (2) if it pays any officer, director, or regular employee compensation in any form, whether as salary, bonus, commission, or otherwise, at a rate exceeding $17,500 per year for full time: Provided further, That it shall be unlawful for any such officer or regular employee to draw a salary of more than $17,500 per year from any air-mail contractor, or a salary from any other company if such salary from any company makes his total compensation more than $17,500 per year."

Sec. 10. Section 10 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

" Sec. 10. All persons holding air-mail contracts shall be required to keep their books, records, and accounts under such regulations as may be promulgated by the Postmaster General, and he is hereby authorized, if and when he deems it advisable to do so, to examine and audit the books, records, and accounts of such contractors, and to require such contractors to submit full financial reports in such form and under such regulations as he may prescribe.

" Whenever an audit of the books, records, or accounts of any air-mail contractor is made by the auditors of the Interstate Commerce Commission, a full and complete report thereof shall be made to the Post Office Department within thirty days, and that report shall contain all instances in which the contractor has failed to comply with any of the provisions of the uniform system of accounts prescribed by the Post Office Department; and the Postmaster General shall, upon request, have at all times access to the records and reports of the Commission concerning air mail and air-mail contracts. There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for Contract Air Mail Service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department."

Sec. 11. Section 13 of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 13. It shall be a condition upon the holding of any air-mail contract that the rate of compensation and the working conditions and relations for all pilots and other employees of the holder of such contract shall conform to decisions heretofore or hereafter made by the National Labor Board, or its successor in authority, notwithstanding any limitation as to the period of its effectiveness included in any such decision heretofore rendered. This section shall not be construed as restricting the right of any such employees by collective bargaining to obtain higher rates of compensation or more favorable working conditions and relations."

Sec. 12. Section 15, as amended, of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 15. After June 30, 1935, no person holding a contract or contracts for carrying air mail on a primary route shall be awarded or hold any contract for carrying air mail on any other primary route, nor on more than three additional routes other than primary routes. In case one person holds several contracts covering different sections of one air-mail route as designated by the Postmaster General, such several contracts shall be counted as one contract for the purpose of the preceding sentence. It shall be unlawful for air-mail contractors, competing in parallel routes, to merge or to enter into any agreement, express or implied, which may result in common control or ownership. After June 30, 1935, no air-mail contractor shall be allowed to maintain passenger or express service off the line of his air-mail route which in any way competes with passenger or express service available upon another air-mail route, except that off-line competitive service which has been regularly maintained on and prior to July 1, 1935, and such seasonal schedules as may have been regularly maintained during the year prior to July 1, 1935, may be continued if restricted to the number of schedules and to the stops scheduled and in effect during such period or season.

"Upon application of the Postmaster General or of any interested air-mail contractor, setting forth that the general transport business or earnings upon an air-mail route are being adversely affected by any alleged unfair practice of another air-mail contractor, or by any competitive air-transport service supplied by an air-mail contractor other than that supplied by him on the line of his prescribed air-mail route, or by any service inaugurated by him after July 1, 1935, through the scheduling of competitive nonmail flights over an air-mail route, the Interstate Commerce Commission shall, after giving reasonable notice to the air-mail contractor complained of, inquire fully into the subject matter of the allegations; and if the Commission shall find such practice or competition or any part thereof to be unfair, or that such competitive service in whole or in part is not reasonably required in the interest of public convenience and necessity, and if the Commission shall further find that in either case the receipts or expenses of an air-mail contractor are so affected thereby as to tend to increase the cost of air-mail transportation, then it shall order such practice or competitive service, or both, as the case may be, discontinued or restricted in accordance with such findings, and the respondent air-mail contractor named in the order shall comply therewith within a reasonable time to be fixed in such order. If the Commission shall find after like application, notice, and hearing that the public convenience and necessity requires additional service or schedules and such service or schedules do not tend to increase the cost of air-mail transportation, it may permit the institution and maintenance of such schedules and prescribe the frequency thereof. The compensation of any air-mail contractor shall be withheld during any period that it continues to violate any order of the Commission or any provision of this act."

Sec. 13. Section 6 of such act is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new subsection to read as follows:

"(f) Each holder of an air-mail contract shall file with the Interstate Commerce Commission, in such form as the Commission shall require, on July 1st and January 1st of each year, a full statement of all free transportation hereafter furnished during the preceding semiannual period to any persons, including in each case the regular tariff value thereof, the name and address of the donee, and a statement of the reason for furnishing such free transportation."

And the Senate agree to the same.

KENNETH MCKELLAR,
CARL HAYDEN,
THOMAS D. SCHALL,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JAS. M. MEAD,
W. F. BRUNNER,
DONALD C. DOBBINS,
I. H. DOUTRICH,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

DEATH OF HON. FREDERICK HUNTINGTON GILLETT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Murray in the chair) laid before the Senate the resolution this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing the death of Hon. Frederick Huntington Gillett, formerly a Senator from the State of Massachusetts and Speaker of the House of Representatives, which was read.

Mr. Walsh thereupon submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 177), which was considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Frederick Huntington Gillett, a Senator from the State of Massachusetts for 1 term, a Member of the House of Representatives for 16 consecutive terms, and its Speaker of the Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, and Sixty-eighth Congresses.

Resolved, That by the death of Hon. Frederick Huntington Gillett the United States and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts have lost a valued public servant and eminent citizen.

Resolved, That the Senate, of which he was a distinguished Member, takes pride in his sterling character; the ability, probity, and patriotic devotion with which he served his country and his State; the attributes of calm dignity and courage which marked his public career; and the scholarly attainments which characterized his life.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

On motion by Mr. Walsh, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Thursday, August 1, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a memorial of Marie Pulpit, of New York City, remonstrating against increased taxation and praying a reduction of expenditures; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of Mrs. Annie Lyons Walsh praying an investigation of the nonpayment of dividends by the Portland Gas & Coke Co., of Portland, Oreg.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

Petitions of citizens of Hagerstown, Md., praying the enactment of legislation revising the neutrality laws; and

A memorial of citizens of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against alleged anti-Semitic atrocities in Germany.

Mr. Capper presented the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of West Mineral, Kans., praying the passage of Senate bill 3150, to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution adopted by Hoisington Lodge, No. 564, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, of Hoisington, Kans., and petitions of citizens of Penalosa and Preston, in the State of Kansas, praying the enactment of legislation providing a retirement system for railroad employees; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7199) to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, reported it with an amendment to the title and submtited a report (No. 1194) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3176) to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the Reunion Committee of the United Confederate Veterans, to be delivered to a United States property and disbursing officer, 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1195) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3057) for the relief of John B. Jones, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1198) thereon.

Mr. Minton, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2962) to correct the military record of John Pate, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1196) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3345) to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration Facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1197) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2791) to amend the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1199) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3280) for the relief of Doris Allen, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1200) thereon.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on today they presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 2259) to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Harrison):

A bill (S. 3356) for the relief of Alney E. Robinson; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3357) for the relief of Henry Thornton Meriwether; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 3358) granting a pension to James S. Morgan (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 3359) to authorize the presentation of Distinguished Service Crosses to Pleas E. Greenlee and George L. Robins (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3360) for the relief of Alice Markham Kavanaugh; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3361) for the relief of Margaret C. (Lacks) King; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3362) for the relief of Mahlon G. Frost; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. O'Mahoney:

A bill (S. 3363) to insure domestic tranquillity and to promote the general welfare by regulating and promoting commerce with foreign nations and among the States in commodities and industrial articles, to regulate the flow of such commerce, to prescribe the conditions under which corporations may engage in such commerce, to provide for the formation of corporations to engage in such commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3364) granting 6 months' pay to Beatrice Gildart; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 3365) to permit children to wade or play in public fountains in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3366) authorizing the Secretary of War to lend certain Army equipment to Klamath Post, No. 8, American Legion, Klamath Falls, Oreg., for use on camping trips for boys; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 3367) for the relief of James Gaynor; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Burke:

A bill (S. 3368) authorizing the Village Board of the village of Niobrara, county of Knox, State of Nebraska, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Niobrara, Nebr.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3369) providing for the posthumous appointment of Ernest E. Dailey as a warrant radio electrician, United States Navy; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

A bill (S. 3370) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of certain public buildings, and for other purposes", approved May 25, 1926; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3371) for the relief of John Walker;

A bill (S. 3372) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school district at Hays, Mont., for construction and improvement of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; and

A bill (S. 3373) to credit the tribal funds of the Indians of Fort Belknap Indian Reservation in Montana with certain sums expended therefrom for the purchase and maintenance of tribal herd, and for the purchase of horses destroyed during a dourine epidemic; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

PRODUCTION COSTS OF WOOLEN KNIT GLOVES AND MITTENS

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 178), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission is directed, under the authority conferred by section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and for the purposes of that section, to investigate the differences in the costs of production of the following domestic articles and of any like or similar foreign articles: Knit gloves and mittens made wholly or in chief value of wool, dutiable under paragraph 1114 (b) of such act.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On July 31, 1935:

S. 1404. An act to promote the efficiency of national defense.

On August 2, 1935:

S. 3059. An act to authorize the acquisition of land on McNeil Island.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ACTS OF THE PHILIPPINE LEGISLATURE

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read and, with the accompanying documents, referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 12 of the act of Congress approved August 29, 1916, entitled "An act to declare the purpose of the people of the United States as to the future political status of the people of the Philippine Islands, and to provide a more autonomous government for those islands", I transmit herewith a set of the laws and resolutions enacted by the Tenth Philippine Legislature during its first regular session, from July 16 to November 8, 1934, and its first special session, April 8, 1935.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 5, 1935.*

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 167) to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "*Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes.*"

The House has passed the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 22) rescinding the action of the Speaker of the House in signing the enrolled bill H. R. 6914.

I am directed by the House to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3090) for the relief of Mayme Hughes.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz, S. 2259 and H. R. 3090, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On August 2, 1935:

H. R. 3061. An act to authorize the adjustment of the boundaries of the Chelan National Forest in the State of Washington;

H. R. 4410. An act granting a renewal of patent no. 54296 relating to the badge of the American Legion;

H. R. 4413. An act granting a renewal of patent no. 55398 relating to the badge of the American Legion Auxiliary;

H. R. 5917. An act to provide for the appointment of additional United States judges;

H. R. 8297. An act to amend so much of the First Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1921, approved March 1, 1921, as relates to the printing and distribution of a revised edition of Hinds' Parliamentary Precedents of the House of Representatives;

H. J. Res. 182. Joint resolution to provide for membership of the United States in the Pan American Institute of Geography and History, and to authorize the President to extend an invitation for the next general assembly of the Institute to meet in the United States in 1935, and to provide an appropriation for expenses thereof; and

H. J. Res. 208. Joint resolution to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory.

On August 3, 1935:

H. R. 29. An act to amend the laws relating to proctors' and marshals' fees and bonds and stipulations in suits in admiralty;

H. R. 3430. An act to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons, to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners, to establish Federal jails, and for other purposes";

H. R. 6703. An act for the relief of Joanna Forsyth;

H. R. 7050. An act to amend the act of June 27, 1935 (ch. 634, 46 Stat. 820);

H. R. 7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works;

H. R. 8209. An act temporarily to exempt refunding bonds of the government of Puerto Rico from the limitation of public indebtedness under the organic act; and

H. R. 8270. An act to enable the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii to authorize the issuance of certain bonds, and for other purposes.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8974, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 2259. An act to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 3090. An act for the relief of Mayme Hughes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1629) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Wheeler,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REVISION OF COPYRIGHT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Trammell, striking out lines 3 to 15, inclusive, on page 10, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Trammell modified his amendment, and the amendment, as modified, was subsequently agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. George.

Mr. Wagner raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Russell in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolutions of the Senate:

S. 1227. An act to authorize the issuance and sale of the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes;

S. 1726. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal, in the State of Texas;

S. 3289. An act to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex.;

S. 3329. An act to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 96. Joint resolution to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States;

S. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederic A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 139. Joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939; and

S. J. Res. 145. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the

protection of life and property during the period August 16, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive.

The House insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 405) for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mrs. Norton, Mr. Palmisano, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

The House insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 2034) to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Jenckes of Indiana, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 351. An act for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith;

H. R. 2125. An act for the relief of George William Henning; and

H. R. 3230. An act for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 3641. An act to amend section 559 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department;

H. R. 3642. An act to amend section 483 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the Police Department;

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pension, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay and insurance, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4507. An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Park, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT OF AIR-MAIL LAWS

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the report,

Pending debate,

DEFICIENCY AND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Adams submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 2, 12, 18, 31, 34, 35, 38, 39, 42, 43, 47, 55, 66, 68, 71, 72, 75, 77, 84, 85, 87, and 88.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 14, 16, 17, 19, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 30, 32, 33, 41, 45, 46, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 57, 58, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 67, 73, 74, 82, 86, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, and 98, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 10: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 10, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment, insert the following: *$62,500, of which $36,000 shall be available for the fiscal year 1936, and no part of such sum of $36,000 shall be used to compensate any person at a rate in excess of $10,000 per annum, and*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 6 of the matter inserted by said amendment, strike out "$300,000" and insert in lieu thereof *$200,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 1 of the matter inserted by said amendment, before the syllable "con-" insert a comma, and in line 9, strike out "$600,000" and insert in lieu thereof *$500,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment, insert the following: *Salaries: For an additional amount for personal services, fiscal year 1936, $45,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 21: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 21, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lines 6 and 7 of the matter inserted by said amendment, strike out the following: "to remain available until expended,"; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 26: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 26, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 7 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "5927–91" and insert in lieu thereof *4927–91*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 44: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 44, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum named in said amendment insert *$70,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 56: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 56, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 1 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "$7,550,000" and insert in lieu thereof *$3,050,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 69: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 69, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: At the end of the matter inserted by said amendment before the period insert *, or so much thereof as may be necessary*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 70: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 70, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 2 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "1301581" and insert in lieu thereof *0301581*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 76: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 76, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment, amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. In all suits now pending in the Court of Claims by an Indian tribe or band which have not been tried or submitted, and in any suit hereafter filed in the Court of Claims by any such tribe or band, the Court of Claims is hereby directed to consider and to offset against any amount found due the said tribe or band all sums expended gratuitously by the United States for the benefit of the said tribe or band; and in all cases now pending or hereafter filed in the Court of Claims in which an Indian tribe or band is party plaintiff, wherein the duty of the court is merely to report its findings of fact and conclusions to Congress, the said Court of Claims is hereby directed to include in its report a statement of the amount of money which has been expended by the United States gratuitously for the benefit of the said tribe or band: Provided, That expenditures made prior to the date of the law, treaty, agreement, or Executive order under which the claims arise shall not be offset against the claims or claim asserted; and expenditures under the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. L. 984), except expenditures under appropriations made pursuant to section 5 of such Act, shall not be charged as offsets against any claim on behalf of an Indian tribe or tribes now pending in the Court of Claims or hereafter filed: Provided further, That funds appropriated and expended from tribal funds shall not be construed as gratuities; and this section shall not be deemed to amend or affect the various Acts granting jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims listed on page 678 of the hearings before the subcommittee of the House Committee on Appropriations on the second deficiency appropriation bill for the fiscal year 1935: Provided further, That no expenditure under any emergency appropriation or allotment made subsequently to March 4, 1933, and generally applicable throughout the United States for relief in stricken agricultural areas, relief from distress caused by unemployment and conditions resulting therefrom, the prosecution of public works and public projects for the relief of unemployment or to increase employment, and for work relief (including the civil works program) shall be considered in connection with the operation of this section.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 78: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 78, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In line 9 of the matter inserted by said amendment strike out the comma where it appears the first time and insert in lieu thereof *and*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 79: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 79, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$36,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 80: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 80, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *: Provided further, That not to exceed $1,000,000 shall be expended on the dam on the Hiwassee River*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 81: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 81, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$21,250,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 83: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 83, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the sum proposed insert *$60,000,000*; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 7, 13, 27, 29, 36, 37, 40, 48, 49, 59, and 65.

ALVA B. ADAMS,
CARTER GLASS,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
FREDERICK HALE,
L. J. DICKINSON,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
J. P. BUCHANAN,
EDWARD T. TAYLOR,
JOHN N. SANDLIN,
JOHN TABER,
(Except as to T. V. A.),
ROBERT L. BACON,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 4 o'clock and 57 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Women's Committee of Louisiana, of New Orleans, La., as a tribute to the late Senator R. B. Howell, of Nebraska; and

Petitions of citizens of the State of New York praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A resolution adopted at Duluth, Minn., by the Northwest Shippers Advisory Board favoring legislation to eliminate the long-and-short-haul clause from section 4 of the Interstate Commerce Act; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of citizens of the 5th Congressional District of Ohio praying action on the so-called "McGroarty bill" providing for old-age pensions.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. La Follette presented a resolution adopted by the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin commending the President on his distribution of wealth tax program and urging the enactment of legislation to make retroactive to January 1, 1935, the provisions of the proposed income, inheritance and gift taxes; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Wagner presented a resolution adopted by the Central Labor Council, of Buffalo, N. Y., endorsing the legislative program of the President.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3182. A bill authorizing an appropriation to carry out the provisions of section 26 of the agreement with the Muskogee or Creek Tribe of Indians, approved March 1, 1901 (Rept. No. 1203); and

S. 3268. A bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to make a lease for the Agua Caliente or Palm Springs Band of Mission Indians of California (Rept. No. 1201).

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6602) for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1202) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3169) for the relief of Charles E. La Vatta, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1204) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 265) pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto, reported it without amendment.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 290) to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1205) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Bills and joint resolutions were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Minton:

A bill (S. 3374) for the relief of the State of Indiana; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Byrnes and Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3375) providing for the cash payment of adjusted-service certificates, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3376) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Murphy:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 170) authorizing the President to reduce customs duties on manufactured articles if processing taxes on agricultural commodities shall be held invalid; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Pope:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 171) providing for the establishment of a game management supply depot and laboratory, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 2193. An act to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah; and

S. 2545. An act to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 2426. An act to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes; and

S. 2865. An act to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1633. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes; and

S. 2073. An act to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 6645. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of certain public buildings, and for other purposes", approved May 25, 1926;

H. R. 6869. An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin to submit claims to the Court of Claims;

H. R. 7438. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934;

H. J. Res. 129. Joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, to permit an adjudication with respect to liens of the United States arising by virtue of loans under such joint resolution; and

H. J. Res. 276. Joint resolution authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson without cost title to section 10, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, Senate Joint Resolution 167, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

The bills and joint resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 6645 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 6869 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs; that the bill H. R. 7438 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 129 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 276 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 167) to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes."

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF AIR-MAIL LAWS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws, and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service.

The question being on agreeing to the report,

Pending debate,

Mr. White raised a question of order, viz, that the conferees had exceed their authority by inserting in section 6, at the end thereof, the following language:

"And the Commission shall make a report to the Congress, not later than January 15, 1936, whether or not, in its judgment, a fair and reasonable rate of compensation on each of said eight contracts, under the other provisions and conditions of said act, as herein amended, is in excess of 33⅓ cents per mile; together with full facts and reasons in detail why it recommends for or against any claim for increase."

And by inserting in section 10, at the end thereof, the following language:

"There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for Contract Air Mail Service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department."

After debate, by unanimous consent,

The President pro tempore, in the following language, overruled the question of order:

A point of order is made by the Senator from Maine, Mr. White, against the language in the conference report on page 3, which reads as follows:

"And the Commission shall make a report to the Congress, not later than January 15, 1936, whether or not, in its judgment, a fair and reasonable rate of compensation on each of said eight contracts, under the other provisions and conditions of said act, as herein amended, is in excess of 33⅓ cents per mile; together with full facts and reasons in detail why it recommends for or against any claim for increase."

Also, a point of order is made to the language on page 5 of the conference report, which reads:

"There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for contract air-mail service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department."

The point of order is based on the allegation that new legislation is carried in the conference report not contained in either the Senate or House bills.

In the Senate bill this language appears with regard to the 33⅓ cents per mile:

"*Provided*, That where the Postmaster General holds that a low bidder is not responsible or qualified under this act, such bidder shall have the right to appeal to the Comptroller General, who shall speedily determine the issue, and his decision shall be final: *Provided further*, That the base rate of pay which may be bid and accepted in awarding such contracts shall in no case exceed 33⅓ cents per airplane-mile for transporting a mail load not exceeding 300 pounds. Payment for transportation shall be at the base rate fixed in the contract for the first 300 pounds of mail or fraction thereof plus one-tenth of such base rate for each additional 100 pounds of mail or fraction thereof, computed at the end of each calendar month on the basis of the average mail load carried per mile over the route during such month, except that in no case shall payment exceed 40 cents per airplane-mile."

In the House bill, in section 6 (a), as amended, this matter is provided for. The last part of that section says:

"In no case shall the rates fixed and determined by the said Commission hereunder exceed by more than 20 percent the limits prescribed in section 3 (a) of this act."

It will be observed that while this matter is treated in both the Senate and the House bills, they are at entire variance in their treatment of it. Therefore both of the sections were in conference.

Under the interpretation of the present occupant of the chair, where all after the enacting clause of a House bill is stricken out and an entirely new bill inserted by the Senate, the question arises as to whether or not the language used as a substitute for the two sections is germane and carries out the intent of both bodies with regard to such particular legislation.

As to the provision which is the subject of the last point of order—

"There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for contract air-mail service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department—"

The Chair calls attention to the fact that the Senate bill carries no provision for auditing the books, while the House bill, in section 10, as amended, carries this provision:

"All persons holding air-mail contracts shall be required to keep their books, records, and accounts under such regulations as may be promulgated by the Postmaster General, and he is hereby authorized, if and when he deems it advisable to do so, to examine and audit the books, records, and accounts of such contractors, and to require such contractors to submit full financial reports in such form and under such regulations as he may prescribe."

That requirement is found alone in the House bill. The Senate did not have to accept that provision. If it did accept that provision, it could accept it with such conditions as it saw fit. It did accept the provision with this condition:

"There is authorized to be used from the appropriations for contract air-mail service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, a sum not in excess of $25,000 for the purpose of auditing the books and records of air-mail contractors by the Post Office Department."

That addition to the House provision certainly is germane, and it is a reasonable condition to impose upon the adoption of the House provision for auditing the books.

The former provision which the Chair has discussed, which requires a report to Congress, is absolutely germane to the issue raised by the different sections of the two bills. Being germane, and the language not being identical in both bills, it was a reasonable adjustment of the differences in that particular between the two Houses.

The Chair overrules the points of order.

The conference report was then agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REVISION OF COPYRIGHT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope,

Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they this day presented to the President of the United States the enrolled joint resolution (S. J. Res. 167) to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes."

AMENDMENT OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 1633) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and for other purposes, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AIR-MAIL SERVICE IN ALASKA

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the message heretofore received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5159) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. McKellar,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. McKellar, Mr. Hayden, and Mr. Schall.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REVISION OF COPYRIGHT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes.

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Neely in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Borah.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 4 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

CHECKS IN PAYMENT OF VETERANS' BENEFITS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to protect the United States against loss in the delivery through the mails of checks in payment of benefits provided for by laws administered by the Veterans' Administration; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

PETITION

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Central Labor Council of Buffalo, N. Y., endorsing the legislative program of the President.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Maloney, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3326) granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1206) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 414) to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1207) thereon.

Mr. La Follette, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indians Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6869) authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin to submit claims to the Court of Claims, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1208) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2219) for the relief of Lt. D. A. Neumann, Pay Corps, United States Naval Reserve Force, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1209) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3377) granting an increase of pension to John Flanagan; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 3378) granting an increase of pension to Eliza A. Walker (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Copeland (by request):

A bill (S. 3379) to amend the act approved June 19, 1934, entitled the "Communications Act of 1934"; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3380) for the relief of William H. Chambliss; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3381) to provide for the protection and preservation of domestic sources of tin; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Pope:

A bill (S. 3382) to establish the Sawtooth National Park in the State of Idaho; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Norbeck and Mr. Bulow:

A bill (S. 3383) to extend the time for making payments on certain crop loans; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3384) for the relief of Gust Dahlman; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 3385) to provide for the exchange of Government-owned submarginal lands for Indian lands or other lands for national monument purposes, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Pittman:

A bill (S. 3386) for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3387) to amend section 603 of the Revenue Act of 1932; to the Committee on Finance.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2865) to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Van Nuys,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOURS OF DUTY OF POSTAL EMPLOYEES

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6990) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes, was reconsidered; and the vote ordering the engrossment of the amendment and the third reading of the bill, and the vote agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, were, respectively, reconsidered.

The reported amendment was then further amended on the motion of Mr. Byrnes and the motion of Mr. McKellar, and, as amended, agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

REVISION OF COPYRIGHT ACT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3047) to amend the act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the acts respecting copyright", approved March 4, 1909, as amended, and for other purposes; and having been further amended on the motion of Mr. Wagner,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed each without amendment the following bills of the Senate:

S. 12. An act to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act;

S. 39. An act for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

S. 170. An act for the relief of Alva A. Murphy;

S. 276. An act for the relief of Harry Layman;

S. 470. An act for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.;

S. 556. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 659. An act for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

S. 684. An act for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.;

S. 685. An act for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co.;

S. 794. An act for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co.;

S. 908. An act for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

S. 928. An act for the relief of Rene Hooge;

S. 997. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry;

S. 1347. An act for the relief of Robert J. Smith, alias William McClocklin;

S. 1359. An act for the relief of A. N. Ross;

S. 1781. An act for the relief of George Voeltz;

S. 1980. An act for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn;

S. 2169. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States;

S. 2533. An act for the relief of the rightful heirs of Tiwastewin or Anna;

S. 2879. An act for the relief of Catherine Grace; and

S. 2958. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1079. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement; and

S. 2160. An act for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 872. An act for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims;

S. 1024. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton-Branchville Railroad Co.;

S. 1811. An act providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin; and

S. 2140. An act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey.

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The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 258. An act for the relief of Emma B. Hine;

H. R. 605. An act for the relief of Joseph Maier;

H. R. 704. An act for the relief of Thelbert Davis;

H. R. 839. An act for the relief of Frederick Leininger;

H. R. 1833. An act for the relief of Lettie Leverett;

H. R. 2119. An act for the relief of Mrs. E. L. Babcock, mother and guardian of Nelson Babcock, a minor;

H. R. 2411. An act for the relief of E. F. Purvis;

H. R. 2469. An act for the relief of Michael P. Lucas;

H. R. 3147. An act for the relief of Will A. Helmer;

H. R. 3202. An act for the relief of W. H. Greene;

H. R. 3509. An act for the relief of the legal guardian of Nick Vasilzevic;

H. R. 3546. An act for the relief of Sarah Elizabeth Ballentyne;

H. R. 3965. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey;

H. R. 3967. An act for the relief of Raymond Parramore;

H. R. 4436. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Alta Melvin and Tommy Melvin;

H. R. 4513. An act to authorize payment of claims for unauthorized emergency treatment of World War veterans;

H. R. 4568. An act for the relief of Forrest D. Stout;

H. R. 4570. An act for the relief of Amy McLaurin;

H. R. 4601. An act for the relief of the heirs of Gladys Picklesimer;

H. R. 4619. An act for the relief of Joseph Salinghi;

H. R. 4777. An act to provide for the advancement on the retired list of the Army of Vincent P. Rousseau;

H. R. 5090. An act for the relief of Julius A. Geske;

H. R. 5122. An act for the relief of R. C. McCoy, J. L. Garner, C. G. Kauffman, W. G. Smiley, R. A. Burks, C. W. Brazzelton, R. F. Brazzelton, Dave Cash, Mrs. A. W. Dykes, Jim Thereldkeld, R. R. Crain, J. B. Tolson, J. C. Rogers, S. K. Broach, Albert Easterling, J. L. Rivers, F. C. Wilson, E. C. Finley, W. W. Mitchell, J. G. Carey, Carl Graves, Jerome Dupree, J. R. Mitchell, J. L. Mitchell, and J. C. Russell;

H. R. 5325. An act for the relief of Ira L. Reeves;

H. R. 5347. An act for the relief of Bertha Moseley Bottoms;

H. R. 5351. An act for the relief of Rose Teiermeyer;

H. R. 5415. An act to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States;

H. R. 5492. An act for the relief of Henry Scipper;

H. R. 5516. An act authorizing the President to issue a posthumous commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, to Archie Joseph Evans, deceased, and to present the same to Maj. Argess M. Evans, father of the said Archie Joseph Evans, deceased;

H. R. 5523. An act for the relief of A. H. Sphar;

H. R. 5525. An act for the relief of George Current;

H. R. 5550. An act for the relief of Malachy Ryan;

H. R. 5654. An act to authorize the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claim of Samuel W. Carter;

H. R. 5816. An act for the relief of May C. Gustin;

H. R. 5838. An act to place David J. Fitzgerald on the retired list of the United States Army as a first lieutenant;

H. R. 6137. An act for the relief of the Otto Misch Co.;

H. R. 6168. An act for the relief of Charles K. Shade;

H. R. 6275. An act for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston;

H. R. 6297. An act for the relief of Leon Frederick Ruggles;

H. R. 6402. An act for the relief of Julia M. Crowell;

H. R. 7099. An act for the relief of Rocco D'Amato;

H. R. 7137. An act for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne;

H. R. 8421. An act granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War; and

H. R. 8963. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.

The Speaker of the House having signed 15 enrolled bills, viz, S. 1227, S. 1629, S. 1726, S. 2193, S. 2545, S. 3289, S. 3329, H. R. 351, H. R. 2125, H. R. 3230, H. R. 3641, H. R. 3642, H. R. 3979, H. R. 4507, and H. R. 7447, and 4 enrolled joint resolutions, viz, S. J. Res. 96, S. J. Res. 117, S. J. Res. 139, S. J. Res. 145, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 1227. An act to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes;

S. 1629. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes;

S. 1726. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal, in the State of Texas;

S. 2193. An act to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah;

S. 2545. An act to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.;

S. 3289. An act to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex.;

S. 3329. An act to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes;

H. R. 351. An act for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora D. Smith;

H. R. 2125. An act for the relief of George William Henning;

H. R. 3230. An act for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.;

H. R. 3641. An act to amend section 559 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department;

H. R. 3642. An act to amend section 483 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department;

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pensions, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay and insurance, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4507. An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a union railroad station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 96. Joint resolution to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States;

S. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederic A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 139. Joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939; and

S. J. Res. 145. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the period August 16, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 258, H. R. 605, H. R. 704, H. R. 1833, H. R. 2119, H. R. 2411, H. R. 3147, H. R. 3202, H. R. 3509, H. R. 3546, H. R. 3965, H. R. 3967, H. R. 4568, H. R. 4570, H. R. 4601, H. R. 4619, H. R. 5090, H. R. 5122, H. R. 5347, H. R. 5351, H. R. 5415, H. R. 5492, H. R. 5523, H. R. 5525, H. R. 5550, H. R. 5654, H. R. 5816, H. R. 6137, H. R. 6168, H. R. 6275, H. R. 6297, H. R. 6402, H. R. 7099, and H. R. 7137 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bills H. R. 839, H. R. 2469, H. R. 4777, H. R. 5325, and H. R. 5516 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bill H. R. 4513 be referred to the Committee on Finance; that the bills H. R. 8421, H. R. 8422, H. R. 8423, H. R. 8424, H. R. 8425, and H. R. 8426 be referred to the Committee on Pensions; and that the bills H. R. 4436, H. R. 5838, and H. R. 8963 be placed on the calendar.

GEORGE D. MANSFIELD CO. AND GEORGE D. MANSFIELD

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Burke in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2160) for the relief of George D. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BAN ON GOLD-CLAUSE SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Stelwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Robinson's motion was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said joint resolution.

Pending debate,

EXECUTION OF INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1079) authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

STATISTICS ON TURPENTINE AND ROSIN

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1811) providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. George,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLAWN, N. J.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2140) for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Moore,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6511) to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 27, 29, and 36 to the said bill and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 7, 13, 37, 40, 48, 49, 59, and 65 to the said bill and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 33), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in the enrollment of H. R. 8554, the

second deficiency appropriation bill, fiscal year 1935, the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to strike out the word "year" in line 17, page 10, of the engrossed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: *years 1935 and.*

DEFICIENCY AND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendments of the Senate numbered 7, 13, 37, 40, 48, 49, 59, and 65 to the bill (H. R. 8554) making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ENROLLMENT OF SECOND DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 33) to authorize the Clerk of the House, in the enrollment of H. R. 8554, the Second Deficiency Act, to make a corrective change in the text of the appropriation for the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Commission, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BAN ON GOLD-CLAUSE SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. White raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The reported amendments were agreed to.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That after the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. on tomorrow no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the pending joint resolution, or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment thereto, and that there shall be a yea-and-nay vote on the question of its passage.

EQUITABLE USE OF WATERS OF RIO GRANDE

Mr. Connally submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6453) providing amendments to the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande below Fort Quitman, Tex., in cooperation with the United States of Mexico", as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses, as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5, and agree to the same with an amendment.

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *Mexico; and to construct and maintain fences, monuments and other demarcations of the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, and sewer systems, water systems, and electric light, power and gas systems crossing the international border, and to continue such work and operations through the American Commissioner as are now in progress and are authorized by law.*

The President is authorized and empowered to construct, operate and maintain on the Rio Grande River below Fort Quitman, Tex., any and all works or projects which are recommended to the President as the result of such investigations and by the President are deemed necessary and proper.

And the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22 and agree to the same.

KEY PITTMAN,
HIRAM W. JOHNSON,
TOM CONNALLY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

S. D. MCREYNOLDS,
SOL BLOOM,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 14 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the American Bar Association favoring the passage of House Joint Resolution 237, providing for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the "Oliver Wendell Holmes Memorial Fund."

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Bachman presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring compensation to owners of property bordering the Mississippi River for damage and destruction caused from overflow and the maintenance of levees on the opposite side of the river from Tennessee; which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mrs. Caraway, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 630) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, to provide an interest rate of 3 percent per annum on loans to agricultural improvement districts, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2476) to grant a patent to Albert M. Johnson and Walter Scott, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1210) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8026) to establish and promote the use of standards of classification for tobacco, to provide and maintain an official tobacco inspection service, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1211) thereon.

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2130) for the relief of John M. McNulty, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1212) thereon.

Mr. Norbeck, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3383) to extend the time for making payments on certain crop loans, reported it with an amendment to the title and submitted a report (No. 1213) thereon.

The Senate proceeded by unanimous consent to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to grant extension of time in payment of crop loans where the borrower has suffered from crop failure in 1935."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 7, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions:

S. 1227. An act to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes;

S. 1629. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes;

S. 1726. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal, in the State of Texas;

S. 2193. An act to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah;

S. 2545. An act to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian School known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.;

S. 3289. An act to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex.;

S. 3329. An act to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 96. Joint resolution to carry out the intention of Congress, with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana, and any band thereof against the United States;

S. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederick A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 139. Joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939; and

S. J. Res. 145. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the period August 16, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3388) for the relief of Eva Markowitz; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3389) to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the southern district of New York; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3390) granting an increase of pension to Ruth A. Dana; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Smith:

A bill (S. 3391) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a medal with appropriate emblems and inscriptions commemorative of Jefferson Davis; and

A bill (S. 3392) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a medal with appropriate emblems and inscriptions commemorative of Gen. Robert Edward Lee; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3393) to create a Federal Board of Foreign Trade; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 3394) for the relief of Edmond G. Warren; to the Committee on Claims.

TRADE AGREEMENTS WITH DEFAULTING DEBTOR NATIONS

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 179):

"*Resolved by the Senate of the United States in session assembled,* That it is the expression of the United States Senate, speaking in behalf of the Senate to the extent permitted under the laws and Constitution to the United States Senate, that the United States shall in no wise engage to or grant by treaty or contract any trade privileges either in unilateral or bilateral treaty nor extend privileges and advantages under the favored-nation clause, nor enter upon any commercial or industrial treaty with any country indebted to the United States and which debtor refuses payment of the obligations or declines to acknowledge the same and continues the course of refusing to acknowledge the obligation of indebtedness."

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

PAYMENT TO SENATOR GEORGE AS REIMBURSEMENT

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 180), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

"*Resolved,* That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for expenses of inquiries and investigations, fiscal year 1935, contingent expenses of the Senate, the sum of $400, to Hon. Walter F. George, Chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, as reimbursement for necessary expenses incurred incident to certain election contests which have been pending before said committee."

REPORT ON SURVEY OF THE DES MOINES RIVER

Mr. Murphy, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 181), which was referred to the Committee on Commerce:

"*Resolved,* That the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors created under section 3 of the Rivers and Harbors Act approved June 13, 1902, is requested to examine and review the report on the survey of the Des Moines River, authorized by and submitted under the provisions of the act entitled 'An act to provide for the repair, maintenance, and preservation of public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes', approved March 3, 1909, with a view to improving said river in the interests of navigation in furthering the development of a system of inland waterways."

BAN ON GOLD-CLAUSE SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes.

No further amendment being made,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 53 / Nays---------- 24}

The yeas and nays having been heretofore ordered,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Copeland, Davis, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Johnson, King, McNary, Metcalf, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the joint resolution pass.

The preamble was amended, and, as amended, agreed to.

The title was amended, as reported by the committee, to read: "Joint resolution authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States thereon; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS WITH STATES FOR PURCHASE OF FOREST LANDS

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The motion heretofore entered by him to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes, was agreed to.

The vote ordering the third reading of the bill having also been reconsidered, the bill was amended on the motion of Mr. McKellar; when

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. King.

HAMPTON & BRANCHVILLE RAILROAD CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1024) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1426. An act providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade;

S. 1439. An act amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information; and

S. 3192. An act to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4450. An act to provide for the appraisal of the pneumatic mail-tube systems in New York and Boston;

H. R. 8369. An act relating to laborers in the Railway Mail Service and motor-vehicle employees of the Postal Service;

H. R. 8730. An act to provide special rates of postage on matter for the blind;

H. R. 8790. An act to amend section 6 of the act of February 28, 1925; and

H. R. 8869. An act to amend sections 181 and 186 of the Criminal Code.

The Speaker of the House having signed 24 enrolled bills, viz, S. 12, S. 39, S. 170, S. 276, S. 470, S. 556, S. 659, S. 684, S. 685, S. 794, S. 908, S. 928, S. 997, S. 1347, S. 1359, S. 1633, S. 1781, S. 1980, S. 2169, S. 2533, S. 2865, S. 2879, S. 2958, and H. R. 6511, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 4450, H. R. 8369, H. R. 8730, H. R. 8790, and H. R. 8869, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 12. An act to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act;

S. 39. An act for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

S. 170. An act for the relief of Alva A. Murphy;

S. 276. An act for the relief of Harry Layman;

S. 470. An act for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.;

S. 556. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 659. An act for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

S. 684. An act for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.;

S. 685. An act for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co.;

S. 794. An act for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co.;

S. 908. An act for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

S. 928. An act for the relief of Rene Hooge;

S. 997. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry;

S. 1347. An act for the relief of Robert J. Smith, alias William McClocklin;

S. 1359. An act for the relief of A. N. Ross;

S. 1633. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended;

S. 1781. An act for the relief of George Voeltz;

S. 1980. An act for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn;

S. 2169. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States;

S. 2533. An act for the relief of the rightful heirs of Tiwastewin or Anna;

S. 2865. An act to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928;

S. 2879. An act for the relief of Catherine Grace;

S. 2958. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.; and

H. R. 6511. An act to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. Walsh that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes,

After debate,

The motion was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

Mr. Barkley raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norback, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the reported amendment, striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Pope in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On motion by Mr. Clark to refer the bill to the Committee on Finance,

It was determined in the negative, {Yeas---------- 25 / Nays---------- 45}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bachman, Bone, Burke, Byrd, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, George, Glass, Gore, Hale, Johnson, McNary, Moore, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Russell, Schall, Smith, Steiwer, Tydings, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bankhead, Barkley, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Chavez, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Clark's motion was not agreed to.

Pending debate,

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Hatch.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the said bill was temporarily laid aside; and

CONTROL OF MISSISSIPPI RIVER FLOODS

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7349) to amend the act entitled "An act for the control of floods on the Mississippi River, and its tributaries, and for other purposes", approved May 15, 1928, as amended; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

AIR-MAIL SERVICE IN ALASKA

Mr. McKellar submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5159) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to same with an amendment as follows:

Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment and in line 6 of the House engrossed bill, after the word "Alaska"

and the comma, insert the following: *at a total annual cost of not exceeding $25,000,*; and the Senate agree to the same.

KENNETH MCKELLAR,
CARL HAYDEN,
THOMAS D. SCHALL,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
W. F. BRUNNER,
HARRY L. HAINES,
DONALD C. DOBBINS,
JOHN T. BUCKBEE,
FRED A. HARTLEY, Jr.,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 3 o'clock p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Davis presented a resolution adopted at Philadelphia, Pa., by the Joint Conference of Anti-Nazi Organizations remonstrating against the practices of the Nazi Party in Germany; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

Resolutions adopted at Worcester, Mass., by the Massachusetts State Building Trades Council favoring adjustment of wages and conditions on projects of the Works Progress Administration and Public Works Administration in the State of Massachusetts and representation of labor on problems relating to grievances and working conditions on such projects; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A petition of the Community Chest of Worcester, Mass., Inc., praying the allowance of deductions for welfare gifts by corporations in income-tax payments; and

A memorial of the Retail Liquor Consumers Association, of Cambridge, Mass., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation permitting bulk sales of liquor to hotels, clubs, and others; to the Committee on Finance.

A petition of the International Institute of Lowell, Inc., of Lowell, Mass., praying the passage of legislation relating to alien deportations; and

A memorial of the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, of Boston, Mass., remonstrating against the passage of such legislation; to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of the Worcester County Bar Association, of Fitchburg, Mass., praying the passage of legislation to make unlawful the practice of law before Government departments and agencies by other than duly licensed attorneys at law; and

A petition of Branch 459, United National Association of Post Office Clerks, of Newburyport, Mass., praying the passage of legislation providing a 40-hour week for postal employees.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 8, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 12. An act to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act;

S. 39. An act for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

S. 170. An act for the relief of Alva A. Murphy;

S. 276. An act for the relief of Harry Layman;

S. 470. An act for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.;

S. 556. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 659. An act for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

S. 684. An act for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.;

S. 685. An act for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co.;

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S. 908. An act for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

S. 928. An act for the relief of Rene Hooge;

S. 997. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry;

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S. 2879. An act for the relief of Catherine Grace; and

S. 2958. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Steiwer, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1880) for the relief of Ivan H. McCormack, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1214) thereon.

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1215) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2673) for the relief of certain persons whose cotton was destroyed by fire in the Ouachita Warehouse, Camden, Ark., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1216) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5122) for the relief of R. C. McCoy, J. L. Garner, C. G. Kauffman, W. G. Smiley, R. A. Burks, C. W. Brazzelton, R. F. Brazzelton, Dave Cash, Mrs. A. W. Dykes, Jim Thereldkeld, R. R. Crain, J. B. Tolson, J. C. Rogers, S. K. Broach, Albert Easterling, J. L. Rivers, F. C. Wilson, E. C. Finley, W. W. Mitchell, J. G. Carey, Carl Graves, Jerome Dupree, J. R. Mitchell, J. L. Mitchell, and J. C. Russell, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1217) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1826) for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service to include employees in the legislative branch, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1218) thereon.

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2712. A bill to promote the efficiency of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (Rept. No. 1219);

S. 3160. A bill to amend the law relating to residence requirements of applicants for examinations before the Civil Service Commission (Rept. No. 1223); and

H. R. 5375. An act relating to the compensation of certain charwomen (Rept. No. 1224).

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5325) for the relief of Ira L. Reeves, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1220) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3119) to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station, on Mount Desert Island in the State of Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1221) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3149) providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1222) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2910) to add certain lands to the Weiser National Forest, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1225) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8555) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1226) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3344) to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3184) to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1227) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 159) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission, reported it with amendments to the preamble and submitted a report (No. 1228) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2804) to authorize the payment of retired pay to William Mitchell, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1229) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3395) to authorize the acquisition of the railroad tracks, trestle, and right-of-way of the Gulf Power Co. at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 3396) granting a pension to Ella Elizabeth Dale; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 3397) to allow credit in the accounts of certain disbursing officers of the Veterans' Administration; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Costigan and Mr. Adams:

A bill (S. 3398) to establish the Air Corps Technical School and to acquire certain land in the State of Colorado for use as a site for said Air Corps Technical School and as an aerial gunnery and bombing range for the Army Air Corps; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3399) for the relief of Rosalie Piar Sprecher (nee Rosa Piar); to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3400) to authorize the appointment of Maxwell C. Murphy as a captain, Dental Corps, United States Army; and

A bill (S. 3401) for the relief of William A. Ballard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 3402) for the relief of Mamie Randel; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Bulkley:

A bill (S. 3403) authorizing enlistment in the Army for a limited period and intensive military training of boys recently graduated from high school, or young men recently enrolled as students in college, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 3404) granting a pension to Lenora B. Easterday; to the Committee on Pensions.

JOINT CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY FISCAL SYSTEM OF UNITED STATES

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 23), which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there is hereby established a joint congressional committee to be composed of 10 Senators and 10 Members of the House of Representatives. Such committee shall consist of the Chairmen of the Committees on Appropriations of the two Houses, the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Finance, the Chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means, and four members of each such standing committees, to be appointed by the respective chairmen of such standing committees. The committee is authorized and directed to make a full and complete study of the present fiscal system of the United States and to submit a report to the two Houses of Congress on or before ———, recommending (1) such legislation as it may deem necessary or advisable to place such fiscal system on a sounder and more scientific basis, and (2) such changes in the revenue laws as will effectuate a more equitable distribution of the burdens of taxation, and such increases in taxation, based primarily on ability to pay, together with such decreases and retrenchments in public expenditure as will ultimately and at the earliest practicable date bring revenues and expenditures into balance.

For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ such experts, and clerical, stenographic, and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, and to take such testimony and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $———, shall be paid one-half from the contingent fund of the Senate and one-half from the contingent fund of the House of Representatives, upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the committee.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

William H. Chambliss; to the Committee on Claims.

Beatrice A. Gildart; National Guard, care and treatment of members of; and tin, domestic sources, protection of; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Elizabeth Ella Dale and Margaret A. Srout; to the Committee on Pensions.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the respective reports of the committees of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 4665. An act to authorize the appointment of a district judge to fill the vacancy in the district of Massachusetts occasioned by the death of Hon. James A. Lowell; and

H. R. 6453. An act to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande" and so forth, as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on certain amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6990) to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 8458. An act to provide for vacations to Government employees, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8459. An act to standardize sick leave and extend it to all civilian employees; and

H. J. Res. 189. Joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners.

The Speaker of the House having signed six enrolled bills, viz, S. 1079, S. 1439, S. 1811, S. 2140, S. 2160, and S. 3192, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On August 5, 1935:

H. R. 5382. An act to provide for advancement by selection in the Staff Corps of the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant commander and lieutenant; to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the equalization of promotion of officers of the Staff Corps of the Navy with officers of the line" (44 Stat. 717; U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 34, secs. 348 to 348t), and for other purposes;

H. R. 5920. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain Government land to the borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., for street purposes and as a part of the approach to the Stroudsburg Viaduct on State Highway Route No. 498;

H. R. 6768. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the Seventeenth National Convention of the American Legion at St. Louis, Mo., during the month of September 1935;

H. R. 6983. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Anderson, S. C., to such city;

H. R. 7575. An act to legalize a bridge across Black River on United States Highway No. 60 in the town of Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Mo.;

H. R. 7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities;

H. R. 7620. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Morgan and Wash Streets in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and a point opposite thereto in the city of East St. Louis, Ill.;

H. R. 7809. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of certain free highway bridges across the Red River from Moorhead, Minn., to Fargo, N. Dak.;

H. R. 7902. An act to provide a right-of-way;

H. R. 7980. An act to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8400. An act providing for the loan by the War Department of certain material and equipment to the Veterans of Foreign Wars 1935 Encampment Corporation, and for other purposes.

On August 6, 1935:

H. R. 6656. An act to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., by means of an overhead bridge, to cross New York Avenue NE.; to extend, construct, maintain, and operate certain industrial sidetracks; and for other purposes.

On August 7, 1935:

H. R. 373. An act for the relief of the American Surety Co. of New York;

H. R. 419. An act for the relief of Ruth Relyea;

H. R. 670. An act conferring jurisdiction in the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of George B. Gates;

H. R. 1540. An act for the relief of Lester I. Conrad;

H. R. 1541. An act for the relief of Evelyn Jotter;

H. R. 1864. An act for the relief of Henry Dinucci.

H. R. 2122. An act for the relief of William Seader;

H. R. 2480. An act for the relief of Charles Davis;

H. R. 2606. An act for the relief of the estate of Paul Kichler;

H. R. 2611. An act for the relief of John E. Fondahl;

H. R. 2679. An act for the relief of Ladislav Cizek;

H. R. 3337. An act for the relief of James Akeroyd & Co.;

H. R. 3506. An act for the relief of George Raptis;

H. R. 3558. An act for the relief of Capt. Walter S. Bramble;

H. R. 3612. An act to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended;

H. R. 3760. An act for the relief of Capt. Arthur L. Bristol, United States Navy;

H. R. 3826. An act for the relief of John Evans;

H. R. 4029. An act for the relief of Thomas Enchoff;

H. R. 4146. An act for the relief of Mrs. Olin H. Reed;

H. R. 4274. An act correcting the date of enlistment of Elza Bennett in the United States Navy;

H. R. 4290. An act for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler;

H. R. 4406. An act for the relief of Anna Farruggia;

H. R. 4718. An act for the relief of Yamato Sesoko;

H. R. 4812. An act for the relief of Mrs. Carlysle Von Thomas, Sr.;

H. R. 4814. An act for the relief of Lt. Col. Russell B. Putnam, United States Marine Corps;

H. R. 4815. An act for the relief of Jasper Daleo;

H. R. 4820. An act for the relief of Lawrence S. Copeland;

H. R. 4824. An act for the relief of Capt. George W. Steele, Jr., United States Navy;

H. R. 4828. An act for the relief of John L. Summers, disbursing clerk, Treasury Department, and for other purposes;

H. R. 4833. An act for the relief of Ciriaco Hernandez and others;

H. R. 4838. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

H. R. 4850. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 4901. An act to authorize appropriations to pay the annual share of the United States as an adhering member of the International Council of Scientific Unions and associated unions;

H. R. 4974. An act for the relief of Rabbi Isaac Levine;

H. R. 5041. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Lela C. Brady and Ira P. Brady for the losses sustained by them by reason of the negligence of an employee of the Civilian Conservation Corps;

H. R. 5532. An act to provide for the acquisition of a portrait of Thomas Walker Gilmer;

H. R. 6549. An act for the relief of Horton & Horton;

H. R. 6673. An act providing for an annual appropriation to meet the share of the United States toward the expenses of the International Technical Committee on Aerial Legal Experts, and for participation in the meetings of the International Technical Committee of Aerial Legal Experts and the commissions established by that committee:

H. R. 6825. An act for the relief of Mrs. Clarence J. McClary;

H. R. 7909. An act to amend the act creating a United States Court for China and prescribing the title thereof, as amended; and

H. J. Res. 335. Joint resolution to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

On August 8, 1935:

H. R. 2449. An act for the relief of Floyd L. Walter;

H. R. 2487. An act for the relief of Bernard McShane;

H. R. 3167. An act for the relief of Louis Alfano;

H. R. 4822. An act for the relief of Thomas F. Olsen;

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1079. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement;

S. 1439. An act amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information;

S. 1811. An act providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin;

S. 2140. An act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey;

S. 2160. An act for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield; and

S. 3192. An act to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bills and joint resolution this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 8458 and H. R. 8459 be referred to the Committee on Civil Service, and that the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 189) be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

TERMS OF UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURTS OF APPEALS

Mr. Black submitted a request for unanimous consent that the House of Representatives be requested to return to the Senate the bill (S. 479) to amend section 126 of the Judicial Code, as amended, to which request Mr. Long made an objection.

Mr. Black thereupon moved that the House be requested to return the said bill to the Senate.

Mr. Long raised a question of order, viz, that the motion was not in order, because the pending business first would have to be laid aside.

The Vice President held that the point of order was not well taken.

Mr. Long raised a second question of order, viz, that the time within which the motion could be made under the rule had expired.

The Vice President sustained the point of order.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended,

On motion by Mr. Johnson to further amend the reported amendment by striking out Section 10 thereof,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Johnson's amendment was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings and the motion of Mr. McNary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the respective reports of the committees of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to each of the following bills of the Senate:

S. 405. An act for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia; and

S. 2034. An act to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6228) authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association.

The Speaker of the House having signed 7 enrolled bills, viz, S. 1024, S. 1426, H. R. 4665, H. R. 6228, H. R. 6990, H. R. 7349, and H. R. 8554, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1024. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.;

S. 1426. An act providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade;

H. R. 4665. An act authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships;

H. R. 6228. An act authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association;

H. R. 6990. An act to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7349. An act to amend the act entitled "An act for the control of floods on the Mississippi River and tributaries, and for other purposes", approved May 15, 1928, as amended; and

H. R. 8554. An act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PROSPECTING PERMITS AND LEASES ON OIL LANDS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended.

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. O'Mahoney, Mr. Pittman, and Mr. Norbeck.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Mr. Harrison submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate nos. 17, 67, 68, 83, and 84 to the bill (H. R. 7260) to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from said amendments.

PAT HARRISON,
WILLIAM H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAM. B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ISAAC BACHARACH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and,

After debate,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PROSTITUTION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 405) for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the House; and agree to the same.

WILLIAM H. KING,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
ARTHUR CAPPER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARY T. NORTON,
VINCENT L. PALMISANO,
EVERETT M. DIRKSEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FOULING OF ATMOSPHERE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 2034) to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the House; and agree to the same.

WILLIAM H. KING,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
ARTHUR CAPPER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARY T. NORTON,
VIRGINIA E. JENCKES,
EVERETT M. DIRKSEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AIR-MAIL SERVICE IN ALASKA

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5159) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

STATE COMPACT TO CONSERVE OIL AND GAS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith a certified copy of the State Compact to Conserve Oil and Gas, executed in the city of Dallas, Tex., on February 16, 1935, by the representatives of the States of Oklahoma, Texas, California, and New Mexico, and recommended for ratification by representatives of the States of Arkansas, Colorado, Illinois, Kansas, and Michigan. The compact, signed by representatives of these States, has been deposited in the Department of State of the United States. I also transmit a report of the Secretary of State, from which you will observe that notification has been received by the Department of State of the ratification of the compact by the legislatures of the States of New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma, Illinois, Colorado, and Texas.

I recommend that the Congress enact legislation giving the consent of Congress to the State Compact to Conserve Oil and Gas, executed at Dallas, Tex., on February 16, 1935.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 9, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying papers, lie on the table and be printed.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the reported amendment by inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, certain other matter,

Mr. Clark raised a question as to the presence of a quorum; Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its labors today it take a recess until 12 o'clock noon on Monday next, and that after the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. on said day no Senator shall speak more than once or longer than 15 minutes on the bill or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment which may be pending or which may be offered.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 9 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolutions:

On August 7, 1935:

S. 2259. An act to amend sections 966 and 971 of chapter 22 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, as amended, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 117. Joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederic A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

On August 8, 1935:

S. J. Res. 167. Joint resolution to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes.

On August 9, 1935:

S. 1629. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by motor carriers operating in interstate or foreign commerce, and for other purposes;

S. 1726. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to grant a right-of-way for street purposes upon and across the San Antonio Arsenal, in the State of Texas; and

S. J. Res. 139. Joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 208. An act for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;

S. 280. An act for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnson, and Esther L. Teckmeyer;

S. 447. An act conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States;

S. 457. An act for the relief of John W. Beck;

S. 490. An act for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

S. 540. An act for the relief of Fred Luscher;

S. 658. An act for the relief of K. W. Boring;

S. 1045. An act for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

S. 1070. An act for the relief of William A. Thompson;

S. 1326. An act for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

S. 1497. An act to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army;

S. 1735. An act for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters;

S. 2076. An act for the relief of Domenico Politano;

S. 2225. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 2312. An act for the relief of the Western Construction Co.;

S. 2373. An act for the relief of Harry Jarrette;

S. 2388. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge;

S. 2393. An act for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton;
S. 2488. An act for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, and operative in the Secret Service Division, Department of the Treasury, killed in line of duty;
S. 2666. An act for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation;
S. 2751. An act for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Le Sage;
S. 2808. An act for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc.; and
S. 2818. An act for the relief of Blanche L. Gray.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 985. An act for the relief of Hudson Brothers, of Norfolk, Va.;
S. 1046. An act for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;
S. 1214. An act for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston;
S. 1409. An act for the relief of the General Baking Co.;
S. 1577. An act for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray; and
S. 2374. An act for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1640. An act for the relief of Dan Meehan;
S. 1696. An act for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace;
S. 2168. An act for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania;
S. 2635. An act authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christianson, Inc., and others;
S. 2993. An act for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts; and
S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission."

The House insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Robinson of Utah, Mr. Greever, and Mr. Englebright managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269); it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. DeRouen, Mr. Robinson of Utah, Mr. Ayres, and Mr. Englebright managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 996. An act for the relief of Joe Reno;
H. R. 1363. An act for the relief of Petra M. Benavides;
H. R. 1476. An act to correct the military record of Casimer F. Brylski;
H. R. 1871. An act for the relief of the Medical College of Virginia, and others, of Richmond, Va.;
H. R. 2156. An act for the relief of Cecelia Callahan;
H. R. 2526. An act for the relief of Powell & Goldstein, Inc.;
H. R. 2620. An act for the relief of Sadie Wilkinson;
H. R. 2621. An act for the relief of Tom L. Griffith;
H. R. 2702. An act for the relief of Emanuel Lieberman;
H. R. 3408. An act for the relief of Rufus Jones, a minor;
H. R. 3673. An act for the relief of Bernard V. Wolfe and the Dixon Implement Co.;
H. R. 3856. An act for the relief of Charles Edward Poole;
H. R. 4148. An act for the relief of the Thomas Marine Railway Co., Inc.;
H. R. 4770. An act for the relief of Elinora Fareira;
H. R. 4784. An act for the relief of J. T. Slayback;
H. R. 5245. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding;
H. R. 5405. An act for the relief of Robert N. Wallace;
H. R. 5475. An act for the relief of Henry Irving Riley;
H. R. 5558. An act for the relief of Clarence F. Jobson;
H. R. 5634. An act for the relief of the Baltimore Renovating Co.;
H. R. 5648. An act for the relief of Maj. Wilbur Rogers;
H. R. 5768. An act for the relief of Peter Haan;
H. R. 5811. An act for the relief of Michael A. McHugh;
H. R. 5864. An act for the relief of Hallie Coffman;
H. R. 5867. An act for the relief of E. C. Willis, father of the late Charles R. Willis, a minor;
H. R. 5870. An act for the relief of K. S. Szymanski;
H. R. 5905. An act for the relief of Cal Settles and Rhoda Settles;
H. R. 6057. An act for the relief of Joe Brumit;
H. R. 6205. An act for the relief of Wiley H. Nanney;
H. R. 6267. An act for the relief of Wint Rowland;
H. R. 6268. An act for the relief of W. C. Wright;
H. R. 6269. An act for the relief of W. H. Keyes;
H. R. 6394. An act for the relief of William K. Caley;
H. R. 6889. An act for the relief of A. Zappone and W. R. Fuchs;
H. R. 6892. An act for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation;
H. R. 7030. An act to place George K. Shuler on the retired list of the United States Marine Corps;
H. R. 7076. An act for the relief of the heirs of John Schrodl;
H. R. 7093. An act for the relief of Joseph M. Clagett, Jr.;
H. R. 7140. An act for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.;
H. R. 7393. An act for the relief of Ralph P. Kellogg;
H. R. 7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale;
H. R. 8020. An act for the relief of Jose R. Redlhammer;
H. R. 8032. An act for the relief of the Ward Funeral Home; and
H. R. 8089. An act for the relief of Joseph J. Baylin.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, viz, H. R. 7260, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that on August 9, 1935, he approved and signed the following bills and joint resolution:

H. R. 1073. An act for the relief of John F. Hatfield;
H. R. 2421. An act for the relief of John R. Allgood;
H. R. 3641. An act to amend section 559 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to restriction on residence of members of the fire department;
H. R. 3642. An act to amend section 483 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia as to residence of members of the police department;
H. R. 4853. An act for the relief of Charles H. Holtzman, former collector of customs, Baltimore, Md.; George D. Hubbard, former collector of customs, Seattle, Wash.; and William L. Thibadeau, former customs agent;
H. R. 7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and
H. J. Res. 258. Joint resolution to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, August 9, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bills H. R. 996, H. R. 1363, H. R. 1871, H. R. 2526, H. R. 2620, H. R. 2621, H. R. 2702, H. R. 3408, H. R. 3673, H. R. 4148, H. R. 4770, H. R. 4874, H. R. 5245, H. R. 5634, H. R. 5811, H. R. 5867, H. R. 5870, H. R. 5905, H. R. 6057, H. R. 6267, H. R. 6268, H. R. 6269, H. R. 6394, H. R. 6889, H. R. 6892, H. R. 7076, H. R. 7093, H. R. 7393, H. R. 7520, H. R. 8020, and H. R. 8089 be referred to the Committee on Claims; that the bills H. R. 1476, H. R. 2156, H. R. 3856, H. R. 5405, H. R. 5864, H. R. 6205, and H. R. 7030 be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs; that the bills H. R. 5475, H. R. 5558, H. R. 5648, and H. R. 5768 be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs; that the bill H. R. 7140 be placed on the Calendar; and that the bill H. R. 8032 be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bill:

H. R. 7260. An act to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, blind persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS

Mr. Bachman presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring the passage of legislation permitting sales in Federal buildings by blind persons; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. McKellar presented an identical joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Wheeler presented a petition of the Lake County Round Table on World Peace, of Ronan, Mont., praying the passage of neutrality legislation to keep this country out of war.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 9, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1024. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.;
S. 1079. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement;
S. 1426. An act providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade;
S. 1439. An act amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information;
S. 1811. An act providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin;
S. 2140. An act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey;
S. 2160. An act for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield; and
S. 3192. An act to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Shepherd, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3334. A bill to make provision for the care and treatment of members of the National Guard, Organized Reserves, Reserve Officers' Training Corps, and Citizens' Military Training Camps who are injured or contract disease while engaged in military training, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1231);
S. 3398. A bill to establish the Air Corps Technical School and to acquire certain land in the State of Colorado for use as a site for said Air Corps Technical School and as an aerial gunnery and bombing range for the Army Air Corps (Rept. No. 1239); and
H. R. 1368. An act for the relief of Virden Thompson (Rept. No. 1230).

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2047) to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the State of Oklahoma, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1232) thereon.

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4513) to authorize payment of claims for unauthorized emergency treatment of World War veterans, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1233) thereon.

Mr. Byrd, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3258) to amend section 304 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1234) thereon.

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2643) to amend section 118 of the Judicial Code to provide for the appointment of law clerks to United States district court judges, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1235) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3222) to amend the Filled Milk Act, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1236) thereon.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2134) to prohibit employers from influencing the vote of their employees in national elections, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Van Nuys, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3374) for the relief of the State of Indiana, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1237) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8519) requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public buildings or public work, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1238) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Commitee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8845) to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

IINTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Nye:

A bill (S. 3405) for the relief of Capt. James W. Darr; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3406) authorizing the President to reappoint Gilbert E. Bixby, formerly a captain of Cavalry, United States Army, a captain of Cavalry, United States Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Truman:

A bill (S. 3407) for the relief of Justin C. Gooderl; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3408) for the relief of Charles Cubberly; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3409) for the relief of the estate of John Gellatly, deceased, and/or Charlyne Gellatly, individually; to the Committee on Claims.

INVESTIGATION OF COTTON PRICE DECLINE

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 182), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

"*Resolved*, That Senate Resolution 103, agreed to March 16, 1935, and Senate Resolution 125, agreed to May 7, 1935, and Senate Resolution 172, agreed to July 30, 1935, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, are hereby continued in full force and effect, and that the limit of expenditures that may be made under authority of such resolutions is hereby increased by $50,000, and shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers to be approved by the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry."

BRIDGE ACROSS CONNECTICUT RIVER AT MIDDLETOWN, CONN.

On motion by Mr. Lonergan, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8963) granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 3326) of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS FOR PURCHASE OF FOREST LANDS

On motion by Mr. Smith, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 6914) to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes; and having been further amended on the motion of Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Clark to the reported amendment, as amended, inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, certain other language,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following resolution (H. Res. 336), which I am directed to communicate to the Senate:

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. Charles V. Truax, a Representative from the State of Ohio.

Resolved, That a committee of four Members of the House, with such Members of the Senate as may be joined, be appointed to attend the funeral.

Resolved, That the Sergeant at Arms of the House be authorized and directed to take such steps as may be necessary for carrying out the provisions of these resolutions, and that the necessary expenses in connection therewith be paid out of the contingent fund of the House.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect the House do now adjourn.

SESQUICENTENNIAL OF ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text and to the preamble of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a Commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission", together with the amendment to the title providing the same read as follows: "Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formulation of the Constitution of the United States."

On motion by Mr. Ashurst,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said joint resolution and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Ashurst, Mr. King, and Mr. Borah.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SKELTON MACK M'CRAY—ELLIOTT H. AND EMMA TASSO

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to each of the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1577. An act for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray; and

S. 2374. An act for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GENERAL BAKING CO.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1409) for the relief of the General Baking Co.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion of Mr. Wagner,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

DAN MEEHAN—BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF PENNSYLVANIA

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to each of the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1640. An act for the relief of Dan Meehan; and

S. 2168. An act for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

OLIVER B., ANNE, JANE, AND HARRIET HUSTON

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1214) for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. McNary,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SPANISH WAR MEMORIAL PARK, TAMPA, FLA.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2426) to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Trammell,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PROTECTION AND USE OF PUBLIC GRAZING LANDS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269), and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Pittman, Mr. Adams, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Nye.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES AND MAKING OF CONTRACTS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3055) to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts, loans, or grants by the United States, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Clark to the reported amendment, as amended, inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, certain other language,

Mr. Walsh raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Clark modified his amendment.

On motion by Mr. Clark that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 87) to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act,

Pending debate,

Mr. Long, while addressing the Senate, used the following language:

"The Speaker of the House went to the White House, and he gave out a statement on the steps of the White House——"

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Mr. Robinson raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long had no right to refer to the action of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Vice President sustained the question of order.

On motion by Mr. Robinson to lay Mr. Clark's motion on the table,

Mr. Clark withdrew his motion.

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Clark's amendment, as modified, to the reported amendment, viz, in lieu of the language proposed to be inserted by the Committee on Education and Labor, as amended, as follows: "That in connection with all or any purchases of or contracts for construction, articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services, except professional services, made, extended, or modified on or after the effective date hereof, by any executive department, independent establishment, or other agency or instrumentality of the United States, by the District of Columbia, or by any corporation all the stock of which is beneficially owned by the United States (all the foregoing being hereinafter designated as "agencies of the United States"), there shall be required to be included in the proposal or contract a representation or agreement that all persons employed by the principal contractor in classes of employment described specifically or by reference in the invitation to bid, while engaged in the construction, or the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services, in connection with, or which may be identified as part of the subject matter of, the purchase or contract have since the effective date of this Act been paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as on May 26, 1935, were specified in the codes of fair competition and amendments thereto (subject, however, to any stays, exemptions, or exceptions theretofore issued or granted and then operative under Executive, administrative, or other applicable orders, rules, or regulations) approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to their respective trades or industries, or as were specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any, where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries, and further that they will be paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as shall be designated specifically or by reference in the invitation to bid, and that no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor has been on or after the effective date hereof or will be employed by the principal contractor in the construction, or the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services, in connection with, or which may be identified as part of the subject matter of, the purchase or contract.

"SEC. 1–A. There shall also be included in every contract entered into pursuant to section 1 a covenant that the principal contractor will obtain from every subcontractor or supplier of such articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services as may be identified as part of the subject matter of the principal contract, a written representation or agreement that all persons employed by such subcontractor or supplier in classes of employment described specifically or by reference in the invitation to bid issued by the agency of the United States, while engaged in carrying out the subcontract, or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services, in connection with, or which may be identified as part of the subject matter of, the purchase or contract, have since the effective date of this Act been paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as on May 26, 1935, were specified in the codes of fair competition and amendments thereto (subject, however, to any stays, exemptions, or exceptions theretofore issued or granted and then operative under Executive, administrative, or other applicable orders, rules, or regulations), approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to their respective trades or industries, or as were specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any, where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries, and that they will be paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours of labor as shall be described specifically or by reference in such invitations to bid, and that no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor has been or after the effective date hereof will be employed by such subcontractor or supplier in the carrying out of the subcontract or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services in connection with, or which may be identified as part of the subject matter of, the principal contract.

"SEC. 2. In all or any contracts or agreements made, extended, or modified hereafter by agencies of the United States for a loan (including Federal Reserve bank industrial loans) or grant of funds or labor to any private person or corporation, there shall be included a representation or agreement that his or its employees engaged in the operations involving the expenditure of funds so loaned or granted or the use of such labor have since the effective date of this Act been paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as on May 26, 1935, were specified in the codes of fair competition and amendments thereto (subject, however, to any stays, exemptions, or exceptions theretofore issued or granted and then operative under Executive, administrative, or other applicable orders, rules, or regulations), approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to their respective trades or industries, or as were specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any, where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries and that during the expenditure of the funds so loaned or granted or during the utilization of such labor they will be paid not less than the minimum rates of pay and employed not more than the maximum hours of labor as shall be specified in such contract for loan or grant and that no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor has been on or after the effective date hereof or will be employed in the carrying out of such operations or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services in connection therewith; and a further covenant that the borrower or grantee will require a similar written representation or agreement from those with whom it contracts or from whom it makes purchases of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services in connection with the carrying out of projects or operations financed wholly or in part with the funds so loaned or granted or in connection with which such labor is used: *Provided,* That this section shall not apply to loans to financial institutions where the funds are commingled with the funds of the borrower and used for general business purposes.

"SEC. 2–A. In all or any contracts or agreements made, extended, or modified hereafter, by agencies of the United States for the loan or grant of funds or labor to any State, Territory, possession, including subdivisions and agencies thereof, municipality, and the District of Columbia, there shall be included a representation or agreement by the borrower or grantee, that it will require a representation or agreement from those with whom it contracts or from whom it makes purchases of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services in connection with the projects or operations financed or carried out wholly or in part with funds or labor so loaned or granted to it, that all persons employed by them in classes of employment described specifically or by reference in the contract or agreement for the loan or grant by the United States or any agency thereof, while engaged in the carrying out of the projects or operations, or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services which shall be used in connection therewith, have since the effective date of this Act been paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as on May 26, 1935, were specified in the codes of fair competition and amendments thereto (subject, however, to any stays, exemptions, or exceptions thereto issued or granted and then operative under Executive, administrative, or other applicable orders, rules, or regulations), approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to their respective trades or industries, or as were specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any, where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries, and will be paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours of labor as shall be designated specifically or by reference in such contract or agreement for loan or grant, and that no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor has been on or after the effective date hereof or will be employed by them in the carrying out of such projects or operations or in the production of articles, materials, or supplies or the furnishing of services in connection therewith: *Provided, however,* That where any borrower or grantee of funds or labor directly carries out the projects or operations wholly or in part with the funds or labor so loaned or granted to it, then, and in that event, all persons in classes of employment described specifically or by reference in the contract or agreement for the loan or grant, especially employed by the borrower or grantee to carry out such projects or operations, shall be paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours of labor as shall be designated specifically or by reference in such contract or agreement for loan or grant, and no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor shall be employed in the carrying out of such projects or operations.

"SEC. 2–B. There shall also be included in every contract or agreement for loan or grant entered into pursuant to sections 2 and 2–A a covenant that the principal contractor of the borrower or grantee will be required to obtain from every subcontractor or supplier of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services which may be identified as part of the subject matter of the principal contract, a written representation or agreement that all persons employed by such subcontractor or supplier in classes of employment described specifically or by reference in the contract or agreement for loan or grant while engaged in carrying out the subcontracts, or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment or services in connection with, or which may be identified as part of the subject matter of, the principal contract, have since the effective date of this Act been paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours as on May 26, 1935, were specified in the codes of fair competition and amendments thereto (subject, however, to any stays, exemptions, or exceptions, theretofore issued or granted and then operative under Executive, administrative, or other applicable orders, rules, or regulations), approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to their respective trades or industries, or as were specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any, where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries, and will be paid not less than such minimum rates of pay and employed not to exceed such maximum hours of labor as shall be designated specifically or by reference in such contract or agreement for loan or grant, and that no person under sixteen years of age and no convict labor has been on or after the effective date hereof or will be employed by such subcontractor or supplier in carrying out the subcontract or in the production or furnishing of articles, materials, supplies, equipment, or services as may be identified as part of the subject matter of the principal contract.

"SEC. 3. Every representation or agreement made pursuant to the provisions of this Act by a principal contractor, borrower, grantee, subcontractor, or supplier, shall provide:

"(1) That any breach or violation thereof shall render the party responsible therefor liable to the United States as and for liquidated damages in—

"(a) a sum equal to twice the difference between the amount required to be paid to employees, including the amount required to be paid for overtime in excess of the maximum hours designated in the invitation for bids, and the amount actually paid;

"(b) the sum of $10 per day with respect to each person under sixteen years of age employed in violation of any representation or agreement.

"(2) That the exaction or acceptance of any refunds ('kick-backs') of wages in any form whatsoever, from employees shall render the party exacting or accepting same liable to the United States as and for liquidated damages in a sum equal to five times the amount of such refund: *Provided,* That allowance shall be made for any penalty imposed on account of the same act or transaction and collected under any other Act of Congress;

"(3) That any breach or violation thereof shall entitle the other contracting party to cancel the contract with respect to which the representation or agreement is made, and to make open-market purchases or have the work completed, charging any additional cost to the party responsible for the breach or violation;

"(4) That the principal contractor shall, if directed by the contracting officer upon the recommendation of the President, cancel any subcontract for a breach by the subcontractor of his written representation or agreement, and failure on the part of the principal contractor so to cancel shall subject his contract to cancelation;

"(5) That the representatives of any agency charged with the administration of this Act may enter upon the premises of any borrower, grantee, contractor, subcontractor, or supplier for the purpose of obtaining information necessary for the administration of the provisions of this Act and that the borrower, grantee, contractor, subcontractor, or supplier will furnish upon request, duly authenticated or certified copies of his pay roll and such other relevant records as may be requested by any duly authorized representative of any agency charged with administration of this Act.

"SEC. 4. Any sums due to the United States by virtue of the foregoing section if not withheld from any amounts due upon any contracts may be recovered in suits brought in the name of the United States by the Attorney General. Sums withheld or recovered shall be held in a special deposit account, and shall be applied, on order of the President to payment of deficiency in wages to employees who have been paid less than the minimum rates of pay and on account of whose services such sums were withheld or recovered: *Provided,* That no claims by employees for such payments shall be entertained unless made within one year from the date of the notification to the supplier or contractor of the withholding or recovery by the United States of such sums: *Provided, however,* That nothing herein contained shall authorize or permit any such claims to be prosecuted against the United States or any agency thereof, at law or otherwise, to obtain or recover any funds which are collected, collectible, deducted, or deductible under the provisions of this Act.

"SEC. 5. Upon his own motion, or on complaint of a breach or violation of a representation, agreement, or covenant made as herein provided, the President shall have the power to hold hearings and to issue orders requiring the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence. Witnesses shall be paid the same fees and mileage that are paid witnesses in the courts of the United States. In case of contumacy, failure, or refusal by any person to obey such an order, any District Court of the United States or of any Territory or possession, or the Supreme Court of the District

of Columbia, within the jurisdiction of which the inquiry is carried on, or within the jurisdiction of which said person who is guilty of contumacy, failure, or refusal is found, or resides or transacts business, upon the application by the President, shall have jurisdiction to issue to such person an order requiring such person to appear before the President, to produce evidence if, as, and when so ordered, and to give testimony relating to the matter under investigation or in question; and any failure to obey such order of the court may be punished by said court as a contempt thereof; and the President shall have the power to make findings of fact after notice and hearing, which findings shall be conclusive upon all agencies of the United States, and if supported by the evidence, shall be conclusive upon review by the courts, and the President shall have the power, and is hereby authorized, to make such decisions based upon findings of fact as are deemed to be necessary to enforce the provisions of this Act.

"SEC. 6. The President may make exceptions in specific cases or otherwise under the provisions of this Act whenever such action shall be recommended by an agency of the United States and when justice or public interest will be served thereby and upon the joint recommendation of the governmental agency and the contractor, may modify the terms of an existing contract respecting minimum rates of pay and maximum hours of labor as may be found necessary and proper in the public interest or to prevent injustice or undue hardship, and the President may provide reasonable limitations and may make rules and regulations allowing reasonable variations, tolerances, and exemptions to and from any or all provisions of this Act on the extent of the application of this Act to contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, borrowers, or grantees as hereinbefore described.

"SEC. 7. Any bid or proposal received by an agency of the United States may be rejected when it has been previously determined pursuant to the provisions of this Act, that the person submitting the same has previously breached any of the covenants required by this Act and that the acceptance of such bid or proposal would not be in the public interest.

"SEC. 8. The specific minimum wages and maximum hours specified or referred to in any invitation to bid or contract or agreement for loan or grant shall be determined by the President: *Provided, however,* That minimum wages and maximum hours fixed under this Act shall be such as are fair and reasonable taking into account the following primary standards:

"(a) The cost of living;

"(b) The standards for the same class of labor in the same trade or industry in the same locality;

"(c) The standards in effect for such class of labor during the year 1934; and

"(d) The minimum rates of pay and maximum hours of labor specified in the applicable codes of fair competition and approved amendments thereto, if any, approved pursuant to section 3 (a) and/or section 2 (b) of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, purporting to apply to the respective trades or industries, or where there were on May 26, 1935, no approved codes of fair competition for such trades or industries, then those minimum rates of pay and maximum hours specified in the President's Reemployment Agreement or approved substitutions therefor, if any: *Provided further,* That the President shall set a rate for any overtime in excess of the maximum hours designated in the specification or invitation to bid.

"SEC. 9. (a) This Act shall take effect thirty days after its approved: *Provided, however,* That—

"(b) Where permitted by the terms of such contracts, this Act shall be applicable to contracts entered into prior to its effective date: *Provided,* That in such cases the requirements as to the minimum rates of pay, maximum hours of labor, and minimum age of employees shall be those prescribed therefor in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Act, whether such requirements are prescribed before or after such contract was entered into: *Provided further,* That such contracts shall be subject to modification as to compensation upon proof by the contractor of excess cost occasioned solely by compliance with such requirements.

"(c) Where proposals have been invited prior to the effective date of this Act and bids are submitted thereon containing no provisions with respect to requirements as to minimum rates of pay, maximum hours of labor, or minimum age of employees, contracts may be executed according to such proposals.

"(d) Where proposals have been invited prior to the effective date of this Act, no bid submitted in response thereto, if otherwise valid and acceptable, shall be rejected because made subject to the provisions of any code or codes of fair competition or the President's Reemployment Agreement or applicable approved substitutions therefor, if any, or any related requirements prescribed by Executive Order Numbered 6246 of August 10, 1933, as modified by Executive Order Numbered 6646 of March 14, 1934, if the bidder, with the assent of his surety, shall agree in writing that the contract, if entered into, shall, in lieu of said code provisions or other related requirements prescribed by said Executive orders, be subject to the provisions of this Act in the same manner and to the same extent as contracts made subject thereto by the provisions of this Act: *Provided,* That in such cases the compensation to be provided for in the contract shall be reduced or increased from that stated in such bid in the amount and to the extent that the contracting officer shall find the cost of performing the contract will be reduced or increased solely by reason of compliance by the contractor, subcontractor, or supplier with the requirements of such substituted provisions.

"(e) Where proposals have been invited prior to the effective date of this Act and all bids submitted in response thereto have been rejected for the sole reason that same were made subject to the provisions of any code or codes of fair competition and amendments thereto, if any, or the President's Reemployment Agreement or applicable approved substitutions therefor, if any, or any related requirements prescribed by Executive Order Numbered 6246 of August 10, 1933, as modified by Executive Order Numbered 6646 of March 14, 1934, and no invitation for further bids has been issued, if the bidder, whose bid would otherwise have been accepted, with the assent of his surety, shall agree in writing that the contract, if entered into, shall be subject to the provisions of this Act in the same manner and to the same extent as contracts made subject thereto by the provisions of this Act, contracts may, in the discretion of the officer or officers otherwise authorized to accept the bid, be executed according to such proposals: *Provided,* That in such cases the compensation to be provided for in the contract shall be reduced or increased from that stated in such bid in the amount and to the extent that the contracting officer shall find the cost of performing the contract will be reduced or increased solely by reason of compliance by the contractor with the requirements of such substituted provisions.

"SEC. 10. The provisions of this Act shall be carried out under the direction of the President and in accordance with such orders, rules, and regulations as he may issue for that purpose. The President is hereby authorized to establish such agency or agencies and to appoint, subject to the provisions of the civil-service laws, such officers and employees, and without regard to the civil-service laws semijudicial and administrative officers, attorneys, and examiners, and to utilize such Federal officers and employees, and, with the consent of the State, such State and local officers and employees as he may find necessary; to prescribe their authorities, duties, responsibilities, and tenure; and, in accordance with provisions of the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, to fix the compensation of any officers and employees so appointed. The President may authorize any of his functions under this Act to be performed by any agency or agencies now existing or hereafter established within the Government. The President, or any member of any Board, or any individual upon whom is delegated under section 10 the authority to administer this section of this Act, and any examiner duly authorized by such Board or

individual is authorized to administer oaths to such witnesses. The funds appropriated and made available pursuant to section 220 of the National Industrial Recovery Act by the Fourth Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1933, and by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, are hereby made available for the expenses of administration of this Act.

"SEC. 11. The provisions of this Act shall not be construed to modify or amend title III of the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934, and for other purposes", approved May 3, 1933 (commonly known as the "Buy American Act"), nor shall the provisions of this Act be construed as authorizing the payment of wages below the standards required by "An Act relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed on public buildings of the United States and the District of Columbia by contractors and subcontractors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1931 (commonly known as the "Bacon-Davis Act"), as amended from time to time, with respect to contracts which are also within the provisions of such Act as amended from time to time, nor the wage and hour provisions of title II of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, as extended.

"SEC. 12. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to apply to agricultural or farm products processed for first sale by the original producer, nor to loans made by any governmental agency to associations of producers, as defined in the Farm Credit Act of 1935, nor to any contracts made by the Secretary of Agriculture for the purchase of agricultural commodities or the products thereof. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to apply to loans made by the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, or by any agency, corporation, or institution under the supervision or control of the Farm Credit Administration.

"SEPARABILITY CLAUSE

"SEC. 13. If any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any persons or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the Act, and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected thereby.

"SEC. 14. This Act shall remain in force for 2 years after the date it becomes effective."

Insert the following:

That no article or commodity shall be shipped, transported, or delivered in interstate or foreign commerce, which was produced or manufactured in any mine, quarry, mill, cannery, workshop, factory, or manufacturing establishment situated in the United States, in which any person, except officers, executives, and superintendents, and their personal and immediate clerical assistants, was employed more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day: Provided, That upon the submission of satisfactory proof of the existence of special conditions in any industry included herein, making it necessary for certain persons to be employed more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day, the Secretary of Labor, or his duly selected representatives, may issue exemption permits with respect to such persons, relieving the employer from the provisions of this act with reference to such persons.

Sec. 2. (a) No article or commodity shall be purchased by the United States, or any department or organization thereof, from any business enterprise operating contrary to any provision of this act, or if such article or commodity was produced or manufactured in any mine, quarry, mill, cannery, workshop, factory, or manufacturing establishment situated in the United States, in which any person, except officers, executives, and superintendents, and their personal and immediate clerical assistants, was employed, after the date this act takes effect, more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day.

(b) Each contract made with a contractor for any public work shall contain a provision that the contractor will buy no article or commodity to use on or in any public work from any business enterprise violating any of the terms or provisions of this act, and will buy no article or commodity which was produced in any mine, quarry, mill, cannery, workshop, factory, or manufacturing establishment situated in the United States, in which any person, except officers, executives, and superintendents, and their personal and immediate clerical assistants, was employed more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day.

Sec. 3. (a) No governmental agency shall make or renew any loan to any employer of labor in any mine, quarry, mill, cannery, workshop, factory, or manufacturing establishment situated in the United States, in which any person, except officers, executives, and superintendents and their personal and immediate clerical assistants, was employed more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day.

(b) On and after the effective date of this act, any such employer of labor who applies for a loan from any such governmental agency shall agree at the time of making application for such loan that so long as he is indebted to the United States he will not permit any person, except officers, executives, and superintendents and their personal and immediate clerical assistants, to work more than five days in any week or more than six hours in any day. In the event that there is a violation by any such employer of his agreement, the full amount of the unpaid principal of the loan made to such employer shall be immediately payable.

Sec. 4. On and after the date this act takes effect it shall be unlawful for any employer subject to any of the provisions of this act to reduce, directly or indirectly, the daily, weekly, or monthly wage rate in effect on such date (or, in the case of an applicant for a loan from a governmental agency, on the date his application is submitted) with respect to any of his employees until a reasonable opportunity has been afforded to his employees, through representatives of their own choosing by a majority vote, to meet with the employer or his representatives and to discuss and consider fully all questions which may arise in connection with the reduction of such wage rate.

Sec. 5. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this act, or who fails to comply with any of its requirements, shall upon conviction thereof be fined not less than $200 or be imprisoned for not more than three months, or both.

Sec. 6. (a) This act shall become effective ninety days after the date of its enactment, and it shall not apply to commodities or articles produced or manufactured prior to its effective date.

(b) Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to agricultural or farm products processed for first sale by the original producer.

(c) This act shall remain in force for two years after the date it becomes effective.

Sec. 7. If any provision, clause, or paragraph of this act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the act, and the application of such provision, clause, or paragraph to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 23 / Nays---------- 61

On motion by Mr. Ashurst,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Black, Bone, Caraway, Clark, Costigan, Frazier, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, Murray, Nye, Overton, Reynolds, Schall, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Clark's amendment, as modified, was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Clark to further amend the reported amendment by adding at the end thereof the following:

This act shall remain in force for two years after the date it becomes effective.

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 51 / Nays---------- 33}

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Black, Burke, Byrd, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Norbeck, Nye, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Barkley, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Chavez, Davis, Fletcher, Guffey, Harrison, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, McKellar, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pope, Robinson, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

So Mr. Clark's amendment was agreed to.

No further amendment being made,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

FEDERAL ALCOHOL CONTROL

On motion by Mr. George,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Finance be permitted to submit a report during the recess or adjournment of the Senate.

Subsequently Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1240) thereon.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business the Senate resumed its legislative session.

DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE TRUAX, OF OHIO

The Vice President laid before the Senate the resolutions this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing the death of Hon. Charles V. Truax, late a Representative from the State of Ohio, which were read.

Mr. Bulkley thereupon submitted the following resolutions (S. Res. 183), which were considered by unanimous consent and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow the announcement of the death of Hon. Charles V. Truax, late a Representative from the State of Ohio.

Resolved, That a committee of two Senators be appointed by the Vice President to join the committee appointed on the part of the House of Representatives to attend the funeral of the deceased Representative.

Resolved, That the Senate communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

The Vice President, pursuant to the second resolution, appointed Mr. Bulkley and Mr. Donahey as the members of the committee.

On motion by Mr. Bulkley, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Pope, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

MARY SKY NECKLACE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1696) for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Norbeck,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SUDDEN & CHRISTENSON, INC., AND OTHERS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2635) authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., and others, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act for the relief of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., John A. Hooper, Emil T. Kruse, Edward Kruse, Gilbert Loken, and G. W. McNear, Inc., or their successors in interest."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Pittman,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, which were referred as indicated:

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee favoring the passage of legislation to permit sales in public buildings by the blind; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

A petition of Lodge No. 931, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, of Chicago, Ill., praying the enactment of legislation providing a retirement system for railroad employees; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

A resolution adopted at Tulsa, Okla., by the Flood Control Conference urging the passage of House bill 8455, providing for the construction of reservoirs and levees along streams traversing States subject to serious flood damage; to the Committee on Commerce.

A communication from Hilda Phelps Hammond, chairman of the Women's Committee of Louisiana, of New Orleans, La., relating to certain charges in connection with the election of Hon. John H. Overton as Senator from the State of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Borah presented a petition of citizens of the State of Idaho praying the protection of the domestic market in pulpwood production against unfair competition and dumping; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petition and memorials, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the Yankee Division Veterans Association, of Boston, Mass., urging the enactment of legislation to provide for the employment of World War and Spanish War veterans; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Telegrams and memorials from organizations in the State of Massachusetts remonstrating against persecutions in Germany by the Nazi organizations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Guffey presented a petition of citizens of the State of Pennsylvania praying the repeal of the Federal tax on gasoline; which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hayden presented a copy of an executive order issued by the Governor General of the Philippines on July 9, 1935, creating a Philippine Interdepartmental Economic Committee and a Technical Trade Committee, to consider matters to come before the Joint Trade Conference, proposed to be called by the President of the United States to consider future trade relations between the Philippines and the United States; and a copy of a letter written by him from Manila on August 6, 1934, to Hon. Millard E. Tydings, Chairman of the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, United States Senate, submitting certain observations concerning conditions in the Philippine Islands; which were referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

CONDITIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES

Mr. Hayden presented (1) a copy of a letter written by him from Manila, P. I., on August 6, 1934, to Hon. Millard E. Tydings, Chairman of the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, United States Senate, submitting certain observations concerning conditions in the Philippines; and (2) a copy of an address delivered by Senator Tydings before the constitutional convention in Manila on December 22, 1934; which were ordered to be printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 189) relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6250) to amend the National Defense Act, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1241) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3965) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey, reported it without amendment.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7709) to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the post office when appointed as regular laborer, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1242) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, submitted a report (No. 1243) to accompany the bill (H. R. 5838) to place David J. Fitzgerald on the retired list of the United States Army as a first lieutenant.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 169) authorizing an examination into the matter of post-office fixtures, equipment, and rentals therefor, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Pensions, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 8421. An act granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1244);

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1246);

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1247);

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1248);

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1245); and

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War (Rept. No. 1249).

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4324) to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1250) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McAdoo:

A bill (S. 3410) to exempt from taxation receipts from the operation of Olympic Games if donated to the State of California, the city of Los Angeles, and the county of Los Angeles; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Lonergan:

A bill (S. 3411) to authorize the acquisition of land for military purposes at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3412) for the relief of Jack Merowitz; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3413) to give effect to the convention between the United States and certain other countries for the regulation of whaling, concluded at Geneva, March 31, 1932, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

TOLLS ON CERTAIN BRIDGES

On motion by Mr. Logan, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7659) to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Logan,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed 36 enrolled bills, viz, S. 208, S. 280, S. 405, S. 447, S. 457, S. 490, S. 540, S. 658, S. 1045, S. 1070, S. 1214, S. 1326, S. 1409, S. 1497, S. 1577, S. 1640, S. 1696, S. 1735, S. 2034, S. 2076, S. 2168, S. 2225, S. 2312, S. 2373, S. 2374, S. 2388, S. 2393, S. 2426, S. 2488, S. 2635, S. 2666, S. 2751, S. 2808, S. 2818, H. R. 6453, and H. R. 8963, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 208. An act for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;

S. 280. An act for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnston, and Esther L. Teckmeyer;

S. 405. An act for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

S. 447. An act conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States;

S. 457. An act for the relief of John W. Beck;

S. 490. An act for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

S. 540. An act for the relief of Fred Luscher;

S. 658. An act for the relief of K. W. Boring;

S. 1045. An act for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

S. 1070. An act for the relief of William A. Thompson;

S. 1214. An act for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston;

S. 1326. An act for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

S. 1409. An act for the relief of the General Baking Co.;

S. 1497. An act to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army;

S. 1577. An act for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray;

S. 1640. An act for the relief of Dan Meehan;

S. 1696. An act for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace;

S. 1735. An act for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters;

S. 2034. An act to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes;

S. 2076. An act for the relief of Domenico Politano;

S. 2168. An act for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania;

S. 2225. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 2312. An act for the relief of the Western Construction Co.;

S. 2373. An act for the relief of Harry Jarrette;

S. 2374. An act for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso;

S. 2388. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge;

S. 2393. An act for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton;

S. 2426. An act to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes;

S. 2488. An act for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, and operative in the Secret Service Division, Department of the Treasury, killed in line of duty;

S. 2635. An act for the relief of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., John A. Hooper, Emil T. Kruse, Edward Kruse, Gilbert Loken, and G. W. McNear, Inc., or their successors in interest;

S. 2666. An act for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation;

S. 2751. An act for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Le Sage;

S. 2808. An act for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc.;

S. 2818. An act for the relief of Blanche L. Gray;

H. R. 6453. An act to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", etc., as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927; and

H. R. 8963. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

FEDERAL ALCOHOL CONTROL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce, and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes.

The reported amendments in part were agreed to; in part amended and, as amended, agreed to; and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings, and the motion of Mr. Johnson.

The Senate proceeded to consider the reported amendment beginning on page 11, line 16, when,

On motion by Mr. George, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the reported amendment beginning on page 28, line 1, be considered in connection therewith.

Pending debate,

Mr. George raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question of agreeing to the foregoing reported amendments, viz, on page 11, strike out all after line 15 down to and including line 6, on page 13, as follows:

"(e) (1) No basic permit issued under this Act shall contain any condition prohibiting, nor shall any rule, regulation, or order, issued under this or any other Act of Congress, prohibit, the use or sale of any barrel, cask, or keg, if made of wood and if of one or more wine-gallons capacity, as a container in which to store, transport, or sell, or from which to sell, any distilled spirits, wine, or malt beverages. This subsection shall not apply to any condition in any basic permit issued under this Act or any rule, regulation, or order issued in connection therewith to the extent that such condition applies in a State in which the use or sale of any such barrel, cask, or keg is prohibited by the law of such State.

"(2) It shall be unlawful for any person to package or repackage distilled spirits for sale or resale in bottles unless such person is a distiller, a rectifier of distilled spirits, or a person operating a bonded warehouse qualified under the internal revenue laws or a class 8 bonded warehouse qualified under the customs laws, holding a basic permit under this Act, or is a proprietor of an industrial alcohol plant or is an agency of a State or political subdivision thereof: *Provided,* That any other person may so package distilled spirits in bottles if he qualifies under the internal revenue laws as a rectifier and holds a basic permit issued under this Act for the rectification of distilled spirits.

"(3) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this subsection, no person who is subject to the occupational tax imposed by section 3244 'Fourth' of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 26, sec. 1394 (c)), on retail dealers in liquors shall package or repackage distilled spirits for sale or resale in bottles or be eligible to qualify as a rectifier of distilled spirits, and no such person except a bona fide hotel or club, shall, for the purposes of sale, remove from any such barrel, cask, or keg any distilled spirits contained therein. Any person who violates the provisions of this paragraph or paragraph (2) shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than $1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both, and shall forfeit to the United States all distilled spirits with respect to which the violation occurs, and the bottles in which packaged."

And on pages 28 and 29 insert the following:

Bulk sales and bottling

Sec. 6. (a) It shall be unlawful for any person—

(1) To sell or offer to sell, contract to sell, or otherwise dispose of distilled spirits in bulk except, under regulations of the commission, for export or to the following, or to import distilled spirits in bulk except, under such regulations, for sale to or for use by the following: A distiller, rectifier of distilled spirits, person operating a bonded warehouse qualified under the internal-revenue laws or a class 8 bonded warehouse qualified under the customs laws, a wine maker for the fortification of wines, a proprietor of an industrial alcohol plant, or an agency of the United States or any State or political subdivision thereof.

(2) To sell or offer to sell, contract to sell, or otherwise dispose of warehouse receipts for distilled spirits in bulk unless such warehouse receipts require that the warehouseman shall package such distilled spirits, before delivery, in bottles labeled and marked in accordance with law, or deliver such distilled spirits in bulk only to persons to whom it is lawful to sell or otherwise dispose of distilled spirits in bulk.

(3) To bottle distilled spirits unless the bottler is a person to whom it is lawful to sell or otherwise dispose of distilled spirits in bulk.

(b) Any person who violates the requirements of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than $5,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year or both, and shall forfeit to the United States all distilled spirits with respect to which the violation occurs and the containers thereof.

(c) The term "in bulk" means in containers having a capacity in excess of one wine gallon.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 59 / Nays---------- 24 }

On motion by Mr. George,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Borah, Bulkley, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Carey, Copeland, Davis, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bachman, Bankhead, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Dieterich, Harrison, King, McCarran, McKellar, Murray, Overton, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Trammell, Truman, and Wheeler.

So the reported amendments were agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Fletcher, the motion of Mr. Copeland, the motion of Mr. Murphy, and the motion of Mr. Connally.

On motion by Mr. McNary, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment, as amended, beginning on page 3, line 1, was reconsidered, and having been amended on the motion of Mr. McNary,

The reported amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits and wine, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes."

On motion by Mr. George,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. Keyes, and Mr. La Follette.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. George,

Ordered, That the bill be printed showing the Senate amendments numbered.

Mr. La Follette subsequently moved that the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill be reconsidered; when,

On motion by Mr. George,

Mr. La Follette's motion was laid on the table.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution H. J. Res. 350 to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 350) this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PROSPECTING PERMITS AND LEASES ON OIL LANDS

Mr. O'Mahoney submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the House numbered 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, and 21.

That the House recede from its amendment numbered 1, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 18: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

On page 10, line 25, strike out all after "further", all of page 11, and down to and including "operation" in line 2, page 12, and insert *that the person first making application for the lease of any lands not within any known geologic structure of a producing oil or gas field who is qualified to hold a lease under this Act, including applicants for permits whose applications were filed after ninety days prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act shall be entitled to a preference right over others to a lease of such lands without competitive bidding at a royalty, in the case of oil, of 12½ per centum in amount or value of the production when the said production does not exceed fifty barrels per well per day for the calendar month and of not less than 12½ per centum in amount or value of the production when the said production exceeds fifty barrels per well per day for the calendar month, and, in the case of gas, at a royalty of 12½ per centum in amount or value of the production when the said production does not exceed five million cubic feet per well per day for the calendar month and, when the said production exceeds five million cubic feet per well per day for the calendar month, at a royalty of not less than 12½ per centum in amount or value of the production*; and the Senate agree to the same.

JOSEPH C. O'MAHONEY,
KEY PITTMAN,
PETER NORBECK,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
RENÉ L. DEROUEN,
J. W. ROBINSON,
PAUL R. GREEVER,
HARRY L. ENGLEBRIGHT,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

PERMANENT REHABILITATION IN PUERTO RICO

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3140) to provide that funds allocated to Puerto Rico under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 may be expended for permanent rehabilitation, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Tydings,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

DUTY ON COFFEE IMPORTED INTO PUERTO RICO

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 290) to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the preamble be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 6 o'clock and 12 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives insists upon its amendments to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission"; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Bloom, and Mr. Ransley managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Doughton, Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PETITION AND MEMORIAL

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monroe, N. Y., favoring the enactment into legislation of the so-called "Townsend plan" for old-age pensions; and

A resolution adopted by the Wanakena Chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America, of Wanakena, N. Y., remonstrating against the passage of House bill 7712, to change the name of the Department of the Interior and to authorize the President to transfer to the Department of Conservation and Public Works, Government agencies dealing with conservation of natural resources.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 13, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 208. An act for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;

S. 280. An act for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnston, and Esther L. Teckmeyer;

S. 405. An act for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

S. 447. An act conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States;

S. 457. An act for the relief of John W. Beck;

S. 490. An act for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

S. 540. An act for the relief of Fred Luscher;

S. 658. An act for the relief of K. W. Boring;

S. 1045. An act for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

S. 1070. An act for the relief of William A. Thompson;

S. 1214. An act for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston;

S. 1326. An act for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

S. 1409. An act for the relief of the General Baking Co.;

S. 1497. An act to authorize the appointment of First Lt Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army;

S. 1577. An act for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray;

S. 1640. An act for the relief of Dan Meehan;

S. 1696. An act for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace;

S. 1735. An act for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters;

S. 2034. An act to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes;

S. 2076. An act for the relief of Domenico Politano;

S. 2168. An act for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania;

S. 2225. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 2312. An act for the relief of the Western Construction Co.;

S. 2373. An act for the relief of Harry Jarrette;

S. 2374. An act for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso;

S. 2388. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge;

S. 2393. An act for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton;

S. 2426. An act to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "the Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes;

S. 2488. An act for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, and operative in the Secret Service Division, Department of the Treasury, killed in line of duty;

S. 2635. An act for the relief of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., John A. Hooper, Emil T. Kruse, Edward Kruse, Gilbert Loken, and G. W. McNear, Inc., or their successors in interest;

S. 2666. An act for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation;

S. 2751. An act for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Le Sage;

S. 2808. An act for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc.; and

S. 2818. An act for the relief of Blanche L. Gray.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Bulow, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 8458. An act to provide for vacations to Government employees, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1251); and

H. R. 8459. An act to standardize sick leave and extend it to all civilian employees (Rept. No. 1252).

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6510) to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1253) thereon.

Mr. Metcalf, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the views of the minority on the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes; which were ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 1240.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, submitted a report (No. 1254) to accompany the bill (H. R. 3965) conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey, heretofore reported.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1255) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 3147. An act for the relief of Will A. Helmer (Rept. No. 1256);

H. R. 3967. An act for the relief of Raymond Parramore (Rept. No. 1257);

H. R. 5415. An act to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States (Rept. No. 1258);

H. R. 6275. An act for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston (Rept. No. 1259);

H. R. 7099. An act for the relief of Rocco D'Amato (Rept. No. 1260); and

H. R. 7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale (Rept. No. 1261).

Mr. Bulkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Manufactures, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 114) to investigate the desirability of establishing a National Economic Council, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 607. An act for the relief of Florence Overly (Rept. No. 1262); and

H. R. 4923. An act for the relief of Maj. E. Leslie Medford, United States property and disbursing officer for Maryland (Rept. No. 1263).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5750) for the relief of Mary Brown Raley, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1264) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3195. A bill for the relief of Guiry Bros. Wall Paper & Paint Co. (Rept. No. 1265);

H. R. 2024. An act for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899 (Rept. No. 1266);

H. R. 2443. An act for the relief of Milton Hatch (Rept. No. 1267);

H. R. 2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson (Rept. No. 1268);

H. R. 6267. An act for the relief of Wint Rowland (Rept. No. 1269);

H. R. 6268. An act for the relief of W. C. Wright (Rept. No. 1270); and

H. R. 6269. An act for the relief of W. H. Keyes (Rept. No. 1271).

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 616. An act for the relief of Homer J. Williamson (Rept. No. 1273);

H. R. 830. An act for the relief of Sanford Madison Strange (Rept. No. 1274);

H. R. 921. An act for the relief of Edgar Sampson (Rept. No. 1275);

H. R. 2126. An act for the relief of Hugh G. Lisk (Rept. No. 1276);

H. R. 4831. An act for the relief of L. E. Geary (Rept. No. 1277); and

H. R. 5654. An act to authorize the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claim of Samuel W. Carter (Rept. No. 1278).

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2996. A bill for the relief of the Eberhart Steel Products Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 1279);

S. 3175. A bill for the relief of Jesse Ashby (Rept. No. 1280);

S. 3409. A bill for the relief of the estate of John Gellatly, deceased, and/or Carlyne Gellatly, individually (Rept. No. 1281);

H. R. 3759. An act for the relief of E. H. Jennings (Rept. No. 1282);

H. R. 4852. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army (Rept. No. 1283); and

H. R. 7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith (Rept. No. 1284).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5097) for the relief of Mary E. Lord, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1285) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 4860. An act for the relief of Judson Stokes (Rept. No. 1286); and

H. R. 6177. An act for the relief of Brooker T. Wilkins (Rept. No. 1287).

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1763) to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1288) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6623) to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1289) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2072) for the relief of Robert H. Muirhead, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1290) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1464) for the relief of Frank P. Hoyt, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1291) thereon.

Mr. Chavez, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3085) authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriation for that purpose, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1292) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3386) for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1293) thereon.

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred the following bills reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3035. A bill to provide for enforcing the lien of the District of Columbia upon real estate bid off in its name when offered for sale for arrears of taxes and assessments, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1294);

S. 3270. A bill to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 1295);

H. R. 8580. An act to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 1296); and

H. R. 8581. An act to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia (Rept. No. 1297).

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3162) to amend subchapter 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, relating to offenses against property, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1298) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3353) providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1299) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wagner:

A bill (S. 3414) to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A bill (S. 3415) to provide for the residence of the United States commissioners appointed for the national parks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3416) for the relief of Samuel Richard Mann; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3417) to provide for extending credit to aid in the conservation and operation of forest lands, to establish a Forest Credit Bank, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Bailey:

A bill (S. 3418) for the relief of the Trent Trust Co., Ltd.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3419) to correct the military record of Paulus Williams; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Gore:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 172) to enable the Secretary of the Interior to invest the funds of restricted Indians in Oklahoma in mortgages secured by the Government under the National Housing Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

INVESTIGATION OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 184), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That in order to consider the full purpose and effect of efforts to influence legislation and Government contracts and activities by showing the realized and anticipated financial benefits therefrom, and to consider the connections and associations therewith of stock capitalization, corporate affiliations, salaries, bonuses, corporate relationships, corporate structure and political activities, and efforts to influence or suppress or foment public sentiment, in addition to the authority heretofore conferred upon the special Senate committee by Senate Resolution No. 165, agreed to July 11, 1935, the said special committee is hereby given the following additional power and authority:

(a) To investigate and report to the Senate upon the financial structure, corporate affiliations, interlocking stock ownerships and directorships and the financial relationships, stock transactions, capitalization, expenditures, and operations of such persons, companies, corporations, partnerships, and groups as have sought in any way to influence the passage or defeat of legislation, or to influence public contracts, activities, or concessions.

(b) To investigate and report upon the political contributions and activities of such persons, corporations, partnerships, or groups, their officers and agents, and their efforts, if any, to control, directly or indirectly, the sources and mediums of communication and information.

The original resolution is hereby amended by striking out the comma, on page 2, line 3, after the word "Congresses", and adding the following language: "as it may be necessary to properly perform the duties imposed by this resolution."

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES FOR COTTON COOPERATIVES

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 185), which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

Resolved, That the Committee on Appropriations, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to investigate the expenditures by the Federal Government for cotton cooperatives and their losses heretofore sustained. The committee shall report to the Senate, at the earliest practicable date, the result of its investigations, together with its recommendations.

For the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth Congress, to employ clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers, and documents, to administer oaths, to take testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words, and the expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $1,500, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On August 12, 1935:

S. 1633. An act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended.

On August 13, 1935:

S. 39. An act for the relief of the estate of William Bardel;

S. 170. An act for the relief of Alva A. Murphy;

S. 276. An act for the relief of Harry Layman;

S. 684. An act for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.;

S. 794. An act for the relief of the Bowers Southern Dredging Co.;

S. 908. An act for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.;

S. 1227. An act to authorize the issuance and sale to the United States of certain bonds of municipal governments in Puerto Rico, and for other purposes;

S. 2193. An act to provide for the construction, extension, and improvement of public-school buildings in Duchesne County, Utah;

S. 2545. An act to provide funds for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students Activities Association on behalf of the Indian school known as "Haskell Institute", Lawrence, Kans.;

S. 2879. An act for the relief of Catherine Grace;

S. 3329. An act to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 145. Joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the period August 16, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance with instructions to report the same at the next session of the Congress,

Pending debate,

COMPACT FOR CREATION OF INTERSTATE SANITATION DISTRICT

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 159) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be amended, as reported by the committee, and, as amended, agreed to; and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

REGULATION OF COMMERCE IN PETROLEUM

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2027) to regulate commerce in petroleum, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Connally to amend the bill by striking out all after the enacting clause, as proposed to be amended, and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

The amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney, and as amended, agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read; "A bill consenting to an interstate

oil compact to conserve oil and gas, for the regulation of imports of petroleum and its products, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. George entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill.

E. JEANMONOD

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Thomas of Utah in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1046) for the relief of E. Jeanmonod.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CARRIE PRICE ROBERTS

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2993) for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Bailey,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HUDSON BROS., NORFOLK, VA.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 985) for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and

On motion by Mr. Byrd,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC AMERICAN SITES AND BUILDINGS

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2073) to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and

On motion by Mr. Byrd,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INVESTIGATION OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

Mr. Black, from the Special Committee on Investigation of Lobbying Activities, submitted the following report:

Your committee appointed under Senate Resolution No. 165, Seventy-fourth Congress, herewith makes a partial report in connection with the performance of its duties under the said Senate Resolution No. 165.

(1) On the 13th day of August your committee issued a summons to H. C. Hopson, a copy of which is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit A."

(2) The committee duly designated Joseph P. McCarthy to serve such summons upon H. C. Hopson, and the said J. P. McCarthy undertook to serve the said summons on August 13 in the city of Washington.

(3) The said H. C. Hopson declined to accept such summons and the said J. P. McCarthy was prevented from serving such summons upon said H. C. Hopson, and by interference from one or more persons, who were with the said H. C. Hopson, and the said H. C. Hopson taking advantage of said interference left the said McCarthy in an elevator, and getting out of the elevator ran from the elevator to a taxicab and thus escaped from the said J. P. McCarthy.

(4) One W. A. Hill, an attorney, was with the said H. C. Hopson, and the evidence showed that the said W. A. Hill physically interfered with the said J. P. McCarthy in his effort to serve said subpena. The evidence before the committee on the part of the said W. A. Hill discloses that he is the attorney for the said H. C. Hopson and that he has been in conference with the said H. C. Hopson several times during the period while the said H. C. Hopson has been sought by the representatives of the committee in an effort to serve him with a subpena.

(5) While the said W. A. Hill has denied before the committee that he actually physically interfered with the service of the subpena, evidence of the other witnesses is that the said W. A. Hill did interfere with the service of the subpena, and in addition to this said W. A. Hill admits that he attempted to orally persuade the said J. P. McCarthy that summons could not be served on the said H. C. Hopson.

(6) On today, the 14th day of August, another summons was issued to the said H. C. Hopson, an exact copy of which is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit B", and the said summons was served upon the said H. C. Hopson at 11:20 a. m., August 14. Notwithstanding the service of said summons, the said H. C. Hopson has failed, declined, and refused to appear before your committee as directed in said summons, and has failed to give any reason to the committee or any excuse for his failure so to appear.

(7) For the convenience of the Senate, there is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit C", the sworn evidence of J. P. McCarthy before the committee, and also the sworn evidence of Mr. Paul W. Anderson, Mr. Richard L. Turner, Mr. Eugene D. Lambert, and Mr. Joseph W. Shimon.

(8) The evidence further shows that the said H. C. Hopson has known that his presence was desired by your committee to testify, for a number of weeks, and that it was known to his attorney, Mr. W. A. Hill, and the committee has reached the conclusion that plans have been conceived and executed to try to prevent a summons from being served upon the said H. C. Hopson, and that the escape of the said H. C. Hopson from the service of summons has been, as hereinbefore set forth, and was a part of this plan.

(9) On account of the matters and things hereinbefore set forth, your committee believes that this Senate should order the arrest of the said H. C. Hopson and W. A. Hill and cause them to be brought before the bar of this Senate, and that the said H. C. Hopson should be required to give testimony before this committee answering such pertinent inquiries as may be made, and that this committee should order the said H. C. Hopson and W. A. Hill to show cause, if any they have, why they should not be punished for contempt of this Senate, on account of the matters and things hereinbefore set forth.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the report be temporarily laid aside.

Mr. Black, from the said special committee, subsequently reported the following privileged resolution (S. Res. 186), which was considered and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President of the Senate issue a citation directing H. C. Hopson and W. A. Hill to show cause, if any they have, why they should not be punished for contempt of the Senate on account of their efforts to prevent the service of process of the special Senate committee under Senate Resolution No. 165 upon H. C. Hopson and by reason of the failure and refusal of the said H. C. Hopson to appear before the said special Senate committee to give testimony in accordance with the summons served upon him on August 14.

On motion by Mr. Black, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Vice President be given the right to sign the citation, above ordered, when the Senate is not in session.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 739) to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix, in the State of New York.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 152 to the said bill and agreed to the same; and it has receded from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 128, 155, and 163 to the said bill and agreed to each thereof with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 290, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 290) to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to Mr. Vandenberg's motion to recommit the bill with instructions,

Pending debate,

Mr. Harrison raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Schwellenbach in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-one Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Vandenberg's motion,

It was determined in the negative, [Yeas---------- 19 / Nays---------- 55]

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Copeland, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Chavez, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, and Wheeler.

So the motion to recommit was not agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business, and after the consideration of executive business,

The Senate resumed its legislative session.

FEDERAL ALCOHOL CONTROL

The Vice President appointed Mr. Metcalf as a member of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce, and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto; to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes, vice Mr. Keyes, excused.

NEEDY BLIND PERSONS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 5711) to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. King,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to provide for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 8 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Tru-

man, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

H. C. HOPSON AND W. A. HILL

The Sergeant at Arms appeared and submitted the following report, which was read:

AUGUST 15, 1935.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE:

I beg to report that, pursuant to the instructions contained in the order issued on August 14, 1935, by the President of the Senate to the Sergeant at Arms, I made service of the citation therein contained on W. A. Hill on said day, and that said W. A. Hill is now present in response to such citation.

I beg to report further that after diligent search H. C. Hopson could not be found in person nor was it possible to obtain his present address.

H. C. Hopson is not registered at the Mayflower Hotel. I was informed by W. A. Hill that he had not been in communication with H. C. Hopson, directly or indirectly, for a couple of days and that he did not know his present whereabouts.

At the George Mason Hotel, Alexandria, Va., I was informed by the manager that a party answering the description of H. C. Hopson registered about midnight of Tuesday, August 13, 1935, in the name of "J. Schmitt and party, 1875 Broadway, New York", but that all members of the party checked out of the hotel the morning of August 13, 1935.

At the Wardman Park Hotel H. C. Hopson was not registered.

At the residence of G. Kibby Munson, Chevy Chase, Md., where H. C. Hopson is presumed to have spent the night of August 13, 1935, Mr. Munson was not at home. Mr. Munson later reported to me that he did not know the whereabouts of Mr. H. C. Hopson and that he was not in his home.

At the Shoreham Hotel H. C. Hopson was not registered, but in the lobby thereof I met Representative John J. O'Connor, Member of Congress from the State of New York and Chairman of the House Committee Investigating the Utility Lobby, who informed me he did not know H. C. Hopson's present whereabouts but that Hopson was in his custody now and that he did not intend to permit him to be surrendered to the Senate until the House committee had finished its investigation.

CHESLEY W. JURNEY,
Sergeant at Arms Senate of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Black, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the proceedings with reference to Mr. Hill be postponed temporarily.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by Commune 67, Polish N. A., of Utica, N. Y., remonstrating against the enactment of legislation providing for the deportation of aliens; which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Copeland presented the following petition and memorial:

A resolution adopted by the Steuben County (N. Y.) Bar Association favoring the passage of Senate bill 2944, to prevent the practice of law before Government departments and agencies by those other than duly licensed attorneys at law; and

A resolution adopted by the New York Customs Brokers Association, Inc., of New York City, remonstrating against the provisions of sections 6, 7, and 8 of Senate bill 3286, depriving licensed customs brokers of the right of appeal to the United States courts as now granted under section 641 of the Tariff Act of 1930.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3092) to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1300) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 258. An act for the relief of Emma B. Hine (Rept. No. 1301);

H. R. 704. An act for the relief of Thelbert Davis (Rept. No. 1302);

H. R. 1437. An act for the relief of August A. Carminati (Rept. No. 1303);

H. R. 2319. An act for the relief of Oswald Orlando (Rept. No. 1304);

H. R. 2411. An act for the relief of E. F. Purvis (Rept. No. 1305);

H. R. 2432. An act for the relief of the Weis-Patterson Lumber Co., Inc. (Rept. No. 1306);

H. R. 2730. An act for the relief of Thomas Harris McLaughlin (Rept. No. 1307);

H. R. 2970. An act for the relief of Jose Munden (Rept. No. 1308);

H. R. 3202. An act for the relief of W. H. Greene (Rept. No. 1309);

H. R. 3282. An act for the relief of Nina Drips (Rept. No. 1310);

H. R. 3509. An act for the relief of the legal guardian of Nick Vasilzevic (Rept. No. 1311);

H. R. 3546. An act for the relief of Sarah Elizabeth Ballentyne (Rept. No. 1312);

H. R. 4568. An act for the relief of Forrest D. Stout (Rept. No. 1313);

H. R. 5347. An act for the relief of Bertha Moseley Bottoms (Rept. No. 1314);

H. R. 5492. An act for the relief of Henry Scipper (Rept. No. 1315);

H. R. 5550. An act for the relief of Malachy Ryan (Rept. No. 1316);

H. R. 5816. An act for the relief of May C. Gustin (Rept. No. 1317); and

H. R. 5971. An act for the relief of Charles Pine (Rept. No. 1318).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2040) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, and acts in amendment thereof, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1319) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2469) for the relief of E. L. Hice and Lucy Hice, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1320) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1358) for the relief of Irene Magnuson and Oscar L. Magnuson, her husband, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1321) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 1827. A bill for the relief of Lucille McClure (Rept. No. 1322); and

S. 3088. A bill for the relief of Mearon Perkins (Rept. No. 1323).

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2980) for the relief of Ruby Rardon, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1324) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1837) for the relief of W. W. Cook, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1325) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 657) for the relief of J. R. Osgood, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1326) thereon.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2519) directing the Court of Claims to adjudicate the claims of the F. Mansfield & Sons Co. and others for compensation for injuries to oyster beds, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1327) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2983) to amend the Plant Quarantine Act of August 20, 1912, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1328) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3336) to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1330) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 185) concerning expenditures by the Federal Government for cotton cooperatives, etc., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1331) thereon; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8790) to amend section 6 of the act of February 28, 1925, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1332) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom were referred the following joint resolutions, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. J. Res. 129. Joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, to permit an adjudication with respect to liens of the United States arising by virtue of loans under such joint resolution (Rept. No. 1333); and

H. J. Res. 257. Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, as amended by the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1929, approved March 4, 1929 (Rept. No. 1334).

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2127) to amend section 4471 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1335) thereon.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 144) to provide an additional clerk for each Senator, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution, and the reported amendment, striking out on line 3 the sum "$2,220" and inserting in lieu thereof *$1,800,* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. McCarran:

A bill (S. 3420) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by aircraft in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

By Mr. George:

A bill (S. 3421) to provide for the establishment of the Fort Frederica National Monument, at St. Simon Island, Ga., and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3422) granting an increase of pension to John Flanagan; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 3423) granting a pension to Flora Turner; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Norris:

A bill (S. 3424) to continue Electric Home and Farm Authority as an agency of the United States until February 1937, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Shipstead:

A bill (S. 3425) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Government of Norway in settlement of all claims for reimbursement on account of losses sustained by the owner and crew of the Norwegian steamer *Tampen* (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Bone and Mr. Schwellenbach:

A bill (S. 3426) authorizing the States of Oregon and Washington to institute suit against the United States to determine title to certain land in the Columbia River; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 3427) to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates, and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

ADMINISTRATION OF SILVER PURCHASE ACT OF 1934

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 187), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That a special committee of five Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, is authorized and directed to confer with the Secretary of the Treasury relative to the administration, and the economic and commercial effect in the United States and abroad, of the Silver Purchase Act of 1934, Public, No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, approved June 19, 1934 (48 Stat. 1178).

The said special committee, or any subcommittee thereof duly authorized by the special committee, is further authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ and to call upon the executive departments for clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such correspondence, books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

The said special committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the results of its investigations, together with its recommendations.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 188), which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

Whereas in the enactment of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933 it was provided that the President should have power to fix the weight of the silver dollar; to fix a definite ratio between the gold dollar and such silver dollar, and to provide for the unlimited coinage of silver at such ratio; and

Whereas in the enactment of the Silver Purchase Act of 1934 it was declared to be the policy of the United States that the proportion of silver to gold in the monetary stocks of the United States should be increased with the ultimate objective of having and maintaining one-fourth of the monetary value of such stocks in silver; and

Whereas in the enactment of said Silver Purchase Act it was the clear and unmistakable intent of the Congress to

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make a wider use of silver in our monetary system, to the definite end that we should acquire additional silver so that our total stock of silver should equal 25 percent of our total metallic monetary stock or that we should acquire silver until the world price should be raised to at least $1.29 per ounce; and

Whereas at the time of the enactment of the said Silver Purchase Act we obligated our Government to procure additional silver to the monetary value of some $1,725,000,000, and that to date, because of our increased supply of monetary gold, the proportion of silver to gold in our total metallic monetary stock has not been substantially increased; and

Whereas unless the price of silver is increased to at least $1.29 per ounce, making the value of the quantity of metal in the standard silver dollar worth $1, such silver is no more important in our monetary system than any other token monetary metal; and

Whereas as a result of the program herein outlined the price of silver in the world market increased from approximately 47 cents per ounce until about April 1 the world price was some 81 cents per ounce; and

Whereas because of reasons not made public the world price advance of silver was checked, and since, on or about April 1, the world price has fallen until at the present time such price is approximately 66 cents per ounce, showing a total fall in the world price of silver of some 15 cents per ounce; and

Whereas the decrease in the price of silver, as hereinbefore stated, is contrary to one of the declared objectives, as stated in such Silver Purchase Act—that of raising the world price of silver to $1.29 per ounce; and

Whereas unless it shall be the policy of the United States to raise the price of silver as provided by one of the objectives stated in said Silver Purchase Act, thereby making it possible for silver to become a basic and primary monetary metal, co-equal with gold, the present policy of purchasing silver and storing same in vaults at vast expense to the Government is an unjustified and unwarranted expenditure of public funds; and

Whereas unless silver is to be made a basic and primary monetary metal, the Government already has more silver than is needed or justified for use as token money; and

Whereas it appears to be in the public interest that the United States' policy toward silver be clarified and defined to the end that, if silver is not to be made a basic and primary monetary metal, then the policy as set forth in the Silver Purchase Act of 1934 should be abrogated and repealed; and

Whereas the monetary adjustment policy of the present administration originated in the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; and

Whereas the demand for a wider use of silver in our monetary system, with the main objective being an increase in the price of silver to at least $1.29 per ounce, to the end that silver may be made into a basic and primary monetary metal, likewise originated in the said Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry be, and is hereby, authorized to investigate the activities and records of the agents of the Government in the administration of and carrying out the silver program as set forth in such Silver Purchase Act of 1934; such investigation to cover the amounts of silver purchased, the price paid, the expense incurred in administering the Silver Purchase Act, the agent or agents selected and appointed and representing the United States in making such purchases, the place where such silver was purchased, the reason or reasons for the 15-cent per ounce fall in the price of silver, the protests filed against the United States silver policy, the nature of and reasons for the opposition to such policy, and recommendations for additional legislation and for additional administrative acts; be it further

Resolved, That, for the purposes of this resolution, the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fourth and succeeding Congresses, to employ and to call upon the executive departments for clerical and other assistants, to require by subpena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such correspondence, books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed $10,000, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, upon vouchers approved by the chairman.

AIRCRAFT TRANSPORTATION OF PASSENGERS AND PROPERTY

Mr. Truman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3420) to amend the interstate commerce act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by aircraft in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1329) thereon.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 2247. An act directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico;

S. 2361. An act to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices;

S. 2577. An act to eliminate the requirement of cultivation in connection with certain homestead entries; and

S. 2695. An act to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo.

The House has passed the bill (S. 578) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 6678. An act to add certain lands to the Rogue River National Forest in the State of Oregon;

H. R. 7024. An act to authorize the sale by the United States to the municipality of Hot Springs, N. Mex., the northeast half of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 6, township 14 south, range 4 west, Hot Springs, N. Mex.;

H. R. 7736. An act to provide for the establishment of the Whitman National Monument;

H. R. 7930. An act to eliminate certain lands from the Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho;

H. R. 7938. An act to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station on Mount Desert Island in the State of Maine as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8133. An act to authorize certain homestead settlers or entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8312. An act to add certain lands to the Rogue River National Forest in the State of Oregon.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 6678, H. R. 7024, H. R. 7736, H. R. 7930, H. R. 7938, H. R. 8133, and H. R. 8312, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

TIMBER FOR CITIZENS OF BEAR LAKE COUNTY, IDAHO

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hatch in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 578) authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Borah,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REGULATION OF COMMERCE IN PETROLEUM

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, withdrew the motion yesterday entered by him to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 2027) to regulate commerce in petroleum, and for other purposes.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

On the question of agreeing to the first reported amendment,

On motion by Mr. La Follette to amend the said reported amendment, viz, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, as follows:

"Section 12(b) of the Revenue Act of 1934, is amended by striking out the last bracket thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"$533,000 upon surtax net incomes of $1,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,000,000 and not in excess of $1,500,000, 60 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$833,000 upon surtax net incomes of $1,500,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,500,000 and not in excess of $2,000,000, 62 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,143,000 upon surtax net incomes of $2,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $2,000,000 and not in excess of $3,000,000, 65 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,793,000 upon surtax net incomes of $3,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $3,000,000 and not in excess of $5,000,000, 68 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$3,153,000 upon surtax net incomes of $5,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $5,000,000 and not in excess of $7,000,000, 71 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$4,573,000 upon surtax net incomes of $7,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $7,000,000 and not in excess of $10,000,000, 74 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$6,793,000 upon surtax net incomes of $10,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $10,000,000, 75 per centum in addition of such excess."

Insert the following:

Section 12 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended to read as follows:

"(b) Rates of Surtax: There shall be levied, collected, and paid for each taxable year upon the surtax net income of every individual a surtax as follows:

"Upon a surtax net income of $3,000 there shall be no surtax; upon surtax net incomes in excess of $3,000 and not in excess of $4,000, 4 per centum of such excess.

"$40 upon surtax net incomes of $4,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $4,000 and not in excess of $6,000, 6 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$160 upon surtax net incomes of $6,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $6,000 and not in excess of $8,000, 8 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$320 upon surtax net incomes of $8,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $8,000 and not in excess of $10,000, 10 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$520 upon surtax net incomes of $10,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $10,000 and not in excess of $12,000, 12 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$760 upon surtax net incomes of $12,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $12,000 and not in excess of $14,000, 14 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,040 upon surtax net incomes of $14,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $14,000 and not in excess of $16,000, 16 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,360 upon surtax net incomes of $16,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $16,000 and not in excess of $18,000, 18 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,720 upon surtax net incomes of $18,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $18,000 and not in excess of $20,000, 20 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$2,120 upon surtax net incomes of $20,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $20,000 and not in excess of $22,000, 22 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$2,560 upon surtax net incomes of $22,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $22,000 and not in excess of $26,000, 24 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$3,520 upon surtax net incomes of $26,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $26,000 and not in excess of $32,000, 27 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$5,140 upon surtax net incomes of $32,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $32,000 and not in excess of $38,000, 30 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$6,940 upon surtax net incomes of $38,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $38,000 and not in excess of $44,000, 33 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$8,920 upon surtax net incomes of $44,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $44,000 and not in excess of $50,000, 36 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$11,080 upon surtax net incomes of $50,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $50,000 and not in excess of $60,000, 40 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$15,080 upon surtax net incomes of $60,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $60,000 and not in excess of $70,000, 44 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$19,480 upon surtax net incomes of $70,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $70,000 and not in excess of $80,000, 48 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$24,280 upon surtax net incomes of $80,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $80,000 and not in excess of $90,000 52 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$29,480 upon surtax net incomes of $90,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $90,000 and not in excess of $100,000, 56 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$35,080 upon surtax net incomes of $100,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $100,000 and not in excess of $150,000, 58 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$64,080 upon surtax net incomes of $150,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $150,000 and not in excess of $200,000, 60 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$94,080 upon surtax net incomes of $200,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $200,000 and not in excess of $250,000, 62 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$125,080 upon surtax net incomes of $250,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $250,000 and not in excess of $300,000, 64 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$157,080 upon surtax net incomes of $300,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $300,000 and not in excess of $400,000, 66 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$223,000 upon surtax net incomes of $400,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $400,000 and not in excess of $500,000, 68 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$291,080 upon surtax net incomes of $500,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $500,000 and not in excess of $750,000, 70 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$466,080 upon surtax net incomes of $750,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $750,000 and not in excess of $1,000,000, 72 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$646,080 upon surtax net incomes of $1,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,000,000 and not in excess of $2,000,000, 73 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,376,080 upon surtax net incomes of $2,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $2,000,000 and not in excess of $5,000,000, 74 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$3,596,080 upon surtax net incomes of $5,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $5,000,000, 75 per centum in addition of such excess."

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, [Yeas---------- 19; Nays---------- 62]

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Black, Bulkley, Clark, Costigan, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Hale, La Follette, Maloney, Norbeck, Nye, Russell, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Vandenberg, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Walsh.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. La Follette to amend the said reported amendment by inserting, in lieu of the part proposed to be inserted, the following:

Section 12 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended to read as follows:

"(b) Rates of surtax.—There shall be levied, collected, and paid for each taxable year upon the surtax net income of every individual a surtax as follows:

" Upon a surtax net income of $4,000 there shall be no surtax; upon surtax net incomes in excess of $4,000 and not in excess of $6,000, 4 per centum of such excess.

" $80 upon surtax net incomes of $6,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $6,000 and not in excess of $8,000, 6 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $200 upon surtax net incomes of $8,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $8,000 and not in excess of $10,000, 8 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $360 upon surtax net incomes of $10,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $10,000 and not in excess of $12,000, 10 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $560 upon surtax net incomes of $12,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $12,000 and not in excess of $14,000, 12 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $800 upon surtax net incomes of $14,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $14,000 and not in excess of $16,000, 14 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $1,080 upon surtax net incomes of $16,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $16,000 and not in excess of $18,000, 16 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $1,400 upon surtax net incomes of $18,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $18,000 and not in excess of $20,000, 18 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $1,760 upon surtax net incomes of $20,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $20,000 and not in excess of $22,000, 20 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $2,160 upon surtax net incomes of $22,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $22,000 and not in excess of $26,000, 22 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $3,040 upon surtax net incomes of $26,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $26,000 and not in excess of $32,000, 25 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $4,540 upon surtax net incomes of $32,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $32,000 and not in excess of $38,000, 28 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $6,220 upon surtax net incomes of $38,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $38,000 and not in excess of $44,000, 31 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $8,080 upon surtax net incomes of $44,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $44,000 and not in excess of $50,000, 34 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $10,120 upon surtax net incomes of $50,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $50,000 and not in excess of $60,000, 38 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $13,920 upon surtax net incomes of $60,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $60,000 and not in excess of $70,000, 42 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $18,120 upon surtax net incomes of $70,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $70,000 and not in excess of $80,000, 46 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $22,720 upon surtax net incomes of $80,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $80,000 and not in excess of $90,000, 50 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $27,720 upon surtax net incomes of $90,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $90,000 and not in excess of $100,000, 54 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $33,120 upon surtax net incomes of $100,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $100,000 and not in excess of $150,000, 56 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $61,120 upon surtax net incomes of $150,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $150,000 and not in excess of $200,000, 58 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $90,120 upon surtax net incomes of $200,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $200,000 and not in excess of $25,000, 60 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $120,120 upon surtax net incomes of $250,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $250,000 and not in excess of $300,000, 62 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $151,120 upon surtax net incomes of $300,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $300,000 and not in excess of $400,000, 64 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $215,120 upon surtax net incomes of $400,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $400,000 and not in excess of $500,000, 66 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $281,120 upon surtax net incomes of $500,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $500,000 and not in excess of $750,000, 68 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $451,120 upon surtax net incomes of $750,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $750,000 and not in excess of $1,000,000, 70 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $626,120 upon surtax net incomes of $1,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,000,000 and not in excess of $2,000,000, 72 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,346,120 upon surtax net incomes of $2,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $2,000,000 and not in excess of $5,000,000, 74 per centum in addition of such excess.

" $3,566,120 upon surtax net incomes of $5,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $5,000,000 75 per centum in addition of such excess."

After debate,

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas---------- 22 / Nays---------- 56

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Byrd, Clark, Costigan, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Hale, La Follette, Maloney, Russell, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Borah, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So Mr. La Follette's amendment was not agreed to.

AMENDMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

Mr. Smith submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 36, 37, 38, 65, 66, 67, 94, 95, 120, 123, 156, and 157.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 34, 40, 41, 44, 46, 47, 49, 50, 51, 54, 55, 56, 58, 61, 62, 63, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 97, 98, 101, 103, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 116, 117, 118, 121, 130, 131, 134, 136, 137, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 153, and 154, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 3: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

On page 3 of the House bill, line 19, strike out " such " and insert *an*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 12: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 12, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *which directly burdens, obstructs, or affects*; and on page 9 of the House bill, line 9, after " commerce " strike out the comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 14: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 14, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *only such handling of such agricultural commodity, or product thereof, as is in the current of interstate or foreign commerce, or which directly burdens, obstructs, or affects, interstate or foreign commerce in such commodity or product thereof*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: On page 14 of the House bill, line 18, after " fruits " insert *other than olives* and a comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 16: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 16, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert (*not including vegetables, other than asparagus, for canning*), *soybeans;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

" (D) Providing that, in the case of all milk purchased by handlers from any producer who did not regularly sell milk during a period of 30 days next preceding the effective date of such order for consumption in the area covered thereby, payments to such producer, for the period beginning with the first regular delivery by such producer and continuing until the end of two full calendar months following the first day of the next succeeding calendar month, shall be made at the price for the lowest use classification specified in such order, subject to the adjustments specified in paragraph (B) of this subsection (5).

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 23: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 23, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

" (E) Providing (i) except as to producers for whom such services are being rendered by a cooperative marketing association, qualified as provided in paragraph (F) of this subsection (5), for market information to producers and for the verification of weights, sampling, and testing of milk purchased from producers, and for making appropriate deductions therefor from payments to producers, and (ii) for assurance of, and security for, the payment by handlers for milk purchased.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 24: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 24, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *or in any manner limit, in the case of the products of milk* and a comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 29: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 29, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *marketed in or transported to any or all markets in the current of interstate or foreign commerce or so as directly to burden, obstruct, or affect interstate or foreign commerce in such commodity or product thereof* and a comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 30: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 30, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *market in or transport to any or all markets in the current of interstate or foreign commerce or so as directly to burden, obstruct, or affect interstate or foreign commerce in such commodity or product thereof*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 31: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 31, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *marketed in or transported to any or all markets in the current of interstate or foreign commerce or so as directly to burden, obstruct, or affect interstate or foreign commerce in such commodity or product thereof* and a comma; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 35: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 35, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: On page 17 of the House bill, line 17, strike out "(B)" and insert (*C*); and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 39: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 39, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: On page 17 of the House bill, line 5, strike out the comma following " which "; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert a comma and the following: *except that as to citrus fruits produced in any area producing what is known as California citrus fruits no order issued pursuant to this subsection (8) shall become effective until the handlers of not less than 80 per centum of the volume of such commodity or product thereof covered by such order have signed such a marketing agreement;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 43: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 43, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

: Provided, That no order issued pursuant to this subsection shall be effective unless the Secretary of Agriculture determines that the issuance of such order is approved or favored:

"(A) By at least two-thirds of the producers who (except that as to citrus fruits produced in any area producing what is known as California citrus fruits said order must be approved or favored by three-fourths of the producers), during a representative period determined by the Secretary, have been engaged, within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, in the production for market of the commodity specified therein, or who, during such representative period, have been engaged in the production of such commodity for sale in the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement, or order, or

"(B) By producers who, during such representative period, have produced for market at least two-thirds of the volume of such commodity produced for market within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, or who, during such representative period, have produced at least two-thirds of the volume of such commodity sold within the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement or order.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 45: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 45, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *(except that as to citrus fruits produced in any area producing what is known as California citrus fruits said per centum shall be 80 per centum)*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 48: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 48, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *(except that as to citrus fruits produced in any area producing what is known as California citrus fruits said per centum shall be 80 per centum)*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 52: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 52, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"(i) By at least two-thirds of the producers (except that as to citrus fruits produced in any area producing what is known as California citrus fruits said order must be approved or favored by three-fourths of the producers) who, during a representative period determined by the Secretary, have been engaged, within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, in the production for market of the commodity specified therein, or who, during such representative period, have been engaged in the production of such commodity for sale in the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement, or order, or

"(ii) By producers who, during such representative period, have produced for market at least two-thirds of the volume of such commodity produced for market within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, or who, during such representative period, have produced at least two-thirds of the volume of such commodity sold within the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement or order.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 53: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 53, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

No order shall be issued under this title prohibiting, regulating, or restricting the advertising of any commodity or product covered thereby, nor shall any marketing agreement contain any provision prohibiting, regulating, or restricting the advertising of any commodity or product covered by such marketing agreement.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 57: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 57, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: On page 23 of the House bill, line 6, strike out " is " and insert *are*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 59: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 59, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, or who, during such representative period, have been engaged in the production of such commodity for sale within the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement or order: Provided, That such majority have, during such representative period, produced for market more than 50 per centum of the volume of such commodity produced for market within the production area specified in such marketing agreement or order, or have, during such representative period, produced more than 50 per centum of the volume of such commodity sold in the marketing area specified in such marketing agreement or order*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 60: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 60, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by said amendment strike out "8(c)" and insert in lieu thereof *8c;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 64: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 64, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert

"Specific tax rate—Floor stocks—Barley

"(5) If at any time prior to December 31, 1937, a tax with respect to barley becomes effective pursuant to proclamation as provided in subsection (a) of this section, such tax shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid during the period from the date upon which such tax becomes effective to December 31, 1937, both inclusive, at the rate of 25 cents per bushel of forty-eight pounds. The provisions of section 16 of this title shall not apply in the case of barley.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 68: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 68, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"(6) (A) Any rate of tax which is prescribed in paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection or which is established pursuant to this paragraph (6) on the processing of any commodity generally or for any designated use or uses, or on the processing of the commodity in the production of any designated product or products thereof for any designated use or uses, shall be decreased (including a decrease to zero) in accordance with the formulae, standards, and requirements of paragraph (1) of this subsection, in order to prevent such reduction in the quantity of such commodity or the products thereof domestically consumed as will result in the accumulation of surplus stocks of such commodity or the products thereof or in the depression of the farm price of the commodity, and shall thereafter be increased in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (1) of this subsection but subject to the provisions of subdivision (B) of this paragraph (6).

"(B) If the average farm price of any commodity, the rate of tax on the processing of which is prescribed in paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection or is established pursuant to this paragraph (6), during any twelve months period ending after the date of the adoption of this amendment consisting of the two months immediately preceding and the first ten months of any marketing year—

"(i) is equal to, or exceeds by 10 per centum or less, the fair exchange value thereof, or, in the case of tobacco, is less than the fair exchange value by not more than 10 per centum, the rate of such tax shall (subject to the provisions of subdivision (A) of this paragraph (6)) be adjusted, at the beginning of the next succeeding marketing year, to such rate as equals 20 per centum of the fair exchange value thereof.

"(ii) exceeds by more than 10 per centum, but not more than 20 per centum, the fair exchange value thereof, the rate of such tax shall (subject to the provisions of subdivision (A) of this paragraph (6)) be adjusted, at the beginning of the next succeeding marketing year, to such rate as equals 15 per centum of the fair exchange value thereof.

"(iii) exceeds by more than 20 per centum the fair exchange value thereof, the rate of such tax shall (subject to the provisions of subdivision (A) of this paragraph (6)) be adjusted, at the beginning of the next succeeding marketing year, to such rate as equals 10 per centum of the fair exchange value thereof.

"(C) Any rate of tax which has been adjusted pursuant to this paragraph (6) shall remain at such adjusted rate unless further adjusted or terminated pursuant to this paragraph (6), until December 31, 1937, or until July 31, 1936, in the case of rice.

"(D) In accordance with the formulae, standards, and requirements prescribed in this title but not in this paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection or which is established pursuant to this paragraph (6) shall be increased.

"(E) Any tax, the rate of which is prescribed in paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection or which is established pursuant to this paragraph (6), shall terminate pursuant to proclamation as provided in section 9 (a) of this title or pursuant to section 13 of this title. Any such tax with respect to any basic commodity which terminates pursuant to proclamation as provided in section 9 (a) of this title shall again become effective at the rate prescribed in paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection, subject however to the provisions of subdivisions (A) and (B) of this paragraph (6), from the beginning of the marketing year for such commodity next following the date of a new proclamation by the Secretary as provided in section 9 (a) of this title, if such marketing year begins prior to December 31, 1937, or prior to July 31, 1936, in the case of rice, and shall remain at such rate until altered or terminated pursuant to the provisions of section 9 or terminated pursuant to section 13 of this title.

"(F) After December 31, 1937 (in the case of the commodities specified in paragraphs (2), (4), and (5) of this subsection), and after July 31, 1936 (in the case of rice), rates of tax shall be determined by the Secretary of Agriculture in accordance with the formulae, standards, and requirements prescribed in this title, any rate of tax prescribed (6), and shall, subject to such formulae, standards, and requirements, thereafter be effective.

"(G) If the applicability to any person or circumstances of any tax, the rate of which is fixed in pursuance of this paragraph (6), is finally held invalid by reason of any provision of the Constitution, or is finally held invalid by reason of the Secretary of Agriculture's exercise or failure to exercise any power conferred on him under this title, there shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid (in lieu of all rates of tax fixed in pursuance of this paragraph (6) with respect to all tax liabilities incurred under this title on or after the effective date of each of the rates of tax fixed in pursuance of this paragraph (6)), rates of tax fixed under paragraph (2), (3), (4), or (5), and such rates shall be in effect (unless the particular tax is terminated pursuant to proclamation, as provided in section 9 (a) or pursuant to section 13) until altered by Act of Congress; except that, for any period prior to the effective date of such holding of invalidity, the amount of tax which represents the difference between the tax at the rate fixed in pursuance of this paragraph (6) and the tax at the rate fixed under paragraphs (2), (3), (4), and (5) shall not be levied, assessed, collected, or paid.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 85: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 85, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Omit the matter proposed to be inserted by said amendment, and on page 53 of the House bill, after line 10, after the matter proposed to be inserted by Senate amendment numbered 139, insert the following:

Sec. 42. Section 4 of such Act of April 21, 1934, as amended, is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(h) The Secretary of Agriculture is directed to exempt by regulation from the payment of the tax on the ginning of cotton as levied under authority of this Act, an amount of lint cotton not in excess of one hundred and ten pounds, produced by or for any producer and retained for domestic use in his household."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 91: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 91, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *as to flour and prepared flour, and cereal preparations made chiefly from wheat, as classified in Wheat Regulations, Series 1, Supplement 1, and*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 96: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 96, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *27*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 99: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 99, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

(b) Section 16 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(g) No refund, credit, or abatement of any amount of any tax shall be made or allowed under this section, unless, within one hundred and twenty days after the right to such refund, credit, or abatement accrued, or within one hundred and twenty days after the date of the adoption of this amendment, whichever is the later, a claim for such refund, credit, or abatement (conforming to such regulations as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may prescribe) is filed by the person entitled to such refund, credit, or abatement, and no such claim shall be allowed for an amount less than $10."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 100: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 100, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *28*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 102: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 102, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *29*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 104: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 104, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by said amendment strike out "(c)" and insert *(d)*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 105: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 105, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *30*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 113: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 113, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert the following:

"(c) The making of rental and benefit payments under this title, prior to the date of the adoption of this amendment, as determined, prescribed, proclaimed and made effective by the proclamations of the Secretary of Agriculture or of the President or by regulations of the Secretary, and the initiation, if formally approved by the Secretary of Agriculture prior to such date of adjustment programs under section 8 (1) of this title, and the making of agreements with producers prior to such date, and the adoption of other voluntary methods prior to such date, by the Secretary of Agriculture under this title, and rental and benefit payments made pursuant thereto, are hereby legalized and ratified, and the making of all such agreements and payments, the initiation of such programs, and the adoption of all such methods prior to such date are hereby legalized, ratified, and confirmed as fully to all intents and purposes as if such agreement, program, method, and payment had been specifically authorized and made effective and the rate and amount thereof fixed specifically by prior Act of Congress.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 114: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 114, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"(d) (1) No recovery, recoupment, set-off, refund, or credit shall be made or allowed of, nor shall any counter claim be allowed for, any amount of any tax, penalty, or interest which accrued before, on, or after the date of the adoption of this amendment under this title (including any overpayment of such tax), unless, after a claim has been duly filed, it shall be established, in addition to all other facts required to be established, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and the Commissioner shall find and declare of record, after due notice by the Commissioner to such claimant and opportunity for hearing, that neither the claimant nor any person directly or indirectly under his control or having control over him, has, directly or indirectly, included such amount in the price of the article with respect to which it was imposed or of any article processed from the commodity with respect to which it was imposed, or passed on any part of such amount to the vendee or to any other person in any manner, or included any part of such amount in the charge or fee for processing, and that the price paid by the claimant of such person was not reduced by any part of such amount. In any judicial proceeding relating to such claim, a transcript of the hearing before the Commissioner shall be duly certified and filed as the record in the case and shall be so considered by the court. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to any refund or credit authorized by subsection (a) or (c) of section 15, section 16, or section 17 of this title, or to any refund or credit to the processor of any tax paid by him with respect to the provisions of section 317 of the Tariff Act of 1930.

"(2) In the event that any tax imposed by this title is finally held invalid by reason of any provision of the Constitution, or is finally held invalid by reason of the Secretary of Agriculture's exercise or failure to exercise any power conferred on him under this title, there shall be refunded or credited to any person (not a processor or other person who paid the tax) who would have been entitled to a refund or credit pursuant to the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of section 16, had the tax terminated by proclamation pursuant to the provisions of section 13, and in lieu thereof, a sum in an amount equivalent to the amount to which such person would have been entitled had the Act been valid and had the tax with respect to the particular commodity terminated immediately prior to the effective date of such holding of invalidity, subject, however, to the following condition: Such claimant shall establish to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and the Commissioner shall find and declare of record, after due notice by the Commissioner to the claimant and opportunity for hearing, that the amount of the tax paid upon the processing of the commodity used in the floor stocks with respect to which the claim is made was included by the processor or other person who paid the tax in the price of such stocks (or of the material from which such stocks were made). In any judicial proceeding relating to such claim, a transcript of the hearing before the Commissioner shall be duly certified and filed as the record in the case and shall be so considered by the court. Notwithstanding any other provision of law: (1) no suit or proceeding for the recovery, recoupment, set-off, refund or credit of any tax imposed by this title, or of any penalty or interest, which is based upon the invalidity of such tax by reason of any provision of the Constitution or by reason of the Secretary of Agriculture's exercise or failure to exercise any power conferred on him under this title, shall be maintained in any court, unless prior to the expiration of six months after the date on which such tax imposed by this title has been finally held invalid a claim therefor (conforming to such regulations as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may prescribe) is filed by the person entitled thereto; (2) no such suit or proceeding shall be begun before the expiration of one year from the date of filing such claim unless the Commissioner renders a decision thereon within that time, nor after the expiration of five years from the date of the payment of such tax, penalty, or sum, unless suit or proceeding is begun within two years after the disallowance of the part of such claim to which such suit or proceeding relates. The Commissioner shall within 90 days after such disallowance notify the taxpayer thereof by mail.

"(3) The District Courts of the United States shall have jurisdiction of cases to which this subsection applies, regardless of the amount in controversy, if such courts would have had jurisdiction of such cases but for limitations under the Judicial Code, as amended, on jurisdiction of such courts based upon the amount in controversy.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 115: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 115, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"(e) In connection with the establishment, by any claimant, of the facts required to be established in subsection (d) of this section, the Commissioner of Internal Revenue is hereby authorized, by any officer or employee of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, including the field service, designated by him for that purpose, to examine any books, papers, records, or memoranda, relative to any matter affecting the findings to be made by the Commissioner pursuant to subsection (d) of this section, to require the attendance of the claimant or of any officer or employee of the claimant, or the attendance of any other person having knowledge in the premises, and to take, or cause to be taken, his testimony with reference to any such matter, with power to administer oaths to such person or persons. It shall be lawful for the Commissioner, or any collector designated by him, to summon witnesses on behalf of the United States or of any claimant to appear before the Commissioner, or before any person designated by him, at a time and place named in the summons, and to produce such books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records as the Commissioner may deem relevant or material, and to give testimony or answer interrogatories, under oath, relating to any matter affecting the findings to be made by the Commissioner pursuant to subsection (d) of this section. The provisions of Revised Statutes 3174 and of Revised Statutes 3175 shall be applicable with respect to any summons issued pursuant to the provisions of this subsection. Any witness summoned under this subsection shall be paid, by the party on whose behalf such witnes was summoned, the same fees and mileage as are paid witnesses in the courts of the United States. All information obtained by the Commissioner pursuant to this subsection shall be available to the Secretary of Agriculture upon written request therefor. Such information shall be kept confidential by all officers and employees of the Department of Agriculture, and any such officer or employee who violates this requirement shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of not more than $1,000 or to imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, and shall be removed from office.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 119: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 119, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"(g) The provisions of section 3226, Revised Statutes, as amended, are hereby extended to apply to any suit for the recovery of any amount of any tax, penalty, or interest, which accrued, before, on, or after the date of the adoption of this amendment under this title (whether an overpayment or otherwise), and to any suit for the recovery of any amount of tax which results from an error in the computation of the tax or from duplicate payments of any tax, or any refund or credit authorized by subsection (a) or (c) of section 15, section 16, or section 17 of this title or any refund or credit to the processor of any tax paid by him with respect to articles exported pursuant to the provisions of section 317 of the Tariff Act of 1930."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 122: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 122, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 31. The Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, is amended by inserting after section 21 the following:

"IMPORTS

"Sec. 22. (a) Whenever the President has reason to believe that any one or more articles are being imported into the United States under such conditions and in sufficient quantities as to render or tend to render ineffective or materially interfere with any program or operation undertaken, or to reduce substantially the amount of any product processed in the United States from any commodity subject to and with respect to which an adjustment program is in operation, under this title, he shall cause an immediate investigation to be made by the United States Tariff Commission, which shall give precedence to investigations under this section to determine such facts. Such investigation shall be made after due notice and opportunity for hearing to interested parties and shall be conducted subject to such regulations as the President shall specify.

"(b) If, on the basis of such investigation and report to him of findings and recommendations made in connection therewith, the President finds the existence of such facts, he shall by proclamation impose such limitations on the total quantities of any article or articles which may be imported as he finds and declares shown by such investigation to be necessary to prescribe in order that the entry of such article or articles will not render or tend to render ineffective or materially interfere with any program or operation undertaken, or will not reduce substantially the amount of any product processed in the United States from any commodity subject to and with respect to which an adjustment program is in operation, under this title: Provided, That no limitation shall be imposed on the total quantity of any article which may be imported from any country which reduces such permissible total quantity to less than 50 per centum of the average annual quantity of such article which was imported from such country during the period from July 1, 1928, to June 30, 1933, both dates inclusive.

"(c) No import restriction proclaimed by the President under this section nor any revocation, suspension, or modification thereof shall become effective until fifteen days after the date of such proclamation, revocation, suspension, or modification.

"(d) Any decision of the President as to facts under this section shall be final.

"(e) After investigation, report, finding, and declaration in the manner provided in the case of a proclamation issued pursuant to subsection (b) of this section, any proclamation or provision of such proclamation may be suspended by the President whenever he finds that the circumstances requiring the proclamation or provision thereof no longer exist, or may be modified by the President whenever he finds that changed circumstances require such modification to carry out the purposes of this section."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 123: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 123, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 32. There is hereby appropriated for each fiscal year beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936 an amount equal to 30 per centum of the gross receipts from duties collected under the customs laws during the period January 1 to December 31, both inclusive, preceding the beginning of each such fiscal year. Such sums shall be maintained in a separate fund and shall be used by the Secretary of Agriculture only to (1) encourage the exportation of agricultural commodities and products thereof by the payment of benefits in connection with the exportation thereof or of indemnities for losses incurred in connection with such exportation or by payments to producers in connection with the production of that part of any agricultural commodity required for domestic consumption; (2) encourage the domestic consumption of such commodities or products by diverting them, by the payment of benefits or indemnities or by other means, from the normal channels of trade and commerce; and (3) finance adjustments in the quantity planted or produced for market of agricultural commodities. The amounts appropriated under this section shall be expended for such of the above-specified purposes, and at such times, in such manner, and in such amounts as the Secretary of Agriculture finds will tend to increase the exportation of agricultural commodities and products thereof, and increase the domestic consumption of agricultural commodities and products thereof: Provided, That no part of the funds appropriated by this section shall be expended pursuant to clause (3) hereof unless the Secretary of Agriculture determines that the expenditure of such part pursuant to clauses (1) and (2) is not necessary to effectuate the purposes of this section: Provided further, That no part of the funds appropriated by this section shall be used for the payment of benefits in connection with the exportation of unmanufactured cotton.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 124: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 124, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "34" and insert 33; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 125: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 125, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "35" and insert 34; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 126: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 126, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "36" and insert 35; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 127: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 127, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "37" and insert 36; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 129: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 129, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert 38; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 132: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 132, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: or (c) invalidate any agreement entered into pursuant to section 8 (1) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act prior to the enactment of this act, or subsequent to the enactment of this act in connection with a program the initiation of which has been formally approved by the Secretary of Agriculture under such section 8 (1) prior to the enactment of this act, or any act done or agreed to be done or any payment made or agreed to be made in pursuance of any such agreement, either before or after the enactment of this act, or any change in the terms and conditions of any such agreement, or any voluntary arrangements or further agreements which the Secretary finds necessary or desirable in order to complete or terminate such program pursuant to the declared policy of the Agricultural Adjustment Act: Provided, That the Secretary shall not prescribe, pursuant to any such agreement or voluntary arrangement, any adjustment in the acreage or in the production for market of any basic agricultural commodity to be made after July 1, 1937, except pursuant to the provisions of section 8 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act as amended by this act; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 135: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered

135, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "41" and insert *39*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 138: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 138, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

(d) The action of the Secretary of Agriculture in ascertaining and proclaiming, pursuant to section 3 (a) and (b) of such Act, as amended, 10,500,000 bales as the maximum amount of cotton of the crop harvested in the crop year 1935–1936 that may be marketed exempt from payment of the tax levied by such Act, as amended, is hereby legalized and ratified, and all apportionments and other action taken pursuant to such ascertainment and proclamation are legalized and ratified and confirmed as fully to all intents and purposes as if such amount had been fixed and such apportionments and action had been authorized and made effective specifically by Act of Congress.

(e) Section 7 of such Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(d) For each crop year subsequent to the crop year 1934–1935 in which this Act is in effect the Secretary of Agriculture shall make (1) to each farm with an established average production for the applicable base period of 956 pounds or less of lint cotton an allotment equal to the full amount of such production and (2) to each farm with an established average production for such base period of more than 956 pounds of lint cotton an allotment of not less than 956 pounds. For each crop year subsequent to the crop year 1935–1936, the amount of each such allotment (and for the crop year 1935–1936 and subsequent crop years, the additional amount required for apportionment under the provisions of the Public Resolution entitled "Public Resolution To provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act") which is in excess of the allotment which, without regard to this subsection or such Public Resolution, would have been made to any farm, shall be in addition to the national allotment and the allotments to the State and county in which such farm is situated. The first sentence of this subsection shall not be held to increase any allotment to any farm for the crop year 1935–1936 which allotment was made under regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture prior to the date of the adoption of this amendment, or to require any reallotment."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 139: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 139, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 40. Section 17 of such act of April 21, 1934, as amended, is amended by inserting "(a)" before the first sentence thereof and by inserting at the end thereof the following new subsection:

"(b) Appropriations for administrative expenses under this act are authorized to be made available to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to pay any person who, in connection with the operation of any cotton gin, incurred additional expenses in connection with the administration of this act with respect to cotton ginned during the crop year 1935–1936 or any subsequent crop year in which this act is in effect, and who applies to the Secretary therefor, compensation in the amount of such additional expenses, but not in excess of the rate of 25 cents per bale of such cotton ginned by such person, provided proof satisfactory to the Secretary of Agriculture is furnished that the additional expenses for which such person makes application have not been passed on in any manner whatsoever."

Sec. 41. Section 9 (d) of such act of April 21, 1934, as amended (relating to transfer of exemption certificates), is amended by inserting after the first sentence thereof the following new sentence: "No rule or regulation of the Secretary of Agriculture shall prohibit the transfer or assignment by a cotton producer of certificates issued or reissued to him if such transfer or assignment is to another cotton producer who is a resident of the same State."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 158: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 158, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "57" and insert *56*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 159: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 159, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 57. In order to effectuate the policy declared in section 56 of this act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall have the power, after due notice and opportunity for hearing, to enter into marketing agreements with manufacturers and others engaged in the handling of anti-hog-cholera serum and hog-cholera virus only with respect to such handling as is in the current of interstate or foreign commerce or which directly burdens, obstructs, or affects interstate or foreign commerce in such serum and virus. Such persons are hereafter in this act referred to as "handlers." The making of any such agreement shall not be held to be in violation of any of the antitrust laws of the United States, and any such agreement shall be deemed to be lawful.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 160: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 160, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "59" and insert *58*; strike out "58" wherever it appears and insert *57*; and strike out "57" and insert *56*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 161: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 161, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "60" and insert *59*; and strike out "58" and insert *57*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 162: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 162, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 60. Subject to the policy declared in section 56 of this Act, the provisions of subsections (6), (7), (8), and (9) of section 8a and of subsections (14) and (15) of section 8c of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, are hereby made applicable in connection with orders issued pursuant to section 59 of this Act, and the provisions of section 8d of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, are hereby made applicable in connection with marketing agreements entered into pursuant to section 57 and orders issued pursuant to section 59 of this Act. The provisions of subsections (a), (b), (2), (c), (f), (h), and (i) of section 10 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, are hereby made applicable in connection with the administration of sections 56 to 60, inclusive, of this Act.

And the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report the following amendments in disagreement:

Amendments nos. 128, 152, 155, and 163.

E. D. SMITH,
J. H. BANKHEAD,
CHAS. L. MCNARY,
LOUIS MURPHY,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

MARVIN JONES,
H. P. FULMER,
WALL DOXEY,
CLIFFORD R. HOPE,
J. ROLAND KINZER,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report.

On the question of agreeing thereto,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the report was, by unanimous consent, postponed until 4 o'clock p. m.

The Senate subsequently resumed the consideration of the said report; and,

After debate,

The report was agreed to.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendments of the Senate numbered 128, 155, and 163 to the said bill.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments: and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Resolved, That the Senate agree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the amendments of the Senate numbered 128 and 155, and that it agree to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate numbered 163 with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives of its action with respect to the said amendments.

CORRECTION OF ERROR IN ENROLLMENT OF H. R. 8492

Mr. Smith submitted the following concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 24), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed, in the enrollment of the bill (H. R. 8492) entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes", to make the following necessary changes in the language of the bill:

In paragraph (4) of the amendment made by section 12 of the bill to subsection (b) of section 9 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, strike out "August 15" wherever it appears and in lieu thereof insert "September 1."

Strike out so much of subdivision (B) of paragraph (6) of the amendment made by section 12 of the bill to subsection (b) of section 9 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, as reads as follows:

"(B) If the average farm price of any commodity, the rate of tax on the processing of which is prescribed in paragraph (2), (3), or (5) of this subsection or is established pursuant to this paragraph (6), during any 12-month period ending after the date of the adoption of this amendment, consisting of the 2 months immediately preceding and the first 10 months of any marketing year— "; and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(B) If the average farm price of any commodity, the rate of tax on the processing of which is prescribed in paragraphs (2), (3), (4), or (5) of this subsection or is established pursuant to this paragraph (6), during any period of 12 successive months ending after July 1, 1935, consisting of the first 10 months of any marketing year and the last 2 months of the preceding marketing year—."

In subsection (f) of section 21, added by section 30 of the bill to the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, strike out "refund or credit" wherever it appears (except in the last sentence thereof) and in lieu thereof insert "refund, credit, or abatement."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

The question being taken on agreeing to the first reported amendment, viz, strike out all after line 6, on page 1, down to and including line 17 on page 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 12(b) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended by striking out the last bracket thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

$533,000 upon surtax net incomes of $1,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,000,000 and not in excess of $1,500,000, 60 per centum in addition of such excess.

$833,000 upon surtax net incomes of $1,500,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $1,500,000 and not in excess of $2,000,000, 62 per centum in addition of such excess.

$1,143,000 upon surtax net incomes of $2,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $2,000,000 and not in excess of $3,000,000, 65 per centum in addition of such excess.

$1,793,000 upon surtax net incomes of $3,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $3,000,000 and not in excess of $5,000000, 68 per centum in addition of such excess.

$3,153,000 upon surtax net incomes of $5,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $5,000,000 and not in excess of $7,000,000, 71 per centum in addition of such excess.

$4,573,000 upon surtax net incomes of $7,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $7,000,000 and not in excess of $10,000,000, 74 per centum in addition of such excess.

$6,793,000 upon surtax net incomes of $10,000,000; and upon surtax net incomes in excess of $10,000,000, 75 per centum in addition of such excess.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas ---------- 49 / Nays ---------- 28 }

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, King, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Minton, Murphy, Murray, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Black, Borah, Bulkley, Capper, Clark, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Johnson, La Follette, McCarran, Metcalf, Moore, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So the reported amendment was agreed to.

The residue of the reported amendments were agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on Finance, and the motion of Mr. McCarran.

On motion by Mr. Borah to further amend the bill, as follows:

On page 10, after line 2 insert the following:

Sec. 104½. Federal obligations

(a) Section 22 (b) (4) of the Revenue Act of 1934 (relating to tax-free interest) is amended by striking out the last sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"In the case of obligations of the United States issued after September 1, 1917 (other than postal-savings certificates of deposit), and in the case of obligations of a corporation organized under act of Congress, the interest shall be exempt—

"(1) only if such obligations were issued or reissued prior to the date of enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935; and

"(2) only if and to the extent provided in the respective acts authorizing the issue thereof as amended and supplemented; and shall be excluded from gross income only if and to the extent it is wholly exempt from the taxes imposed by this bill."

(b) Section 25 (a) (2) of the Revenue Act of 1934 (relating to interest on United States obligations) is amended by inserting after the words "United States" the words "issued or reissued prior to the enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935."

(c) Section 25 (a) (3) of the Revenue Act of 1934 (relating to interest on obligations of instrumentalities of the United States) is amended by inserting after the words "normal tax" a semicolon and the following: "and (D) such obligations were issued or reissued prior to date of enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935."

And on page 17, line 13, strike out "and 104" and insert in lieu thereof *104 and 104½*,

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 40 / Nays---------- 39}

On motion by Mr. Borah,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Barbour, Bone, Borah, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrd, Capper, Carey, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Maloney, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Vandenberg, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Brown, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Dieterich, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, King, Lewis, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Sheppard, Smith, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So Mr. Borah's amendment was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Gore, the motion of Mr. Copeland, the motion of Mr. Lonergan, the motion of Mr. Bachman, and the motion of Mr. Harrison.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 57 / Nays---------- 22}

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Bilbo, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Maloney, McGill, McKellar, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Carey, Copeland, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, Lonergan, McCarran, McNary, Metcalf, Moore, Schall, Steiwer, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Mr. King moved to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill; when,

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Mr. King's motion was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Harrison, Mr. King, Mr. George, Mr. La Follette, and Mr. Metcalf.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 5159) to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7659) to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the following bill and joint resolution of the House:

H. R. 6914. An act to authorize the cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 351. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (District of Columbia) 1935 Improved, Benevolent, and Protective Order of Elks of the World, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Mansfield, Mr. Gavagan, Mr. DeRouen, Mr. Seger, and Mr. Culkin managers at the same on its part.

The Speaker of the House having signed 9 enrolled bills, viz, S. 739, S. 985, S. 1046, S. 2073, S. 2247, S. 2361, S. 2577, S. 2695, and S. 2993, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 351, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 739. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix, in the State of New York;

S. 985. An act for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.;

S. 1046. An act for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;

S. 2073. An act to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes;

S. 2247. An act directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico;

S. 2361. An act to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices;

S. 2577. An act to eliminate the requirement of cultivation in connection with certain homestead entries;

S. 2695. An act to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo.;

S. 2993. An act for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts; and

H. J. Res. 351. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia, and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (D. C.) 1935 Improved, Benevolent, and Protective Order of Elks of the World, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF OIL LEASING ACT

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 3311) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS ON TOMORROW

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate convenes on tomorrow it proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

SESQUICENTENNIAL OF ADOPTION OF CONSTITUTION

Mr. Ashurst submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission", having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 1, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 2, and agree to the same with amendments as follows: On page 1 of the House engrossed amendments, line 7, strike out "formulation" and insert in lieu thereof *formation*; and on page 2 of the House engrossed amendments, line 4, strike out "out of any moneys contributed"; and on page 3 of the House engrossed amendments, after line 5, insert the following:

Sec. 8. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated the sum of $10,000 to defray necessary expenses.

And the House agree to the same.

Amend the title so as to read: "Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States."

HENRY F. ASHURST,
WILLIAM E. BORAH,
WILLIAM H. KING,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN J. O'CONNOR,
HARRY C. RANSLEY,
SOL BLOOM,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ASSISTANCE AGAINST OLD-AGE WANT IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6623) to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 6 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bilbo, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Carey, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts and joint resolution:

On August 14, 1935:

S. 12. An act to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act;

S. 470. An act for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.;

S. 556. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department;

S. 928. An act for the relief of Rene Hooge;

S. 1024. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.;

S. 1359. An act for the relief of A. N. Ross;

S. 1781. An act for the relief of George Voeltz;

S. 1980. An act for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn;

S. 2169. An act for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States;

S. 2533. An act for the relief of the rightful heirs of Tiwastewin or Anna;

S. 2958. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a quitclaim deed of certain land located in the village of Lyons, N. Y.;

S. 3192. An act to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building; and

S. 3289. An act to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 reunion at Amarillo, Tex.

On August 15, 1935:

S. 405. An act for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia;

S. 659. An act for the relief of Walter J. Bryson Paving Co.;

S. 997. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry;

S. 1079. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to execute a certain indemnity agreement;

S. 1811. An act providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin;

S. 2034. An act to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes;

S. 2818. An act for the relief of Blanche L. Gray;

S. 2865. An act to amend the joint resolution establishing the George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Commission, approved May 23, 1928; and

S. J. Res. 96. Joint resolution to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ANNUAL REPORT OF FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report of the Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1934; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PETITIONS

Mr. La Follette presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin favoring a modification of rules and procedure of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation so as to facilitate loans to small business and industry; which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Capper presented a resolution adopted by Nonpareil Lodge, No. 720, Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, No. 584, of Hoisington, Kans., urging the passage of legislation to establish a retirement system for railroad employees, which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 182) continuing certain resolutions for an investigation of the cause of the decline of cotton prices, and increasing the limit of expenditures, reported it without amendment; and

Ordered, That the resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 187) providing for a special committee of five Senators to confer with the Secretary of the Treasury regarding the Silver Purchase Act of 1934, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Wheeler, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1634) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1336) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 178) directing the Tariff Commission to investigate the production costs of woolen knit gloves and mittens, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 996. A bill for the relief of Joe Reno (Rept. No. 1339);

H. R. 1871. A bill for the relief of the Medical College of Virginia and others, of Richmond, Va. (Rept. No. 1340);

H. R. 2620. A bill for the relief of Sadie Wilkinson (Rept. No. 1341);

H. R. 2621. A bill for the relief of Tom L. Griffith (Rept. No. 1342);

H. R. 2702. A bill for the relief of Emanuel Lieberman (Rept. No. 1343);

H. R. 3408. A bill for the relief of Rufus Jones, a minor (Rept. No. 1338);

H. R. 4601. A bill for the relief of the heirs of Gladys Picklesimer (Rept. No. 1344);

H. R. 4784. A bill for the relief of J. T. Slayback (Rept. No. 1345);

H. R. 4848. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Molster, disbursing clerk, Department of Commerce, and Dr. Louis H. Bauer, a former employee (Rept. No. 1346);

H. R. 5245. A bill for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding (Rept. No. 1347);

H. R. 5351. A bill for the relief of Rose Teiermeyer (Rept. No. 1348);

H. R. 5634. A bill for the relief of the Baltimore Renovating Co. (Rept. No. 1349);

H. R. 5781. A bill for the relief of the widow and next of kin of James J. Curran (Rept. No. 1350);

H. R. 5811. A bill for the relief of Michael A. McHugh (Rept. No. 1351);

H. R. 5905. A bill for the relief of Cal Settles and Rhoda Settles (Rept. No. 1352);

H. R. 6168. A bill for the relief of Charles K. Shade (Rept. No. 1353);

H. R. 6394. A bill for the relief of William K. Caley (Rept. No. 1337);

H. R. 6402. A bill for the relief of Julia M. Crowell (Rept. No. 1354);

H. R. 6889. A bill for the relief of A. Zappone and W. R. Fuchs (Rept. No. 1355);

H. R. 6892. A bill for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation (Rept. No. 1356);

H. R. 7076. A bill for the relief of the heirs of John Schrodl (Rept. No. 1357); and

H. R. 8020. A bill for the relief of Jose R. Redlhammer (Rept. No. 1358).

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4770) for the relief of Elinora Fareira, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1359) thereon.

Mr. Costigan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6776) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, reported it with amendments.

Mr. Neely, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2075) to provide for the appointment of additional district judges for the eastern and western districts of Missouri, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1360) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3806) to establish a commercial airport for the District of Columbia, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1361) thereon.

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1965) for the relief of William E. Fossett, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1364) thereon.

Mr. Townsend, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4570) for the relief of Amy McLaurin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1365) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2718) for the relief of Walter D. Foster, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1366) thereon.

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3381) to provide for the protection and preservation of domestic sources of tin, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1367) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1645) to provide for the creation of a commission to examine into and report the clear height above the water of the bridge authorized to be constructed over the Hudson River from Fifty-seventh Street, New York, to New Jersey, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1369) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3030) granting the consent of Congress to the Rockland-Westchester Hudson River Crossing Authority, State of New York, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Hudson River between a point in the vicinity of the village of Nyack, Rockland County, and the village of Tarrytown, Westchester County, N. Y., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1370) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7438) to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1687) to incorporate the National Yeomen F, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2324) to incorporate the Military Order of the Purple Heart, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1362) thereon.

Mr. Barkley, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Library, to whom were referred the following joint resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. J. Res. 151. Joint resolution making provision for a national celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, wealthiest signer of the Declaration of Independence; and

S. J. Res. 164. Joint resolution to authorize the selection of a site and the erection of a suitable monument indicating the historical significance of the first entrance into the city of Washington of a steam railroad, and for other purposes.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3194) to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1368) thereon.

Mr. Wagner, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Interstate Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3151) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1363) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Barbour:

A bill (S. 3428) authorizing the Secretary of War to lend Army tents to the Morris Grange Fair Committee, Troy Hills, N. J.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Walsh:

A bill (S. 3429) to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 3430) for the relief of Walter M. Seesee (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3431) granting a pension to Luther Lane; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Trammell:

A bill (S. 3432) for the relief of H. M. Frazee; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ASSISTANT CLERK TO COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 189), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That resolution numbered 111, agreed to January 19, 1934, authorizing the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to employ an assistant clerk to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate, hereby is continued in full force and effect until the end of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers in the cases hereinafter mentioned, to accompany bills heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, as follows:

World War adjusted certificates, immediate payment of; to the Committee on Finance.

Gilbert E. Bixby; and Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate:

S. 634. An act to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes;

S. 2156. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.;

S. 2556. An act to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895;

S. 2832. An act to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 3058. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes;

S. 3123. An act to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 69. Joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

The House has agreed to the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 24) authorizing the Clerk of the House, in the enrollment of H. R. 8492, to make certain changes.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate numbered 163 to the bill (H. R. 8492) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act and for other purposes.

The House has passed the bill (S. 1988) to extend the time for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr., with an amendment to the title, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the bill (S. 3105) to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala., with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 381. An act for the relief of the Confederated Bands of Ute Indians located in Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico;

S. 2626. An act to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2681. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes; and

S. 2743. An act to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 34) in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed in the enrollment of the bill (H. R. 8492), entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes", to make the following necessary changes in the language of the bill:

In title II of said act following section 204, insert the following new section:

Sec. 204a. The quantity determined and proclaimed by the Secretary of Agriculture pursuant to section 203, and the quantity apportioned to each State pursuant to section 204, may at such intervals as the Secretary of Agriculture finds necessary to effectuate the declared policy and purposes of this act be adjusted by him: Provided, That the quantity so determined and proclaimed shall not be increased or decreased by more than 5 per centum.

And in section 229 of said title II of said act, strike out all of paragraph "(b)."

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 4339. An act to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uintah and Wasatch National Forests, Utah;

H. R. 7224. An act to conserve the water resources and to encourage reforestation of the watersheds of Fresno County by the withdrawal of certain public lands included within the Sequoia National Forest from location and entry under the mining laws;

H. R. 7740. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Black River at or near the north line of section 2, township 24 north, range 6 east, near Poplar Bluff, Mo.;

H. R. 7858. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

H. R. 7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7928. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Ford City, Pa.;

H. R. 7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7955. An act to establish a new division of the northern district of Georgia with terms of court to be held at Newnan, Ga.;

H. R. 7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows" in the State of Washington;

H. R. 7998. An act to exempt from taxation official compensation of certain foreign representatives and to provide for the deductibility from income of certain dividends on preferred stock owned by the United States or instrumentalities thereof;

H. R. 8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8187. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Tionesta, in Tionesta Township, and in the county of Forest, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8279. An act to authorize the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to institutions organized for the purpose of making loans for the payment of taxes on real estate, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8473. An act to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States;

H. R. 8587. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

H. R. 8710. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935; and

H. R. 9071. An act to provide for the licensing of importers of watches, watch movements, and watch parts, to protect the revenue, and for other purposes.

ENROLLMENT OF H. R. 8492

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 34) authorizing the clerk of the House, in the enrollment of H. R. 8492, to make certain changes, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of yesterday, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 875) for the relief of Michael F. Calnan; and,

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 164. A bill for the relief of Donald L. Bruner;

S. 1976. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and for other purposes", approved April 15, 1926, so as to equalize the allowances for quarters and subsistence of enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps;

S. 2617. An act to amend the Judicial Code to permit defendants in criminal cases to waive trial by jury;

S. 2303. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended and supplemented;

S. 3336. A bill to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes;

S. 1607. A bill to amend section 109 of the Criminal Code so as to except officers of the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve not on active duty from some of its provisions;

S. 2460. A bill to amend the act of June 6, 1924, entitled "An act to amend in certain particulars the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended, and for other purposes";

S. 2868. A bill to provide for the reappointment of Harrison S. Markham as a second lieutenant, United States Army;

S. 2137. A bill to provide for the appointment of one additional district judge for the eastern, northern, and western districts of Oklahoma;

S. 3179. A bill to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern, Middle, and Western Districts of Tennessee;

S. 2456. A bill to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the northern and southern districts of West Virginia;

S. 3344. A bill to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky;

S. 33. A bill to encourage travel to and within the United States by citizens of foreign countries, and for other purposes;

S. 2849. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Wellpinit School District No. 49, Stevens County, Wash., for the construction of a public-school building to be available for Indian children of the Spokane Reservation;

S. 3135. A bill to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution;

S. 2632. A bill to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work;

S. 3345. A bill to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity;

S. 3057. A bill for the relief of John B. Jones;

S. 630. A bill to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, to provide an interest rate of 3 percent per annum on loans to agricultural improvement districts;

S. 2712. A bill to promote the efficiency of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing;

S. 3149. A bill providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla.;

S. 3184. A bill to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation;

S. 3334. A bill to make provision for the care and treatment of the members of the National Guard, Organized Reserves, Reserve Officers' Training Corps, and citizens' military training camps who are injured or contract disease while engaged in military training, and for other purposes;

S. 3258. A bill to amend section 304 of the Revised Statutes, as amended;

S. 3374. A bill for the relief of the State of Indiana;

S. 3195. A bill for the relief of Guiry Bros. Wall Paper & Paint Co.;

S. 2072. A bill for the relief of Robert H. Muirhead;

S. 3386. A bill for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian;

S. 3175. A bill for the relief of Jesse Ashby;

S. 3035. A bill to provide for enforcing the lien of the District of Columbia upon real estate bid off in its name when offered for sale for arrears of taxes and assessments, and for other purposes;

S. 3270. A bill to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia;

S. 3162. A bill to amend subchapter 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, relating to offenses against property;

S. 1837. A bill for the relief of W. W. Cook; and

S. 2127. A bill to amend section 4471 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 1975) to authorize certain officers of the United States Navy, and officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered; and the amendment heretofore proposed by Mr. Sheppard having been agreed to,

An objection to the further consideration of the bill was interposed by Mr. Nye.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2582) to develop a strong American merchant marine, to promote the commerce of the United States, to aid national defense, and for other purposes; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2219) for the relief of Lt. D. A. Neumann, Pay Corps, United States Naval Reserve Force; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Lt. D. A. Neuman, Pay Corps, United States Naval Reserve Force."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1389) to amend section 7, title 1, of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (Public, No. 10, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 31 (1933), 7 U. S. C., art. 601 et seq. as amended by sec. 221 of the National Industrial Recovery Act, Public, No. 67, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 210, 15 U. S. C., art. 607), so as to eliminate from said section as amended the limitation of time allowed to the Secretary of Agriculture for disposing of all cotton held by him, and for other purposes; and,

On motion by Mr. Bankhead,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1440) to enroll on the citizenship rolls certain persons of the Choctaw and Chicasaw Nations or Tribes; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to enroll certain persons on the final citizenship rolls of the Mississippi Choctaw Indians."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2002) to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3071) providing for the placing of improvements on the areas between the shore and bulkhead lines in rivers and harbors; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Copeland,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3183) to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to make all varieties of potatoes included in the species Solanum tuberosum a basic agricultural commodity, to raise revenue by imposing a tax on the first sale of such potatoes, and for other purposes; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7199) to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts

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of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Gore,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts and camps of organizations composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, or marines."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3176) to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans, to be delivered to a United States property and disbursing officer, 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935, and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

The bill (H. R. 8710) to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans, 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 3176 be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2962) to correct the military record of John Pate; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of John Pate, deceased."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 1152. A bill relating to the carriage of goods by sea;

S. 2845. A bill to provide for the retirement and retirement annuities of civilian members of the teaching staffs at the United States Naval Academy and the Postgraduate School, United States Naval Academy;

S. 2704. A bill for the relief of Clayton M. Thomas;

S. 696. A bill for the relief of Sylvan M. Levy;

S. 1957. A bill for the relief of the George R. Jones Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire;

S. 1124. A bill for the relief of Anna Carroll Taussig;

S. 2897. A bill for the relief of Lt. Robert A. J. English, United States Navy;

S. 3280. A bill for the relief of Doris Allen;

S. 3268. A bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to make a lease for the Agua Caliente or Palm Springs Band of Mission Indians of California;

S. 3169. A bill for the relief of Charles E. La Vatta;

S. 3182. A bill authorizing an appropriation to carry out the provisions of section 26 of the agreement with the Muskogee or Creek Tribe of Indians, approved March 1, 1901;

S. 414. A bill to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.;

S. 2673. A bill for the relief of certain persons whose cotton was destroyed by fire in the Ouachita Warehouse, Camden, Ark.;

S. 2910. A bill to add certain lands to the Weiser National Forest;

S. 2047. A bill to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the State of Oklahoma, and for other purposes;

S. 2643. A bill to amend section 118 of the Judicial Code to provide for the appointment of law clerks to United States district court judges;

S. 1464. A bill for the relief of Frank P. Hoyt;

S. 3085. A bill authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriation for that purpose;

S. 3353. A bill providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

S. 3092. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 2040. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, and acts in amendment thereof;

S. 657. A bill for the relief of J. R. Osgood;

S. 2469. A bill for the relief of E. L. Hice and Lucy Hice;

S. 1827. A bill for the relief of Lucille McClure;

S. 3088. A bill for the relief of Mearon Perkins;

S. 2980. A bill for the relief of Ruby Rardon; and

S. 1763. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 265) pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Norbeck,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: , *and for other purposes.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3119) to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station, on Mount Desert Island, in the State of Maine, as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Subsequently,

On motion by Mr. Wagner, and by unanimous consent,

The Committee on Public Lands and Surveys was discharged from the further consideration of the bill H. R. 7938, of an identical title.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. Wagner, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill S. 3119 was reconsidered, and the bill was postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7140) for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The bill (S. 3222) to amend the Filled Milk Act having been reached,

On motion by Mr. Burke, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 6361) of an identical title.

An objection to the further consideration of the said bill was then interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7709) to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the Post Office when appointed as regular laborer; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended by striking out the word "laborer" and inserting *laborers.*

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1358) for the relief of Irene Magnuson and Oscar L. Magnuson, her husband; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time,

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill for the relief of Irene Magnuson."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2519) directing the Court of Claims to adjudicate the claims of the F. Mansfield & Sons Co., and others, for compensation for injuries to oyster beds; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of F. Mansfield & Sons Co., and others."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8421) granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War; and the reported amendments having been agreed to and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. McGill,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 3109. An act for the relief of Herman W. Bensel;

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War;

H. R. 4324. An act to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements;

H. R. 6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;

H. R. 5097. An act for the relief of Mary E. Lord;

H. R. 5750. An act for the relief of Mary Brown Raley.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes; and the reported amendment having been amended on the motion of Mr. King, and, as amended, agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolutions; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 760. An act for the relief of John L. Hoffman;

H. R. 4827. An act for the relief of Don C. Fees;

H. R. 2118. An act for the relief of John P. Seabrook;

H. R. 1714. An act for the relief of Russell H. Lindsay;

H. R. 5099. An act for the relief of Albert Henry George;

H. R. 6602. An act for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap;

H. R. 6869. An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin to submit claims to the Court of Claims;

H. R. 5838. An act to place David J. Fitzgerald on the retired list of the United States Army as a first lieutenant;

H. R. 2476. An act to grant a patent to Albert M. Johnson and Walter Scott;

H. R. 8026. An act to establish and promote the use of standards of classification for tobacco, to provide and maintain an official tobacco inspection service, and for other purposes;

H. R. 2130. An act for the relief of John M. McNulty;

H. R. 5122. An act for the relief of R. C. McCoy, J. L. Garner, C. G. Kauffman, W. G. Smiley, R. A. Burks, C. W. Brazzelton, R. F. Brazzelton, Dave Cash, Mrs. A. W. Dykes, Jim Thereldkeld, R. R. Crain, J. B. Tolson, J. C. Rogers, S. K. Broach, Albert Easterling, J. L. Rivers, F. C. Wilson, E. C. Finley, W. W. Mitchell, J. G. Carey, Carl Graves, Jerome Dupree, J. R. Mitchell, J. L. Mitchell, and J. C. Russell;

H. R. 1880. An act for the relief of Ivan H. McCormack;

H. R. 5325. An act for the relief of Ira L. Reeves;

H. R. 5375. An act relating to the compensation of certain charwomen;

H. R. 8845. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes;

H. R. 1368. An act for the relief of Virden Thompson;

H. R. 4513. An act to authorize payment of claims for unauthorized emergency treatment of World War veterans;

H. R. 8519. An act requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and

labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public building or public work;

H. R. 3965. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey;

H. R. 607. An act for the relief of Florence Overly;

H. R. 4923. An act for the relief of Maj. E. Leslie Medford, United States property and disbursing officer for Maryland;

H. R. 2024. An act for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899;

H. R. 2443. An act for the relief of Milton Hatch;

H. R. 2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson;

H. R. 6267. An act for the relief of Wint Rowland;

H. R. 6268. An act for the relief of W. C. Wright;

H. R. 6269. An act for the relief of W. H. Keyes;

H. R. 616. An act for the relief of Homer J. Williamson;

H. R. 830. An act for the relief of Sanford Madison Strange;

H. R. 2126. An act for the relief of Hugh G. Lisk;

H. R. 4831. An act for the relief of L. E. Geary;

H. R. 5654. An act to authorize the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claim of Samuel W. Carter;

H. R. 3759. An act for the relief of E. H. Jennings;

H. R. 7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith;

H. R. 4226. An act for the relief of Floyd Hull;

H. R. 3147. An act for the relief of Will A. Helmer;

H. R. 3967. An act for the relief of Raymond Parramore;

H. R. 5415. An act to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States;

H. R. 6275. An act for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston;

H. R. 7099. An act for the relief of Rocco D'Amato;

H. R. 7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale;

H. R. 4860. An act for the relief of Judson Stokes;

H. R. 6177. An act for the relief of Brooker T. Wilkins;

H. R. 8580. An act to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8581. An act to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia;

H. R. 258. An act for the relief of Emma B. Hine;

H. R. 704. An act for the relief of Thelbert Davis;

H. R. 2555. An act to extend to Sgt. Maj. Edmund S. Sayer, United States Marine Corps (retired), the benefits of the act of May 7, 1932, providing highest World War rank to retired enlisted men;

H. R. 1437. An act for the relief of August A. Carminati;

H. R. 2319. An act for the relief of Oswald Orlando;

H. R. 2411. An act for the relief of E. F. Purvis;

H. R. 2432. An act for the relief of the Weis-Patterson Lumber Co., Inc.;

H. R. 2730. An act for the relief of Thomas Harris McLaughlin;

H. R. 2970. An act for the relief of Jose Munden;

H. R. 3202. An act for the relief of W. H. Greene;

H. R. 3282. An act for the relief of Nina Drips;

H. R. 3509. An act for the relief of the legal guardian of Nick Vasilzevic;

H. R. 3546. An act for the relief of Sarah Elizabeth Ballentyne;

H. R. 4568. An act for the relief of Forrest D. Stout;

H. R. 5347. An act for the relief of Bertha Mosely Bottoms;

H. R. 5492. An act for the relief of Henry Scipper;

H. R. 5550. An act for the relief of Malachy Ryan;

H. R. 5971. An act for the relief of Charles Pine;

H. R. 5816. An act for the relief of May C. Gustin;

H. R. 8790. An act to amend section 6 of the act of February 28, 1925;

H. J. Res. 189. Joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners;

H. J. Res. 129. Joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, to permit an adjudication with respect to liens of the United States arising by virtue of loans under such joint resolution; and

H. J. Res. 257. Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, as amended by the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1929, approved March 4, 1929.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions pass to a third reading.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3286) to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr Walsh by striking out all after line 6, on page 2, as proposed to be amended,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3462) to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes.

The reported amendment on page 6, line 7, was agreed to and the reported amendment on page 6, line 9, was disagreed to.

An objection to the further consideration of the said bill was then interposed by Mr. King.

The Senate subsequently resumed the consideration of the foregoing bill; when,

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The vote disagreeing to the reported amendment on page 6 line 9, was reconsidered, and the amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That is pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

FLOYD HULL

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 4226) for the relief of Floyd Hull was reconsidered.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes; agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr Doughton, Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Treadway, and Mr. Bacharach managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the following bills, in which requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 1420. An act to provide for the Andrew Johnson Homestead National Monument;

H. R. 7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va.;

H. R. 7875. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Charlotte, Mich., to such city;

H. R. 7924. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Port Allegany, in the county of McKean, State of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7927. An act to authorize the Secretary of State to lease to citizens of the United States any land heretofore or hereafter acquired under any act, Executive order, or treaty in connection with projects, in whole or in part constructed or administered by the Secretary of State through the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, American section;

H. R. 8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8289. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, and 226), as amended;

H. R. 8668. An act providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla.; and

H. R. 8991. An act to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity.

MEMORIAL TO MAJ. GEN. GEORGE W. GOETHALS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurence to the bill (S. 2743) to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BRIDGE ACROSS THE MISSOURI RIVER AT RULO, NEBR.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the title of the bill (S. 1988) to extend the time for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr., providing that it read as follows: "An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Burke,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BRIDGE ACROSS LAKE CHAMPLAIN AT WEST SWANTON, VT.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt."

On motion by Mr. Gibson,

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Bilbo, and Mr. Gibson.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SALE OF FEDERAL BUILDINGS

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2626) to authorize the sale of Federal buildings.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Barbour,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills, except H. R. 1420, H. R. 7998, H. R. 8289, H. R. 8668, H. R. 8710, and H. R. 8991, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 4339 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; that the bill H. R. 7224 be referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys; that the bills H. R. 7592, H. R. 7740, H. R. 7897, H. R. 7924, H. R. 7928, H. R. 7932, H. R. 7979, H. R. 8098, H. R. 8131, H. R. 8183, H. R. 8187, and H. R. 8189 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bills H. R. 7858 and H. R. 7955 be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; that the bill H. R. 7875 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 7927 be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations; that the bill H. R. 8279 be referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency; that the bill H. R. 8473 be referred to the Committee on Printing; that the bill H. R. 8587 be referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce; and that the bill H. R. 9071 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

DISTRICT COURT TERMS AT NEWNAN, GA.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7955) to establish a new division of the northern district of Georgia with terms of court to be held at Newnan, Ga., reported it without amendment.

On motion by Mr. George, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

INCOME-TAX EXEMPTIONS

On motion by Mr. Pittman, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 7998) to exempt from taxation official compensation of certain foreign representatives and to provide for the deductibility from income of certain dividends on preferred stock owned by the United States or instrumentalities thereof, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FARM-MORTGAGE RELIEF

On motion by Mr. Borah,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; when

The further consideration of the bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

AMENDMENT OF GENERAL LEASING ACT

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the bill (H. R. 8289) to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, and 226), as amended, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. O'Mahoney,

Ordered, That the bill be postponed indefinitely.

CLAIMS FOR EXTRA LABOR AT NAVY YARDS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Moore in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 872) for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims.

On motion by Mr. Walsh.

Resolved, That the Senate disagree to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the said bill and ask a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Walsh, Mr. Copeland, and Mr. Borah.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BICENTENARY OF BIRTH OF CHARLES CARROLL OF CARROLLTON

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 151) making provision for a national celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, wealthiest signer of the Declaration of Independence; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the preamble be agreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MONUMENT COMMEMORATING ENTRANCE OF FIRST RAILROAD INTO WASHINGTON

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 164) to authorize the selection of a site and the erection of a suitable monument indicating the historical significance of the first entrance into the city of Washington of a steam railroad, and for other purposes; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

ANDREW JOHNSON HOMESTEAD NATIONAL MONUMENT

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 1420) to provide for the Andrew Johnson Homestead National Monument, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

TERM OF DISTRICT COURT AT FORT PIERCE, FLA.

On motion by Mr. Trammell, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 8668) providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla., this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 3149) of an identical title was reconsidered by unanimous consent, and the said bill was postponed indefinitely.

EXCHANGE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY AT PERRY POINT, MD.

On motion by Mr. Connally, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 8991) to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. Connally,

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 3345) of an identical title was reconsidered, and the said bill was postponed indefinitely.

MONONGAHELA RIVER BRIDGE, PA.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7438) to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADMINISTRATION OF SILVER PURCHASE ACT OF 1934

The Vice President appointed Mr. Pittman, Mr. King, Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, Mr. Borah, and Mr. McNary as the members of the special committee to confer with the Secretary of the Treasury regarding the Silver Purchase Act of 1934, authorized by Senate Resolution 187.

SUBMISSION OF REPORTS DURING RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That during the recess of the Senate leave be granted to the Committee on Banking and Currency to submit a report, and that leave be granted for the submission of conference reports.

PUBLIC WORKS ON RIVERS AND HARBORS

Mr. Copeland submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill

(H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 9, 33, 35, 47, and 72.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 21, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, 37, 38, 40, 44, 45, 46, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 123, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 149, 150, and 151.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendment numbered 71.

Amendement numbered 5: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Indian Neck Harbor, Connecticut.,* and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference recommends that this item be inserted at the bottom of page 25 of the bill.

Amendment numbered 6: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 6, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Milford Harbor, Connecticut.,* and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference recommends that this item be inserted at the bottom of page 25 of the bill.

Amendment numbered 10: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 10, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: At the end of the said amendment insert the following: *Provided further, That the prosecution of this project shall be subject to approval by the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors.*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter stricken out and inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Shrewsbury River, New Jersey; House document Numbered 157, Seventy-first Congress, and Rivers and Harbors Committee Document Numbered 31, Seventy-fourth Congress;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 16: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 16, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Documents Numbered 11, Seventy-third Congress, and 66, Seventy-fourth Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 18: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter inserted by said amendment insert, after the word "Refuge", the following: *Broadkill River, and Inland Waterway between Rehoboth Bay and Delaware Bay*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 28, after line 24; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "as contained in the report of June 5, 1935, of the Chief of Engineers;" and insert in lieu thereof the following: *House Document Numbered 227, Seventy-fourth Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 24: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 24, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter stricken out and inserted by the said amendment insert the following: *Starlings Creek, Virginia; Rivers and Harbors Committee Document Numbered 46, Seventy-fourth Congress;* ; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 25: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 25, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *except that the District of Columbia shall be required to contribute the sum of $389,000 to the cost of the improvement;* ; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 39: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 39, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the matter inserted by said amendment strike out "Documents Numbered 31, Seventy-second and 57, Seventy-fourth Congresses:", and insert in lieu thereof the following: *Documents Numbered 31, Seventy-second Congress, and 57, Seventy-fourth Congress:* ; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 41: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 41, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter stricken out and inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Congress, and 62, Seventy-fourth Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 42: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 42, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Documents Numbered 28, Seventy-second Congress, and 58, Seventy-fourth Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 43: That the House recede from its disagreement to amendment of the Senate numbered 43, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 13, after line 19; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 48: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 48, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 16, after line 7; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 49: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 49, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 16, after line 12; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 56: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 56, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert the following: *Muskegon Harbor, Michigan: Rivers and Harbors Committee Document Numbered 64, Seventy-fourth Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 57: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 57, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: After the word "Congress" at the end of the said amendment insert the following: *: Provided, That the project for the downbound channel across Harsen's Island is not adopted or authorized herein, and the construction of said channel shall not be commenced until it is subsequently authorized by Congress*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 63: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 63, and agree to the same with its transfer to page 19, after line 20; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 83: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 83, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Kennebec River, Maine, with a view to dredging the river from Augusta to Gardiner*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 87: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered

87, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Bridgeport Harbor, Connecticut.*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 88: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 88, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: *Woodmont Harbor, Connecticut.;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 116: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 116, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 30; after line 11; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 122: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 122, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: Strike out the word "Lavaco" at the end of the said amendment, and insert in lieu thereof the word *Lavaca;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 124: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 124, and agree to the same with its transfer to page 37, after line 7; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amndment not numbered (follows amendment no. 130): The paragraph on page 52, lines 11 to 17, inclusive, of the bill printed with the Senate amendments numbered, and reading as follows:

"Deep channel waterway from Lake Ontario near Olcott, New York, to the Niagara River at Tonawanda, New York; from Lake Ontario via Eighteen Mile Creek to Lockport, New York, and from Lockport to Tonawanda via the western end of the New York State Barge Canal; with a view to determining the possibility, feasibility, practicability, and cost of development for deep channel traffic." Was added to the bill by amendment in the Senate and printed in roman type in error.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the said amendment, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 36, after line 25 of the House bill; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment not numbered (follows amendment no. 136): The item on page 54, line 18, of the bill printed with the Senate amendments numbered, and reading as follows: "Duwamish River, Washington.", was added to the bill by amendment in the Senate and printed in roman type in error.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the said amendment, and agree to the same with its insertion on page 38, after line 13 of the House bill; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 148: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 148, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In th matter inserted by said amendment strike out "Cascade Locks Rural Fire Protection District, organized under the laws of the State of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: *City of Cascade Locks,;* and the Senate agree to the same.

ROYAL S. COPELAND,
DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
MORRIS SHEPPARD,
CHARLES L. MCNARY,
HIRAM W. JOHNSON,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
J. J. MANSFIELD,
JOS. A. GAVAGAN,
RENÉ L. DEROUEN,
GEORGE N. SEGER,
FRANCIS D. CULKIN,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 6 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolutions of the Senate:

S. 491. An act for the relief of Fred Herrick;

S. 3060. An act to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed; and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission; and

S. J. Res. 168. Joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive.

The House has passed the bill (S. 3135) to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 59) providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission."

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Steagall, Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Hollister, and Mr. Wolcott managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8345) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed 11 enrolled bills, viz, S. 578, S. 634, S. 2156, S. 2556, S. 2832, S. 3058, S. 3123, S. 3311, H. R. 5159, H. R. 6914, and H. R. 7659, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 69, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 578. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes;

S. 634. An act to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes;

S. 2156. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.;

S. 2556. An act to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895;

S. 2832. An act to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods;

S. 3058. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes;

S. 3123. An act to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes;

S. 3311. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended;

H. R. 5159. An act to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska;

H. R. 6914. An act to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7659. An act to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 69. Joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of Friday, August 16, 1935, was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

BAN ON GOLD-CLAUSE SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes; and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Fletcher,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said joint resolution, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Wagner, Mr. McAdoo, Mr. Norbeck, and Mr. Townsend.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc., which were referred as indicated:

A communication from the Secretary of the Interior incorporating a copy of a radiogram from Acting Governor Robert Herrick, of the Virgin Islands, transmitting a message of the Colonial Council for St. Thomas and St. John favoring the participation of the Navy in the government of the Virgin Islands; to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

Petitions of citizens of the United States praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Resolutions of the Palm Beach County Real Estate Board and the Commission of West Palm Beach, of West Palm Beach, Fla., favoring relief in the adjustment of the municipal indebtedness of West Palm Beach; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Massachusetts relative to persecutions in Germany on account of certain religious faiths and nationality; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Resolutions adopted at Portland, Oreg., by the Second Oregon Volunteer Infantry Reunion Association, Veterans of the Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection, as follows:

A resolution favoring the enactment of legislation to prevent the future issuance of any more tax-exempt bonds; and

A resolution remonstrating against the cancelation of debts due from foreign governments; to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution favoring the conscription of wealth, property, and man power in time of war; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petitions, etc.:

A resolution adopted at Portland, Oreg., by the Second Oregon Volunteer Infantry Reunion Association, Veterans of the Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection, favoring the enactment of legislation providing for the assumption by the United States Government of the complete control of the business of manufacture and sale of munitions of war; and

A telegram from members of Divisions 83 and 378, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, of Springfield, Mo., and a petition of citizens of the State of Wisconsin, praying the immediate passage of legislation providing for the retirement of railroad employees.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Fletcher presented a communication from Dr. Clarence D. Rollins, of Jacksonville, Fla., relative to the use of ships in commerce and in time of war; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions and memorial, which were referred as indicated.

A resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen of Chelsea, Mass., favoring an investigation of alleged atrocities committed in Germany; and

A resolution of the House of Representatives of the State of Massachusetts relative to persecutions in Germany on account of certain religious faiths and nationality; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A resolution adopted by the New Bedford (Mass.) Chapter, Council of Jewish Women, favoring the passage of House bill 8163, relating to the deportation of aliens; to the Committee on Immigration.

A petition of the County Board Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Worcester, Mass., praying the enactment of legislation providing for the issuance of a commemorative stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry; to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

A memorial of life underwriters of Fall River, Mass., remonstrating against the proposed taxation of certain life-insurance contracts; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walsh presented the following petitions:

A petition of Local Union No. 2332, United Textile Workers of America, of Northbridge, Mass., praying the passage of the so-called "textile bill"; and

A petition of charwomen employed at the Boston (Mass.) Custom House and Appraisers Stores praying the passage of House bill 5375, providing for the payment of salary to charwomen for holidays.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3320) to authorize the President to present the Distinguished Flying Cross to Rudolph W. Schroeder, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1371) thereon.

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5558) for the relief of Clarence F. Jobson, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1372) thereon.

Mr. Austin, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5475) for the relief of Henry Irving Riley, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1374) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2782. A bill for the relief of Walter Acker, Jr. (Rept. No. 1375); and

H. R. 5516. An act authorizing the President to issue a posthumous commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, to Archie Joseph Evans, deceased, and to present the same to Maj. Argess M. Evans, father of the said Archie Joseph Evans, deceased (Rept. No. 1376).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3173) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay officers and men formerly enlisted as members of Battery D, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Coast Artillery (Antiaircraft) New Hampshire National Guard, for armory training during the period from November 1, 1932, to July 1, 1933, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1377) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3389. A bill to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the Southern District of New York (Rept. No. 1378); and

S. 3414. A bill to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York (Rept. No. 1379).

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2961) for the relief of Peter Cymboluk, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1380) thereon.

Mr. Black, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4567) for the relief of Robert E. Callan, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1381) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3137) for the relief of Pauline McKinney, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1382) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with an amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2881. A bill creating the Decatur-Onawa Bridge Board of Trustees, and authorizing said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the towns of Decatur, Nebr., and Onawa, Iowa (Rept. No. 1383); and

S. 2882. A bill to create the South Sioux City Bridge Board of Trustees, and to authorize said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the cities of South Sioux City, Nebr., and Sioux City, Iowa (Rept. No. 1384).

Mr. Costigan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, submitted a report (No. 1385) to accompany the bill (H. R. 6776) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, heretofore reported.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7380) authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That is pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va. (Rept. No. 1389);

H. R. 7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River, at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1390);

H. R. 7924. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Port Allegany, in the county of McKean, State of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1391);

H. R. 7928. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Ford City, Pa. (Rept. No. 1392);

H. R. 7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River, at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1393);

H. R. 7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows" in the State of Washington (Rept. No. 1394);

H. R. 8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1395);

H. R. 8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky. (Rept. No. 1396);

H. R. 8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1397);

H. R. 8187. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Tionesta, in Tionesta Township, and in the county of Forest, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1398);

H. R. 8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Rept. No. 1399); and

H. R. 7740. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Black River at or near the north line of section 2, township 24 north, range 6 east, near Poplar Bluff, Mo. (Rept. No. 1401).

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7858) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1386) thereon.

Mr. Capper, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1424) to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1387) thereon.

Mr. Barbour, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3428) authorizing the Secretary of War to lend Army tents to the Morris Grange Fair Committee, Troy Hills, N. J., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1388) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8473) to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1400) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 276) authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson without cost title to section 16, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1403) thereon.

Mr. Bachman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1286) for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1404) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2773) for the relief of Roy Masters Worley, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1405) thereon.

Mr. Murray, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3003) to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Miss., and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1406) thereon.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2202) to add certain lands to the Cache National Forest, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Ashurst:

A bill (S. 3433) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McGill:

A bill (S. 3434) to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the district of Kansas; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Tydings:

A bill (S. 3435) for the relief of William H. Brockman; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Barbour and Mr. Moore:

A bill (S. 3437) to provide for the sale of the Port Newark Army Supply Base to the city of Newark, N. J.; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Chavez:

A bill (S. 3438) to provide for the establishment of an agricultural experiment station within the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District in the State of New Mexico; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

By Mr. Neely:

A bill (S. 3439) for the relief of William Welch; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Fletcher:

A bill (S. 3440) to amend certain acts relating to public printing and binding and the distribution of public documents and acts amendatory thereof; to the Committee on Printing.

BURIAL OF LATE WILL ROGERS AND WILEY POST

Mr. McAdoo, by unanimous consent, introduced a bill (S. 3436) to authorize the interment in the Arlington National Cemetery of the remains of the late Will Rogers and Wiley Post, which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

STUDY OF COTTON DISTRIBUTION AND NEW USES

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 190):

Whereas it is essential to the national welfare and to the interest of the cotton farmers, the manufacturers, and the Government that the cotton crop be marketed in orderly manner and distributed widely: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved—

1. That the President be requested to appoint a committee of seven outstanding agricultural and business men who have experience in the utilization and distribution of cotton, not more than two of whom shall be officials of the Federal Government, to make thorough study of the disposition and distribution of cotton in the control of the Federal Government;

2. That the President be requested to appoint a committee of three distinguished technical experts and scientists to make a thorough study and research into the various fields of new uses for cotton and cotton products;

3. That the President be requested to make available for carrying out the purposes of this resolution such amount as he deems necessary of any emergency funds at his disposal;

4. That the facilities of the executive branches or agencies of the Government be made available to said committees, or either of them; and

5. That each of the committees herein authorized make report to the President and the Congress not later than January 3, 1936.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

EMPLOYEES OF NATIONAL RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION

Mr. King, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 191):

Resolved, That the Administrator of the National Recovery Administration is requested to furnish to the Senate, as soon as practicable, full and complete information with respect to (1) the number of persons employed by the National Recovery Administration; (2) the classifications of such persons and the amount of the salaries paid to persons in each such classification; (3) the name and amount of salary received by each such person receiving a salary in excess of $4,000 per annum; (4) the appropriations from which the salaries and expenses of all such employees are being paid; (5) whether any persons employed by the National Recovery Administration have been loaned to any department or other agency of the Government, and, if so, whether such department or other agency paid the salary of such persons during the period they were loaned by the National Recovery Administration; and (6) the present work and the future plans of such administration.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

HATTIE L. BUTLER

Mr. McNary, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 192), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate hereby is authorized and directed to pay from the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the Senate, fiscal year 1935, to Hattie L. Butler, widow of Philip H. Butler, late an employee of the Senate under supervision of the Sergeant at Arms, a sum equal to 6 months' compensation at the rate he was receiving by law at the time of his death, said sum to be considered inclusive of funeral expenses and all other allowances.

OFFERING OF PRAYER ON OCTOBER 5 AND 6

Mr. Copeland (by request), by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 193):

Whereas our Nation, at its first beginnings and in our charter of independence, was established "with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence", and has accordingly throughout all its history acknowledged its obligation to Almighty God; and

Whereas in its conception of religious freedom it has always encouraged allegiance to the sanctities of religious faith, and from time to time in pursuance of this policy has called upon the people through Congress and the press, especially in moments of emergency and distress, to invoke the help and the blessing of God; and

Whereas in certain parts of the world there is a growing tendency in social and political life to substitute a materialistic, mechanistic, and humanistic view of the universe and human life, displacing the spiritual conception to which as a Nation we are committed; and

Whereas this Nation is now seeking a recovery that shall restore to the people their full right to abundant "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness"; and

Whereas important groups of representative men and women of the Catholic, Jewish, and Protestant faiths have recommended that Saturday, October 5, and Sunday, October 6, be designated as "loyalty days", on which the people shall unite their thought and prayer for the deepening of the moral and spiritual values and motives which are the foundation of any permanent and satisfactory recovery of our social life in all its aspects: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the President be requested to issue a message to the people, inviting them, in churches, synagogues, or homes, to give themselves to prayer on these days for the fulfillment of this ideal in our national and social life.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

ADDITIONAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3433) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1402) thereon.

Mr. McGill, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3434) to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the district of Kansas, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1373) thereon.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8345, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

PURCHASE OF THE "WINNIE MAE"

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 3135) to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PRODUCTION COSTS OF WOOLEN KNIT GLOVES AND MITTENS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 178) directing the Tariff Commission to investigate the production costs of woolen knit gloves and mittens; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

BRIDGE ACROSS THE TENNESSEE RIVER AT SHEFFIELD, ALA.

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 3105) to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Bankhead,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

BRIDGE ACROSS LAKE CHAMPLAIN AT WEST SWANTON, VT.

On motion by Mr. Gibson, and by unanimous consent,

The action of the Senate in disagreeing to the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the House of Representatives thereon, was rescinded; and

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the House of Representatives be requested to return to the Senate the said bill with the accompanying papers.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 9100, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent; and

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

FARM-MORTGAGE RELIEF

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

After debate,

The reported amendment on page 7, line 19, was disagreed to; the reported amendment on page 9, line 6, was amended on the motion of Mr. Borah, and, as amended, agreed to; the residue of the reported amendments were agreed to; and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Bone, and the motion of Mr. Frazier.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

COMMERCIAL AIRPORT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3806) to establish a commercial airport for the District of Columbia; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

SHIPMENT OF FILLED MILK

On motion by Mr. Schwellenbach, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6361) to amend the Filled Milk Act; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill S. 3222 of an identical title be postponed indefinitely.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

Mr. Glass submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the amendment of the Senate insert the following:

That this act may be cited as the "Banking Act of 1935."

TITLE I—FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE

Section 101. Section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 264), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 12B. (a) There is hereby created a Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (hereinafter referred to as the 'Corporation') which shall insure, as hereinafter provided, the deposits of all banks which are entitled to the benefits of insurance under this section, and which shall have the powers hereinafter granted.

"(b) The management of the Corporation shall be vested in a board of directors consisting of three members, one of whom shall be the Comptroller of the Currency, and two of whom shall be citizens of the United States to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. One of the appointive members shall be the chairman of the board of directors of the Corporation and not more than two of the members of such board of directors shall be members of the same political party. Each such appointive member shall hold office for a term of six years and shall receive compensation at the rate of $10,000 per annum, payable monthly out of the funds of the Corporation, but the Comptroller of the Currency shall not receive additional compensation for his services as such member. In the event of a vacancy in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency, and pending the appointment of his successor, or during the absence of the Comptroller from Washington, the Acting Comptroller of the Currency shall be a member of the board of directors in the place and stead of the Comptroller. In the event of a vacancy in the office of the chairman of the board of directors, and pending the appointment of his successor, the Comptroller of the Currency shall act as chairman. The Comptroller of the Currency shall be ineligible during the time he is in office and for two years thereafter to hold any office, position, or employment in any insured bank. The appointive members of the board of directors shall be ineligible during the time they are in office and for two years thereafter to hold any office, position, or employment in any insured bank, except that this restriction shall not apply to any appointive member who has served the full term for which he was appointed. No member of the board of directors shall be an officer or director of any bank, banking institution, trust company, or Federal Reserve bank or hold stock in any bank, banking institution, or trust company; and before entering upon his duties as a member of the board of directors he shall certify under oath that he has complied with this requirement and such certification shall be filed with the secretary of the board of directors. No member of the board of directors serving on the board of directors on the effective date shall be subject to any of the provisions of the three preceding sentences until the expiration of his present term of office.

"(c) As used in this section—

"(1) The term 'State bank' means any bank, banking association, trust company, savings bank, or other banking institution which is engaged in the business of receiving deposits and which is incorporated under the laws of any State, Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands, or which is operating under the Code of Law for the District of Columbia (except a national bank), and includes any unincorporated bank the deposits of which are insured on the effective date under the provisions of this section.

"(2) The term 'State member bank' means any State bank which is a member of the Federal Reserve System, and the term 'State nonmember bank' means any State bank which is not a member of the Federal Reserve System.

"(3) The term 'District bank' means any State bank operating under the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

"(4) The term 'national member bank' means any national bank located in any of the States of the United States, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands which is a member of the Federal Reserve System.

"(5) The term 'national nonmember bank' means any national bank located in Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the

Virgin Islands which is not a member of the Federal Reserve System.

"(6) The term 'mutual savings bank' means a bank without capital stock transacting a savings bank business, the net earnings of which inure wholly to the benefit of its depositors after payment of obligations for any advances by its organizers.

"(7) The term 'savings bank' means a bank (other than a mutual savings bank) which transacts its ordinary banking business strictly as a savings bank under State laws imposing special requirements on such banks governing the manner of investing their funds and of conducting their business: Provided, That the bank maintains, until maturity date or until withdrawn, all deposits made with it (other than funds held by it in a fiduciary capacity) as time savings deposits of the specific term type or of the type where the right is reserved to the bank to require written notice before permitting withdrawal: Provided further, That such bank to be considered a savings bank must elect to become subject to regulations of the Corporation with respect to the redeposit of maturing deposits and prohibiting withdrawal of deposits by checking except in cases where such withdrawal is permitted by law on the effective date from specifically designated deposit accounts totaling not more than 15 per centum of the bank's total deposits.

"(8) The term 'insured bank' means any bank the deposits of which are insured in accordance with the provisions of this section; and the term 'noninsured bank' means any bank the deposits of which are not so insured.

"(9) The term 'new bank' means a new national banking association organized by the Corporation to assume the insured deposits of an insured bank closed on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors and otherwise to perform temporarily the functions prescribed in this section.

"(10) The term 'receiver' includes a receiver, liquidating agent, conservator, commission, person, or other agency charged by law with the duty of winding up the affairs of a bank.

"(11) The term 'board of directors' means the board of directors of the Corporation.

"(12) The term 'deposit' means the unpaid balance of money or its equivalent received by a bank in the usual course of business and for which it has given or is obligated to give credit to a commercial, checking, savings, time or thrift account, or which is evidenced by its certificate of deposit, and trust funds held by such bank whether retained or deposited in any department of such bank or deposited in another bank, together with such other obligations of a bank as the board of directors shall find and shall prescribe by its regulations to be deposit liabilities by general usage: Provided, That any obligation of a bank which is payable only at an office of the bank located outside the States of the United States, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, shall not be a deposit for any of the purposes of this section or be included as a part of total deposits or of an insured deposit: Provided further, That any insured bank having its principal place of business in any of the States of the United States or in the District of Columbia which maintains a branch in Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands may elect to exclude from insurance under this section its deposit obligations which are payable only at such branch, and upon so electing the insured bank with respect to such branch shall comply with the provisions of this section applicable to the termination of insurance by nonmember banks: Provided further, That the bank may elect to restore the insurance to such deposits at any time its capital stock is unimpaired.

"(13) The term 'insured deposit' means the net amount due to any depositor for deposits in an insured bank (after deducting offsets) less any part thereof which is in excess of $5,000. Such net amount shall be determined according to such regulations as the board of directors may prescribe, and in determining the amount due to any depositor there shall be added together all deposits in the bank maintained in the same capacity and the same right for his benefit either in his own name or in the names of others, except trust funds which shall be insured as provided in paragraph (9) of subsection (h) of this section.

"(14) The term 'transferred deposit' means a deposit in a new bank or other insured bank made available to a depositor by the Corporation as payment of the insured deposit of such depositor in a closed bank, and assumed by such new bank or other insured bank.

"(15) The term 'branch' includes any branch bank, branch office, branch agency, additional office, or any branch place of business located in any State of the United States or in Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands at which deposits are received or checks paid or money lent.

"(16) The term 'effective date' means the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935.

"(d) There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $150,000,000, which shall be available for payment by the Secretary of the Treasury for capital stock of the Corporation in an equal amount, which shall be subscribed for by him on behalf of the United States. Payments upon such subscription shall be subject to call in whole or in part by the board of directors of the Corporation. Such stock shall be in addition to the amount of capital stock required to be subscribed for by Federal Reserve banks. Receipts for payments by the United States for or on account of such stock shall be issued by the Corporation to the Secretary of the Treasury and shall be evidence of the stock ownership of the United States. Every Federal Reserve bank shall subscribe to shares of stock in the Corporation to an amount equal to one-half of the surplus of such bank on January 1, 1933, and its subscriptions shall be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Corporation in an amount equal to one-half of such subscription. The remainder of such subscription shall be subject to call from time to time by the board of directors upon ninety days' notice. The capital stock of the Corporation shall consist of the shares subscribed for prior to the effective date. Such stock shall be without nominal or par value, and shares issued prior to the effective date shall be exchanged and reissued at the rate of one share for each $100 paid into the Corporation for capital stock. The consideration received by the Corporation for the capital stock shall be allocated to capital and to surplus in such amounts as the board of directors shall prescribe. Such stock shall have no vote and shall not be entitled to the payment of dividends.

"(e) (1) Every operating State or national member bank, including a bank incorporated since March 10, 1933, licensed on or before the effective date by the Secretary of the Treasury shall be and continue to be, without application or approval, an insured bank and shall be subject to the provisions of this section.

"(2) After the effective date, every national member bank which is authorized to commence or resume the business of banking, and every State bank which is converted into a national member bank or which becomes a member of the Federal Reserve System, shall be an insured bank from the time it is authorized to commence or resume business or becomes a member of the Federal Reserve System. The certificate herein prescribed shall be issued to the Corporation by the Comptroller of the Currency in the case of such national member bank, or by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System in the case of such State member bank: Provided, That in the case of an insured bank which is admitted to membership in the Federal Reserve System or an insured State bank which is converted into a national member bank, such certificate shall not be required, and the bank shall continue as an insured bank. Such certificate shall state that the bank is authorized to transact the business of banking in the case of a national member bank, or is a member of the Federal Reserve System in the case of a State member bank, and that consideration has been given to the factors enumerated in subsection (g) of this section.

"(f) (1) Every bank which is not a member of the Federal Reserve System which on June 30, 1935, was or thereafter

became a member of the Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund or of the Fund For Mutuals heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of this section, shall be and continue to be, without application or approval, an insured bank and shall be subject to the provisions of this section: Provided, That any State nonmember bank which was admitted to the said Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund or the Fund For Mutuals but which did not file on or before the effective date an October 1, 1934 certified statement and make the payments thereon required by law, shall cease to be an insured bank on August 31, 1935: Provided further, That no bank admitted to the said Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund or the Fund For Mutuals prior to the effective date shall, after August 31, 1935, be an insured bank or have its deposits insured by the Corporation, if such bank shall have permanently discontinued its banking operations prior to the effective date.

"(2) Subject to the provisions of this section, any national nonmember bank, upon application by the bank and certification by the Comptroller of the Currency in the manner prescribed in subsection (e) of this section, and any State nonmember bank, upon application to and examination by the Corporation and approval by the board of directors, may become an insured bank. Before approving the application of any such State nonmember bank, the board of directors shall give consideration to the factors enumerated in subsection (g) of this section and shall determine, upon the basis of a thorough examination of such bank, that its assets in excess of its capital requirements are adequate to enable it to meet all its liabilities to depositors and other creditors as shown by the books of the bank.

"(g) The factors to be enumerated in the certificate required under subsection (e) and to be considered by the board of directors under subsection (f) shall be the following: The financial history and condition of the bank, the adequacy of its capital structure, its future earnings prospects, the general character of its management, the convenience and needs of the community to be served by the bank, and whether or not its corporate powers are consistent with the purposes of this section.

"(h) (1) The assessment rate shall be one-twelfth of 1 per centum per annum. The semiannual assessment for each insured bank shall be in the amount of the product of one-half the annual assessment rate multiplied by an assessment base which shall be the average for six months of the differences at the end of each calendar day between the total amount of liability of the bank for deposits (according to the definition of the term 'deposit' in and pursuant to paragraph (12) of subsection (c) of this section, without any deduction for indebtedness of depositors) and the total of such uncollected items as are included in such deposits and credited subject to final payment: Provided, however, That the daily total of such uncollected items shall be determined according to regulations prescribed by the board of directors upon a consideration of the factors of general usage and ordinary time of availability, and for the purposes of such deduction no item shall be regarded as uncollected for longer periods than those prescribed by such regulations. Each insured bank shall, as a condition to the right to deduct any specific uncollected item in determining its assessment base, maintain such records as will readily permit verification of the correctness of the particular deduction claimed. The certified statements required to be filed with the Corporation under paragraphs (2), (3), and (4) of this subsection shall be in such form and set forth such supporting information as the board of directors shall prescribe. The assessment payments required from insured banks under paragraphs (2), (3), and (4) of this subsection shall be made in such manner and at such time or times as the board of directors shall prescribe, provided the time or times so prescribed shall not be later than sixty days after filing the certified statement setting forth the amount of the assessment. In the event that a separate Fund For Mutuals is established as provided in subsection (l), the board of directors from time to time may fix a lower assessment rate operative for such period as the board may determine which shall be applicable to insured mutual savings banks only, and the remainder of this paragraph shall not be applicable to such banks.

"(2) On or before the 15th day of July of each year, each insured bank shall file with the Corporation a certified statement under oath showing for the six months ending on the preceding June 30 the amount of the assessment base and the amount of the semiannual assessment due to the Corporation, determined in accordance with paragraph (1) of this subsection. Each insured bank shall pay to the Corporation the amount of the semiannual assessment it is required to certify. On or before the 15th day of January of each year after 1936 each insured bank shall file with the Corporation a similar certified statement for the six months ending on the preceding December 31 and shall pay to the Corporation the amount of the semiannual assessment it is required to certify.

"(3) Each bank which becomes an insured bank according to the provisions of subsection (e) or (f) of this section shall, on or before the 15th day of November 1935, file with the Corporation a certified statement under oath showing the amount of the assessment due to the Corporation for the period ending December 31, 1935, which shall be an amount equal to the product of one-third the annual assessment rate multiplied by the assessment base determined in accordance with paragraph (1) of this subsection, except that the assessment base shall be the average for the 31 days in the month of October 1935, and payment shall be made to the Corporation of the amount of the assessment so required to be certified. Each such bank shall, on or before the 15th day of January 1936, file with the Corporation a certified statement under oath showing the amount of the semiannual assessment due to the Corporation for the period ending June 30, 1936, which shall be an amount equal to the product of one-half the annual assessment rate multiplied by the assessment base determined in accordance with paragraph (1) of this subsection, except that the assessment base shall be the average for the days of the months of October, November, and December of 1935, and payment shall be made to the Corporation of the amount of the assessment so required to be certified.

"(4) Each bank which becomes an insured bank after the effective date shall be relieved from complying with the provisions of paragraph (2) of this subsection until it has operated as an insured bank for a full semiannual period ending on June 30 or December 31 as the case may be. Each such bank, on or before the forty-fifth day after its first day of operation as an insured bank, shall file with the Corporation its first certified statement which shall be under oath and shall show the amount of the assessment base determined in accordance with paragraph (1) of this subsection, except that the assessment base shall be the average for the first thirty-one calendar days it operates as an insured bank. Each such certified statement shall also show as the amount of the first assessment due to the Corporation the prorated portion (for the period between its first day of operation as an insured bank and the next succeeding last day of June or December, as the case may be) of an amount equal to the product of one-half the annual assessment rate multiplied by the base required to be set forth on its first certified statement. Each bank which becomes an insured bank after the effective date which has not operated as an insured bank for a full semiannual period ending on June 30 or December 31, as the case may be, shall, on or before the 15th day of the first month thereafter (except that banks becoming insured in June or December shall have thirty-one additional days) file with the Corporation its second certified statement under oath showing the amount of the assessment base and the amount of the semiannual assessment due to the Corporation. Such assessment base and amount shall be determined in accordance with paragraph (1) of this subsection, except that if the bank became an insured bank in the month of December or June the assessment base shall be the average for the first thirty-one calendar days it operates as an insured bank, and except that if it became an insured bank in any other month than December or June the assessment base shall be the average for

the days between its first day of operation as an insured bank and the next succeeding last day of June or December, as the case may be. Each bank required to file a certified statement under this paragraph shall pay to the Corporation the amount of the assessment the bank is required to certify.

"(5) Each bank which shall be and continue without application or approval an insured bank in accordance with the provisions of subsection (e) or (f) of this section, shall, in lieu of all right to refund (except as authorized in paragraph (3) of subsection (i)), be credited with any balance to which such bank shall become entitled upon the termination of the said Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund or the Fund For Mutuals. The credit shall be applied by the Corporation toward the payment of the assessment next becoming due from such bank and upon succeeding assessments until the credit is exhausted.

"(6) Any insured bank which fails to file any certified statement required to be filed by it in connection with determining the amount of any assessment payable by the bank to the Corporation may be compelled to file such statement by mandatory injunction or other appropriate remedy in a suit brought for such purpose by the Corporation against the bank and any officer or officers thereof in any court of the United States of competent jurisdiction in the district or territory in which such bank is located.

"(7) The Corporation, in a suit brought at law or in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be entitled to recover from any insured bank the amount of any unpaid assessment lawfully payable by such insured bank to the Corporation, whether or not such bank shall have filed any such certified statement and whether or not suit shall have been brought to compel the bank to file any such statement.

"(8) Should any national member bank or any insured national nonmember bank fail to file any certified statement required to be filed by such bank under any provision of this subsection, or fail to pay any assessment required to be paid by such bank under any provision of this section, and should the bank not correct such failure within thirty days after written notice has been given by the Corporation to an officer of the bank, citing this paragraph, and stating that the bank has failed to file or pay as required by law, all the rights, privileges, and franchises of the bank granted to it under the National Bank Act or under the provisions of this Act, as amended, shall be thereby forfeited. Whether or not the penalty provided in this paragraph has been incurred shall be determined and adjudged in the manner provided in the sixth paragraph of section 2 of this Act, as amended. The remedies provided in this paragraph and in the two preceding paragraphs shall not be construed as limiting any other remedies against any insured bank, but shall be in addition thereto.

"(9) Trust funds held by an insured bank in a fiduciary capacity whether held in its trust or deposited in any other department or in another bank shall be insured in an amount not to exceed $5,000 for each trust estate, and when deposited by the fiduciary bank in another insured bank such trust funds shall be similarly insured to the fiduciary bank according to the trust estates represented. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, such insurance shall be separate from and additional to that covering other deposits of the owners of such trust funds or the beneficiaries of such trust estates: Provided, That where the fiduciary bank deposits any of such trust funds in other insured banks, the amount so held by other insured banks on deposit shall not for the purpose of any certified statement required under paragraph (2), (3), or (4) of this subsection be considered to be a deposit liability of the fiduciary bank, but shall be considered to be a deposit liability of the bank in which such funds are so deposited by such fiduciary bank. The board of directors shall have power by regulation to prescribe the manner of reporting and of depositing such trust funds.

"(i) (1) Any insured bank (except a national member bank or State member bank) may, upon not less than ninety days' written notice to the Corporation, and to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation if it owns or holds as pledgee any preferred stock, capital notes, or debentures of such bank, terminate its status as an insured bank. Whenever the board of directors shall find that an insured bank or its directors or trustees have continued unsafe or unsound practices in conducting the business of such bank, or have knowingly or negligently permitted any of its officers or agents to violate any provision of any law or regulation to which the insured bank is subject, the board of directors shall first give to the Comptroller of the Currency in the case of a national bank or a District bank, to the authority having supervision of the bank in the case of a State bank, or to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System in the case of a State member bank, a statement with respect to such practices or violations for the purpose of securing the correction thereof. Unless such correction shall be made within one hundred and twenty days or such shorter period of time as the Comptroller of the Currency, the State authority, or Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, as the case may be, shall require, the board of directors, if it shall determine to proceed further, shall give to the bank not less than thirty days' written notice of intention to terminate the status of the bank as an insured bank, and shall fix a time and place for a hearing before the board of directors or before a person designated by it to conduct such hearing, at which evidence may be produced, and upon such evidence the board of directors shall make written findings which shall be conclusive. Unless the bank shall appear at the hearing by a duly authorized representative, it shall be deemed to have consented to the termination of its status as an insured bank. If the board of directors shall find that any violation specified in such notice has been established, the board of directors may order that the insured status of the bank be terminated on a date subsequent to such finding and to the expiration of the time specified in such notice of intention. The Corporation may publish notice of such termination and the bank shall give notice of such termination to each of its depositors at his last address of record on the books of the bank, in such manner and at such time as the board of directors may find to be necessary and may order for the protection of depositors. After the termination of the insured status of any bank under the provisions of this paragraph, the insured deposits of each depositor in the bank on the date of such termination, less all subsequent withdrawals from any deposits of such depositor, shall continue for a period of two years to be insured, and the bank shall continue to pay to the Corporation assessments as in the case of an insured bank during such period. No additions to any such deposits and no new deposits in such bank made after the date of such termination shall be insured by the Corporation, and the bank shall not advertise or hold itself out as having insured deposits unless in the same connection it shall also state with equal prominence that such additions to deposits and new deposits made after such date are not so insured. Such bank shall, in all other respects, be subject to the duties and obligations of an insured bank for the period of two years from the date of such termination, and in the event that such bank shall be closed on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors within such period of two years, the Corporation shall have the same powers and rights with respect to such bank as in case of an insured bank.

"(2) Whenever the insured status of a State member bank shall be terminated by action of the board of directors, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System shall terminate its membership in the Federal Reserve System in accordance with the provisions of section 9 of this Act, and whenever the insured status of a national member bank shall be so terminated the Comptroller of the Currency shall appoint a receiver for the bank, which shall be the Corporation whenever the bank shall be unable to meet the demands of its depositors. Whenever a member bank shall cease to be a member of the Federal Reserve System, its status as an insured bank shall, without notice or other action by the board of directors, terminate on the date the bank shall cease to be a member of the Federal Reserve System, with like effect as if its insured status had been terminated on said date by the board of directors after proceedings under paragraph (1) of this subsection.

"(3) If any nonmember bank which becomes an insured bank under the provisions of paragraph (1) of subsection (f) of this section shall elect, within thirty days after the effective date, not to continue as an insured bank, and shall within such period give written notice to the Corporation of its election, in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the board of directors, and to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation if it owns or holds as pledgee any preferred stock, capital notes, or debentures of such bank, it shall cease to be an insured bank and cease to be subject to the provisions of this section and the rights of the bank (including its right to any refund) shall be as provided by law existing prior to the effective date. The board of directors shall cause notice of termination of insurance to be given to the depositors of such bank by publication or otherwise as the board of directors may determine, and the deposits in such bank shall continue to be insured for twenty days beyond such thirty day period.

"(4) Whenever the liabilities of an insured bank for deposits shall have been assumed by another insured bank or banks, the insured status of the bank whose liabilities are so assumed shall terminate on the date of receipt by the Corporation of satisfactory evidence of such assumption with like effect as if its insured status had been terminated on said date by the board of directors after proceedings under paragraph (1) of this subsection: Provided, That if the bank whose liabilities are so assumed gives to its depositors notice of such assumption within thirty days after such assumption takes effect, by publication or by any reasonable means, in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the board of directors, the insurance of its deposit sshall terminate at the end of six months from the date such assumption takes effect, and such bank shall thereupon be relieved of all future obligations to the Corporation, including the obligation to pay future assessments.

"(j) Upon the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1933, the Corporation shall become a body corporate and as such shall have power—

"First. To adopt and use a corporate seal.

"Second. To have succession until dissolved by an Act of Congress.

"Third. To make contracts.

"Fourth. To sue and be sued, complain and defend, in any court of law or equity, State or Federal. All suits of a civil nature at common law or in equity to which the Corporation shall be a party shall be deemed to arise under the laws of the United States: Provided, That any such suit to which the Corporation is a party in its capacity as receiver of a State bank and which involves only the rights or obligations of depositors, creditors, stockholders and such State bank under State law shall not be deemed to arise under the laws of the United States. No attachment or execution shall be issued against the Corporation or its property before final judgment in any suit, action, or proceeding in any State, county, municipal, or United States court. The board of directors shall designate an agent upon whom service of process may be made in any State, Territory, or jurisdiction in which any insured bank is located.

"Fifth. To appoint by its board of directors such officers and employees as are not otherwise provided for in this section, to define their duties, fix their compensation, require bonds of them and fix the penalty thereof, and to dismiss at pleasure such officers or employees. Nothing in this or any other Act shall be construed to prevent the appointment and compensation as an officer or employee of the Corporation of any officer or employee of the United States in any board, commission, independent establishment or executive department thereof.

"Sixth. To prescribe by its board of directors, bylaws not inconsistent with law, regulating the manner in which its general business may be conducted, and the privileges granted to it by law may be exercised and enjoyed.

"Seventh. To exercise by its board of directors, or duly authorized officers or agents, all powers specifically granted by the provisions of this section and such incidental powers as shall be necessary to carry out the powers so granted.

"Eighth. To make examinations of and to require information and reports from banks, as provided in this section.

"Ninth. To act as receiver.

"Tenth. To prescribe by its board of directors such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary to carry out the provisions of this section.

"(k) (1) The board of directors shall administer the affairs of the Corporation fairly and impartially and without discrimination. The board of directors of the Corporation shall determine and prescribe the manner in which its obligations shall be incurred and its expenses allowed and paid. The Corporation shall be entitled to the free use of the United States mails in the same manner as the executive departments of the Government. The Corporation with the consent of any Federal Reserve bank or of any board, commission, independent establishment, or executive department of the Government, including any field service thereof, may avail itself of the use of information, services, and facilities thereof in carrying out the provisions of this section.

"(2) The board of directors shall appoint examiners who shall have power, on behalf of the Corporation, to examine any insured State nonmember bank (except a District bank), any State nonmember bank making application to become an insured bank, and any closed insured bank, whenever in the judgment of the board of directors an examination of the bank is necessary. Such examiners shall have like power to examine, with the written consent of the Comptroller of the Currency, any national bank or District bank, and, with the written consent of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, any State member bank. Each such examiner shall have power to make a thorough examination of all the affairs of the bank and in doing so he shall have power to administer oaths and to examine and take and preserve the testimony of any of the officers and agents thereof, and shall make a full and detailed report of the condition of the bank to the Corporation. The board of directors in like manner shall appoint claim agents who shall have power to investigate and examine all claims for insured deposits and transferred deposits. Each claim agent shall have power to administer oaths and to examine under oath and take and preserve the testimony of any persons relating to such claims. The provisions of sections 184 to 186 (both inclusive) of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 5, secs. 94 to 96) are hereby extended to examinations and investigations authorized by this paragraph.

"(3) Each insured State nonmember bank (except a District bank) shall make to the Corporation reports of condition in such form and at such times as the board of directors may require. The board of directors may require such reports to be published in such manner, not inconsistent with any applicable law, as it may direct. Every such bank which fails to make or publish any such report within such time, not less than five days, as the board of directors may require, shall be subject to a penalty of not more than $100 for each day of such failure recoverable by the Corporation for its use.

"(4) The Corporation shall have access to reports of examinations made by, and reports of condition made to, the Comptroller of the Currency or any Federal Reserve bank, may accept any report made by or to any commission, board, or authority having supervision of a State nonmember bank (except a District bank), and may furnish to the Comptroller of the Currency, to any Federal Reserve bank, and to any such commission, board, or authority, reports of examinations made on behalf of, and reports of condition made to, the Corporation.

"(l) (1) The Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund and the Fund For Mutuals heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of this section are hereby consolidated into a Permanent Insurance Fund for insuring deposits, and the assets therein shall be held by the Corporation for the uses and purposes of the Corporation: Provided, That the obligations to and rights of the Corporation, depositors, banks, and other persons arising out of any event or transaction prior to the effective date shall remain unimpaired. On and

after the effective date, the Corporation shall insure the deposits of all insured banks as provided in this section: Provided, That the insurance shall apply only to deposits of insured banks which have been made available since March 10, 1933, for withdrawal in the usual course of the banking business: Provided further, That if any insured bank shall, without the consent of the Corporation, release or modify restrictions on or deferments of deposits which had not been made available for withdrawal in the usual course of the banking business on or before the effective date, such deposits shall not be insured. The maximum amount of the insured deposit of any depositor shall be $5,000. The Corporation, in the discretion of the board of directors, may open on its books solely for the benefit of mutual savings banks and depositors therein a separate Fund For Mutuals. If such Fund is opened, all assessments upon mutual savings banks shall be paid into such Fund and the Permanent Insurance Fund of the Corporation shall cease to be liable for insurance losses sustained in mutual savings banks: Provided, That the capital assets of the Corporation shall be so liable and all expenses of operation of the Corporation shall be allocated between such Funds on an equitable basis.

"(2) For the purposes of this section, an insured bank shall be deemed to have been closed on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors in any case in which it has been closed for the purpose of liquidation without adequate provision being made for payment of its depositors.

"(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, whenever any insured national bank or insured District bank shall have been closed by action of its board of directors, or by the Comptroller of the Currency, as the case may be, on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors, the Comptroller of the Currency shall appoint the Corporation receiver for such closed bank, and no other person shall be appointed as receiver of such closed bank.

"(4) It shall be the duty of the Corporation as such receiver to realize upon the assets of such closed bank, having due regard to the condition of credit in the locality; to enforce the individual liability of the stockholders and directors thereof; and to wind up the affairs of such closed bank in conformity with the provisions of law relating to the liquidation of closed national banks, except as herein otherwise provided. The Corporation shall retain for its own account such portion of the amounts realized from such liquidation as it shall be entitled to receive on account of its subrogation to the claims of depositors, and it shall pay to depositors and other creditors the net amounts available for distribution to them. With respect to any such closed bank, the Corporation as such receiver shall have all the rights, powers, and privileges now possessed by or hereafter granted by law to a receiver of an insolvent national bank.

"(5) Whenever any insured State bank (except a District bank) shall have been closed by action of its board of directors or by the authority having supervision of such bank, as the case may be, on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors, the Corporation shall accept appointment as receiver thereof, if such appointment is tendered by the authority having supervision of such bank and is authorized or permitted by State law. With respect to any such insured State bank, the Corporation as such receiver shall possess all the rights, powers, and privileges granted by State law to a receiver of a State bank.

"(6) Whenever an insured bank shall have been closed on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors, payment of the insured deposits in such bank shall be made by the Corporation as soon as possible, subject to the provisions of paragraph (7) of this subsection, either (A) by making available to each depositor a transferred deposit in a new bank in the same community or in another insured bank in an amount equal to the insured deposit of such depositor and subject to withdrawal on demand, or (B) in such other manner as the board of directors may prescribe: Provided, That the Corporation, in its discretion, may require proof of claims to be filed before paying the insured deposits, and that in any case where the Corporation is not satisfied as to the validity of a claim for an insured deposit, it may require the final determination of a court of competent jurisdiction before paying such claim.

"(7) In the case of a closed national bank or District bank, the Corporation, upon the payment of any depositor as provided in paragraph (6) of this subsection, shall be subrogated to all rights of the depositor against the closed bank to the extent of such payment. In the case of any other closed insured bank, the Corporation shall not make any payment to any depositor until the right of the Corporation to be subrogated to the rights of such depositor on the same basis as provided in the case of a closed national bank under this section shall have been recognized either by express provision of State law, by allowance of claims by the authority having supervision of such bank, by assignment of claims by depositors, or by any other effective method. In the case of any closed insured bank, such subrogation shall include the right on the part of the Corporation to receive the same dividends from the proceeds of the assets of such closed bank and recoveries on account of stockholders' liability as would have been payable to the depositor on a claim for the insured deposit, but such depositor shall retain his claim for any uninsured portion of his deposit: Provided, That the rights of depositors and other creditors of any State bank shall be determined in accordance with the applicable provisions of State law.

"(8) As soon as possible after the closing of an insured bank, the Corporation, if it finds that it is advisable and in the interest of the depositors of the closed bank or the public, shall organize a new national bank to assume the insured deposits of such closed bank and otherwise to perform temporarily the functions hereinafter provided for. The new bank shall have its place of business in the same community as the closed bank.

"(9) The articles of association and the organization certificate of the new bank shall be executed by representatives designated by the Corporation. No capital stock need be paid in by the Corporation. The new bank shall not have a board of directors, but shall be managed by an executive officer appointed by the board of directors of the Corporation who shall be subject to its directions. In all other respects the new bank shall be organized in accordance with the then existing provisions of law relating to the organization of national banking associations. The new bank may, with the approval of the Corporation, accept new deposits which shall be subject to withdrawal on demand and which, except where the new bank is the only bank in the community, shall not exceed $5,000 from any depositor. The new bank, without application to or approval by the Corporation, shall be an insured bank and shall maintain on deposit with the Federal Reserve bank of its district reserves in the amount required by law for member banks, but it shall not be required to subscribe for stock of the Federal Reserve bank. Funds of the new bank shall be kept on hand in cash, invested in obligations of the United States, or in obligations guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States, or deposited with the Corporation, with a Federal Reserve bank, or, to the extent of the insurance coverage thereon, with an insured bank. The new bank, unless otherwise authorized by the Comptroller of the Currency, shall transact no business except that authorized by this section and as may be incidental to its organization. Notwithstanding any other provision of law the new bank, its franchise, property, and income shall be exempt from all taxation now or hereafter imposed by the United States, by any Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority.

"(10) Upon the organization of a new bank, the Corporation shall promptly make available to it an amount equal to the estimated insured deposits of such closed bank plus the estimated amount of the expenses of operating the new bank, and shall determine as soon as possible the amount due each depositor for his insured deposit in the closed bank, and the total expenses of operation of the new bank. Upon such determination, the amounts so estimated and made available shall be adjusted to conform to the amounts so determined. Earnings of the new bank shall be paid over or credited to

the Corporation in such adjustment. If any new bank, during the period it continues its status as such, sustains any losses with respect to which it is not effectively protected except by reason of being an insured bank, the Corporation shall furnish to it additional funds in the amount of such losses. The new bank shall assume as transferred deposits the payment of the insured deposits of such closed bank to each of its depositors. Of the amounts so made available, the Corporation shall transfer to the new bank, in cash, such sums as may be necessary to enable it to meet its expenses of operation and immediate cash demands on such transferred deposits, and the remainder of such amounts shall be subject to withdrawal by the new bank on demand.

"(11) Whenever in the judgment of the board of directors it is desirable to do so, the Corporation shall cause capital stock of the new bank to be offered for sale on such terms and conditions as the board of directors shall deem advisable in an amount sufficient, in the opinion of the board of directors, to make possible the conduct of the business of the new bank on a sound basis, but in no event less than that required by section 5138 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 51), for the organization of a national bank in the place where such new bank is located. The stockholders of the closed insured bank shall be given the first opportunity to purchase any shares of common stock so offered. Upon proof that an adequate amount of capital stock in the new bank has been subscribed and paid for in cash, the Comptroller of the Currency shall require the articles of association and the organization certificate to be amended to conform to the requirements for the organization of a national bank, and thereafter, when the requirements of law with respect to the organization of a national bank have been complied with, he shall issue to the bank a certificate of authority to commence business, and thereupon the bank shall cease to have the status of a new bank, shall be managed by directors elected by its own shareholders and may exercise all the powers granted by law, and it shall be subject to all the provisions of law relating to national banks. Such bank shall thereafter be an insured national bank, without certification to or approval by the Corporation.

"(12) If the capital stock of the new bank is not offered for sale, or if an adequate amount of capital for such new bank is not subscribed and paid for, the board of directors may offer to transfer its business to any insured bank in the same community which will take over its assets, assume its liabilities, and pay to the Corporation for such business such amount as the board of directors may deem adequate; or the board of directors in its discretion may change the location of the new bank to the office of the Corporation or to some other place or may at any time wind up its affairs as herein provided. Unless the capital stock of the new bank is sold or its assets are taken over and its liabilities are assumed by an insured bank as above provided within two years from the date of its organization, the Corporation shall wind up the affairs of such bank, after giving such notice, if any, as the Comptroller of the Currency may require, and shall certify to the Comptroller of the Currency the termination of the new bank. Thereafter the Corporation shall be liable for the obligations of such bank and shall be the owner of its assets. The provisions of sections 5220 and 5221 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, secs. 181 and 182) shall not apply to such new banks.

"(m) (1) The Corporation as receiver of a closed national bank or District bank shall not be required to furnish bond and shall have the right to appoint an agent or agents to assist it in its duties as such receiver, and all fees, compensation, and expenses of liquidation and administration thereof shall be fixed by the Corporation, subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, and may be paid by it out of funds coming into its possession as such receiver. The Comptroller of the Currency is authorized and empowered to waive and relieve the Corporation from complying with any regulations of the Comptroller of the Currency with respect to receiverships where in his discretion such action is deemed advisable to simplify administration.

"(2) Payment of an insured deposit to any person by the Corporation shall discharge the Corporation, and payment of a transferred deposit to any person by the new bank or by an insured bank in which a transferred deposit has been made available shall discharge the Corporation and such new bank or other insured bank, to the same extent that payment to such person by the closed bank would have discharged it from liability for the insured deposit.

"(3) Except as otherwise prescribed by the board of directors, neither the Corporation nor such new bank or other insured bank shall be required to recognize as the owner of any portion of a deposit appearing on the records of the closed bank under a name other than that of the claimant, any person whose name or interest as such owner is not disclosed on the records of such closed bank as part owner of said deposit, if such recognition would increase the aggregate amount of the insured deposits in such closed bank.

"(4) The Corporation may withhold payment of such portion of the insured deposit of any depositor in a closed bank as may be required to provide for the payment of any liability of such depositor as a stockholder of the closed bank, or of any liability of such depositor to the closed bank or its receiver, which is not offset against a claim due from such bank, pending the determination and payment of such liability by such depositor or any other person liable therefor.

"(5) If, after the Corporation shall have given at least three months' notice to the depositor by mailing a copy thereof to his last known address appearing on the records of the closed bank, any depositor in the closed bank shall fail to claim his insured deposit from the Corporation within eighteen months after the appointment of the receiver for the closed bank, or shall fail within such period to claim or arrange to continue the transferred deposit with the new bank or with the other insured bank which assumes liability therefor, all rights of the depositor against the Corporation with respect to the insured deposit, and against the new bank and such other insured bank with respect to the transferred deposit, shall be barred, and all rights of the depositor against the closed bank and its shareholders, or the receivership estate to which the Corporation may have become subrogated, shall thereupon revert to the depositor. The amount of any transferred deposits not claimed within such eighteen months' period, shall be refunded to the Corporation.

"(n) (1) Money of the Corporation not otherwise employed shall be invested in obligations of the United States or in obligations guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States, except that for temporary periods, in the discretion of the board of directors, funds of the Corporation may be deposited in any Federal Reserve bank or with the Treasurer of the United States. When designated for that purpose by the Secretary of the Treasury, the Corporation shall be a depositary of public moneys, except receipts from customs, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the said Secretary, and may also be employed as a financial agent of the Government. It shall perform all such reasonable duties as depositary of public moneys and financial agent of the Government as may be required of it.

"(2) Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to prevent the Corporation from making loans to national banks closed by action of the Comptroller of the Currency, or by vote of their directors, or to State member banks closed by action of the appropriate State authorities, or by vote of their directors, or from entering into negotiations to secure the reopening of such banks.

"(3) Receivers or liquidators of insured banks closed on account of inability to meet the demands of their depositors shall be entitled to offer the assets of such banks for sale to the Corporation or as security for loans from the Corporation, upon receiving permission from the appropriate State authority in accordance with express provisions of State law in the case of insured State banks, or from the Comptroller of the Currency in the case of national banks or District banks. The proceeds of every such sale or loan shall be utilized for the same purposes and in the same manner as other funds realized from the liquidation of the assets of such

banks. The Comptroller of the Currency may, in his discretion, pay dividends on proved claims at any time after the expiration of the period of advertisement made pursuant to section 5235 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 193), and no liability shall attach to the Comptroller of the Currency or to the receiver of any national bank by reason of any such payment for failure to pay dividends to a claimant whose claim is not proved at the time of any such payment. The Corporation, in its discretion, may make loans on the security of or may purchase and liquidate or sell any part of the assets of an insured bank which is now or may hereafter be closed on account of inability to meet the demands of its depositors, but in any case in which the Corporation is acting as receiver of a closed insured bank, no such loan or purchase shall be made without the approval of a court of competent jurisdiction.

"(4) Until July 1, 1936, whenever in the judgment of the board of directors such action will reduce the risk or avert a threatened loss to the Corporation and will facilitate a merger or consolidation of an insured bank with another insured bank, or will facilitate the sale of the assets of an open or closed insured bank to and assumption of its liabilities by another insured bank, the Corporation may, upon such terms and conditions as it may determine, make loans secured in whole or in part by assets of an open or closed insured bank, which loans may be in subordination to the rights of depositors and other creditors, or the Corporation may purchase any such assets or may guarantee any other insured bank against loss by reason of its assuming the liabilities and purchasing the assets of an open or closed insured bank. Any insured national bank or District bank, or, with the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, any receiver thereof, is authorized to contract for such sales or loans and to pledge any assets of the bank to secure such loans.

"(o) (1) The Corporation is authorized and empowered to issue and to have outstanding its notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations, in a par amount aggregating not more than three times the amount received by the Corporation in payment of its capital stock and in payment of the assessments upon insured banks for the year 1936. The notes, debentures, bonds, and other such obligations issued under this subsection shall be redeemable at the option of the Corporation before maturity in such manner as may be stipulated in such obligations, and shall bear such rate or rates of interest, and shall mature at such time or times as may be determined by the Corporation: Provided, That the Corporation may sell on a discount basis short-term obligations payable at maturity without interest. The notes, debentures, bonds, and other such obligations of the Corporation may be secured by assets of the Corporation in such manner as shall be prescribed by its board of directors. Such obligations may be offered for sale at such price or prices as the Corporation may determine.

"(2) The Secretary of the Treasury, in his discretion, is authorized to purchase any obligations of the Corporation to be issued hereunder, and for such purpose the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to use as a public-debt transaction the proceeds of the sale of any securities hereafter issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and the purposes for which securities may be issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, are extended to include such purchases: Provided, That if the Reconstruction Finance Corporation fails for any reason to purchase any of the obligations of the Corporation as provided in subsection (b) of section 5e of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, as amended, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to purchase such obligations in an amount equal to the amount of such obligations the Reconstruction Finance Corporation so fails to purchase: Provided further, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed, whenever in the judgment of the board of directors of the Corporation additional funds are required for insurance purposes, to purchase obligations of the Corporation in an additional amount of not to exceed $250,000,000 par value: Provided further, That the proceeds derived from the purchase by the Secretary of the Treasury of any such obligations shall be used by the Corporation solely in carrying out its functions with respect to such insurance. The Secretary of the Treasury may, at any time, sell any of the obligations of the Corporation acquired by him under this subsection. All redemptions, purchases, and sales by the Secretary of the Treasury of the obligations of the Corporation shall be treated as public-debt transactions of the United States.

"(p) All notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations issued by the Corporation shall be exempt, both as to principal and interest, from all taxation (except estate and inheritance taxes) now or hereafter imposed by the United States, by any Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority. The Corporation, including its franchise, its capital, reserves, and surplus, and its income, shall be exempt from all taxation now or hereafter imposed by the United States, by any Territory, dependency, or possession thereof, or by any State, county, municipality, or local taxing authority, except that any real property of the Corporation shall be subject to State, Territorial, county, municipal, or local taxation to the same extent according to its value as other real property is taxed.

"(q) In order that the Corporation may be supplied with such forms of notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations as it may need for issuance under this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to prepare such forms as shall be suitable and approved by the Corporation, to be held in the Treasury subject to delivery, upon order of the Corporation. The engraved plates, dies, bed pieces, and other material executed in connection therewith shall remain in the custody of the Secretary of the Treasury. The Corporation shall reimburse the Secretary of the Treasury for any expenses incurred in the preparation, custody, and delivery of such notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations.

"(r) The Corporation shall annually make a report of its operations to the Congress as soon as practicable after the 1st day of January in each year.

"(s) Whoever, for the purpose of obtaining any loan from the Corporation, or any extension or renewal thereof, or the acceptance, release, or substitution of security therefor, or for the purpose of inducing the Corporation to purchase any assets, or for the purpose of obtaining the payment of any insured deposit or transferred deposit or the allowance, approval, or payment of any claim, or for the purpose of influencing in any way the action of the Corporation under this section, makes any statement, knowing it to be false, or willfully overvalues any security, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $5,000, or by imprisonment for not more than two years, or both.

"(t) Whoever (1) falsely makes, forges, or counterfeits any obligation or coupon, in imitation of or purporting to be an obligation or coupon issued by the Corporation, or (2) passes, utters, or publishes, or attempts to pass, utter, or publish, any false, forged, or counterfeited obligation or coupon purporting to have been issued by the Corporation, knowing the same to be false, forged, or counterfeited, or (3) falsely alters any obligation or coupon issued or purporting to have been issued by the Corporation, or (4) passes, utters, or publishes, or attempts to pass, utter, or publish, as true, any falsely altered or spurious obligation or coupon, issued or purporting to have been issued by the Corporation, knowing the same to be falsely altered or spurious, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $10,000, or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

"(u) Whoever, being connected in any capacity with the Corporation, (1) embezzles, abstracts, purloins, or willfully misapplies any moneys, funds, securities, or other things of value, whether belonging to it or pledged, or otherwise entrusted to it, or (2) with intent to defraud the Corporation or any other body, politic or corporate, or any individual, or to deceive any officer, auditor, or examiner of the Corporation, makes any false entry in any book, report, or statement of or to the Corporation, or without being duly authorized draws any order or issues, puts forth, or assigns any note, debenture, bond, or other such obligation, or draft, bill of exchange, mortgage, judgment, or decree thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $10,000, or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

"(v) (1) No individual, association, partnership, or corporation shall use the words 'Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation', or a combination of any three of these four words, as the name or a part thereof under which he or it shall do business. No individual, association, partnership, or corporation shall advertise or otherwise represent falsely by any device whatsoever that his or its deposit liabilities are insured or in anywise guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or by the United States or any instrumentality thereof; and no insured bank shall advertise or otherwise represent falsely by any device whatsoever the extent to which or the manner in which its deposit liabilities are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Every individual, partnership, association, or corporation violating this subsection shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding $1,000, or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both.

"(2) Every insured bank shall display at each place of business maintained by it a sign or signs, and shall include in advertisements relating to deposits a statement to the effect that its deposits are insured by the Corporation. The board of directors shall prescribe by regulation the forms of such signs and the manner of display and the substance of such statements and the manner of use. For each day an insured bank continues to violate any provision of this paragraph or any lawful provision of said regulations, it shall be subject to a penalty of not more than $100, recoverable by the Corporation for its use.

"(3) No insured bank shall pay any dividends on its capital stock or interest on its capital notes or debentures (if such interest is required to be paid only out of net profits) while it remains in default in the payment of any assessment due to the Corporation; and any director or officer of any insured bank who participates in the declaration or payment of any such dividend shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than $1,000, or imprisoned not more than one year, or both: Provided, That if such default is due to a dispute between the insured bank and the Corporation over the amount of such assessment, this paragraph shall not apply, if such bank shall deposit security satisfactory to the Corporation for payment upon final determination of the issue.

"(4) Unless, in addition to compliance with other provisions of law, it shall have the prior written consent of the Corporation, no insured bank shall enter into any consolidation or merger with any noninsured bank, or assume liability to pay any deposits made in any noninsured bank, or transfer assets to any noninsured bank in consideration of the assumption of liability for any portion of the deposits made in such insured bank, and no insured State nonmember bank (except a District bank) without such consent shall reduce the amount or retire any part of its common or preferred capital stock, or retire any part of its capital notes or debentures.

"(5) No State nonmember insured bank (except a District bank) shall establish and operate any new branch after thirty days after the effective date unless it shall have the prior written consent of the Corporation, and no branch of any State nonmember insured bank shall be moved from one location to another after thirty days after the effective date without such consent. The factors to be considered in granting or withholding the consent of the Corporation under this paragraph shall be those enumerated in subsection (g) of this section.

"(6) The Corporation may require any insured bank to provide protection and indemnity against burglary, defalcation, and other similar insurable losses. Whenever any insured bank refuses to comply with any such requirement the Corporation may contract for such protection and indemnity and add the cost thereof to the assessment otherwise payable by such bank.

"(7) Whenever any insured bank (except a national bank or a District bank), after written notice of the recommendations of the Corporation based on a report of examination of such bank by an examiner of the Corporation, shall fail to comply with such recommendations within one hundred and twenty days after such notice, the Corporation shall have the power, and is hereby authorized, to publish only such part of such report of examination as relates to any recommendation not complied with: Provided, That notice of intention to make such publication shall be given to the bank at least ninety days before such publication is made.

"(8) The board of directors shall by regulation prohibit payment of interest on demand deposits in insured nonmember banks and for such purpose it may define the term 'demand deposits'; but such exceptions from this prohibition shall be made as are now or may hereafter be prescribed with respect to deposits payable on demand in member banks by section 19 of this Act, as amended, or by regulation of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. The board of directors shall from time to time limit by regulation the rates of interest or dividends which may be paid by insured nonmember banks on time and savings deposits, but such regulations shall be consistent with the contractual obligations of such banks to their depositors. For the purpose of fixing such rates of interest or dividends, the board of directors shall by regulation prescribe different rates for such payment on time and savings deposits having different maturities, or subject to different conditions respecting withdrawal or repayment, or subject to different conditions by reason of different locations, or according to the varying discount rates of member banks in the several Federal Reserve districts. The board of directors shall by regulation define what constitutes time and savings deposits in an insured nonmember bank. Such regulations shall prohibit any insured nonmember bank from paying any time deposit before its maturity except upon such conditions and in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the board of directors, and from waiving any requirement of notice before payment of any savings deposit except as to all savings deposits having the same requirement. For each violation of any provision of this paragraph or any lawful provision of such regulations relating to the payment of interest or dividends on deposits or to withdrawal of deposits, without such consent.. The factors to be considered in granting or withholding the consent of the Corporation under this paragraph shall be those enumerated in subsection (g) of this section.

"(9) The Corporation may require any insured bank to provide protection and indemnity against burglary, defalcation, and other similar insurable losses. Whenever any insured bank refuses to comply with any such requirement the Corporation may contract for such protection and indemnity and add the cost thereof to the assessment otherwise payable by such bank.

"(10) Whenever any insured bank (except a national bank or a District bank), after written notice of the recommendations of the Corporation based on a report of examination of such bank by an examiner of the Corporation, shall fail to comply with such recommendations within one hundred and twenty days after such notice, the Corporation shall have the power, and is hereby authorized, to publish only such part of such report of examination as relates to any recommendation not complied with: Provided, That notice of intention to make such publication shall be given to the bank at least ninety days before such publication is made.

"(w) The provisions of sections 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, and 117 of the Criminal Code of the United States (U. S. C., title 18, ch. 5, secs. 202 to 207, inclusive), insofar as applicable, are extended to apply to contracts or agreements with the Corporation under this section, which for the purposes hereof shall be held to include loans, advances, extensions, and renewals thereof, and acceptances, releases, and substitutions of security therefor, purchases or sales of assets, and all contracts and agreements pertaining to the same.

"(x) The Secret Service Division of the Treasury Department is authorized to detect, arrest, and deliver into the custody of the United States marshal having jurisdiction any person committing any of the offenses punishable under this section.

"(y) (1) No State bank which during the calendar year 1941 or any succeeding calendar year shall have average deposits of $1,000,000 or more shall be an insured bank or continue to have any part of its deposits insured after July 1 of the year following any such calendar year during which it shall have had such amount of average deposits, unless such bank shall be a member of the Federal Reserve System: Provided, That for the purposes of this paragraph the term 'State bank' shall not include a savings bank, a mutual savings bank, a Morris Plan bank or other incorporated banking institution engaged only in a business similar to that transacted by Morris Plan banks, a State trust company doing no commercial banking business, or a bank located in Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands.

"(2) It is not the purpose of this section to discriminate in any manner, against State nonmember, and in favor of, national or member banks; but the purpose is to provide all banks with the same opportunity to obtain and enjoy the benefits of this section. No bank shall be discriminated

against because its capital stock is less than the amount required for eligibility for admission into the Federal Reserve System.

"(2) The provisions of this section limiting the insurance of the deposits of any depositor to a maximum less than the full amount shall be independent and separable from each and all of the provisions of this section."

TITLE II—AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL RESERVE ACT

Section 201. Paragraph "Fifth" of section 4 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended, effective March 1, 1936, to read as follows:

"Fifth. To appoint by its board of directors a president, vice presidents, and such officers and employees as are not otherwise provided for in this Act, to define their duties, require bonds for them and fix the penalty thereof, and to dismiss at pleasure such officers or employees. The president shall be the chief executive officer of the bank and shall be appointed by the board of directors, with the approval of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, for a term of five years; and all other executive officers and all employees of the bank shall be directly responsible to him. The first vice president of the bank shall be appointed in the same manner and for the same term as the president, and shall, in the absence or disability of the president or during a vacancy in the office of president, serve as chief executive officer of the bank. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of the president or the first vice president, it shall be filled in the manner provided for original appointments; and the person so appointed shall hold office until the expiration of the term of his predecessor."

Sec. 202. Section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by inserting after the tenth paragraph thereof the following new paragraph:

"In order to facilitate the admission to membership in the Federal Reserve System of any State bank which is required under subsection (y) of section 12B of this Act to become a member of the Federal Reserve System in order to be an insured bank or continue to have any part of its deposits insured under such section 12B, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System may waive in whole or in part the requirements of this section relating to the admission of such bank to membership: Provided, That, if such bank is admitted with a capital less than that required for the organization of a national bank in the same place and its capital and surplus are not, in the judgment of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, adequate in relation to its liabilities to depositors and other creditors, the said Board may, in its discretion, require such bank to increase its capital and surplus to such amount as the Board may deem necessary within such period prescribed by the Board as in its judgment shall be reasonable in view of all the circumstances: Provided, however, That no such bank shall be required to increase its capital to an amount in excess of that required for the organization of a national bank in the same place."

Sec. 203. (a) Hereafter the Federal Reserve Board shall be known as the "Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System", and the governor and the vice governor of the Federal Reserve Board shall be known as the "chairman" and the "vice chairman", respectively, of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

(b) The first two paragraphs of section 10 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, are amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 10. The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board') shall be composed of seven members, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, after the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935, for terms of fourteen years except as hereinafter provided, but each appointive member of the Federal Reserve Board in office on such date shall continue to serve as a member of the Board until February 1, 1936, and the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency shall continue to serve as members of the Board until February 1, 1936. In selecting the members of the Board, not more than one of whom shall be selected from any one Federal Reserve district, the President shall have due regard to a fair representation of the financial, agricultural, industrial, and commercial interests, and geographical divisions of the country. The members of the Board shall devote their entire time to the business of the Board and shall each receive an annual salary of $15,000, payable monthly, together with actual necessary traveling expenses.

"The members of the Board shall be ineligible during the time they are in office and for two years thereafter to hold any office, position, or employment in any member bank, except that this restriction shall not apply to a member who has served the full term for which he was appointed. Upon the expiration of the term of any appointive member of the Federal Reserve Board in office on the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935, the President shall fix the term of the successor to such member at not to exceed fourteen years, as designated by the President at the time of nomination, but in such manner as to provide for the expiration of the term of not more than one member in any two-year period, and thereafter each member shall hold office for a term of fourteen years from the expiration of the term of his predecessor, unless sooner removed for cause by the President. Of the persons thus appointed, one shall be designated by the President as chairman and one as vice chairman of the Board, to serve as such for a term of four years. The chairman of the Board, subject to its supervision, shall be its active executive officer. Each member of the Board shall within fifteen days after notice of appointment make and subscribe to the oath of office. Upon the expiration of their terms of office, members of the Board shall continue to serve until their successors are appointed and have qualified. Any person appointed as a member of the Board after the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935 shall not be eligible for reappointment as such member after he shall have served a full term of fourteen years."

(c) The fourth paragraph of section 10 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by srtiking out the second, third, and fourth sentences thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "At meetings of the Board the chairman shall preside, and, in his absence, the vice chairman shall preside. In the absence of the chairman and the vice chairman, the Board shall elect a member to act as chairman pro tempore."

(d) Section 10 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System shall keep a complete record of the action taken by the Board and by the Federal Open Market Committee upon all questions of policy relating to open-market operations and shall record therein the votes taken in connection with the determination of open-market policies and the reasons underlying the action of the Board and the Committee in each instance. The Board shall keep a similar record with respect to all questions of policy determined by the Board, and shall include in its annual report to the Congress a full account of the action so taken during the preceding year with respect to open-market policies and operations and with respect to the policies determined by it and shall include in such report a copy of the records required to be kept under the provisions of this paragraph."

Sec. 204. Section 10 (b) of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 10 (b). Any Federal Reserve bank, under rules and regulations prescribed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, may make advances to any member bank on its time or demand notes having maturities of not more than four months and which are secured to the satisfaction of such Federal Reserve bank. Each such note shall bear interest at a rate not less than one-half of 1 per centum per annum higher than the highest discount rate in effect at such Federal Reserve bank on the date of such note."

Sec. 205. Section 12A of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended, effective March 1, 1936, to read as follows:

"Sec. 12A. (a) There is hereby created a Federal Open Market Committee (hereinafter referred to as the 'Committee'), which shall consist of the members of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and five representatives of the Federal Reserve banks to be selected as hereinafter provided. Such representatives of the Federal Reserve banks shall be elected annually as follows: One by the boards of directors of the Federal Reserve Banks of Boston and New York, one by the boards of directors of the Federal Reserve Banks of Philadelphia and Cleveland, one by the boards of directors of the Federal Reserve Banks of Chicago and Saint Louis, one by the boards of directors of the Federal Reserve Banks of Richmond, Atlanta, and Dallas, and one by the boards of directors of the Federal Reserve Banks of Minneapolis, Kansas City, and San Francisco. An alternate to serve in the absence of each such representative shall be elected annually in the same manner. The meetings of said Committee shall be held at Washington, District of Columbia, at least four times each year upon the call of the chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System or at the request of any three members of the Committee.

"(b) No Federal Reserve bank shall engage or decline to engage in open-market operations under section 14 of this Act except in accordance with the direction of and regulations adopted by the Committee. The Committee shall consider, adopt, and transmit to the several Federal Reserve banks, regulations relating to the open-market transactions of such banks.

"(c) The time, character, and volume of all purchases and sales of paper described in section 14 of this Act as eligible for open-market operations shall be governed with a view to accommodating commerce and business and with regard to their bearing upon the general credit situation of the country."

Sec. 206. (a) Subsection (b) of section 14 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by inserting before the semicolon at the end thereof a colon and the following: Provided, That any bonds, notes, or other obligations which are direct obligations of the United States or which are fully guaranteed by the United States as to principal and interest may be bought and sold without regard to maturities but only in the open market".

(b) Subsection (d) of section 14 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "but each such bank shall establish such rates every fourteen days, or oftener if deemed necessary by the Board;".

Sec. 207. The sixth paragraph of section 19 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Notwithstanding the other provisions of this section, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, upon the affirmative vote of not less than four of its members, in order to prevent injurious credit expansion or contraction, may by regulation change the requirements as to reserves to be maintained against demand or time deposits or both by member banks in reserve and central reserve cities or by member banks not in reserve or central reserve cities or by all member banks; but the amount of the reserves required to be maintained by any such member bank as a result of any such change shall not be less than the amount of the reserves required by law to be maintained by such bank on the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935 nor more than twice such amount."

Sec. 208. The first paragraph of section 24 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 24. Any national banking association may make real-estate loans secured by first liens upon improved real estate, including improved farm land and improved business and residential properties. A loan secured by real estate within the meaning of this section shall be in the form of an obligation or obligations secured by mortgage, trust deed, or other such instrument upon real estate, and any national banking association may purchase any obligation so secured when the entire amount of such obligation is sold to the association. The amount of any such loan hereafter made shall not exceed 50 per centum of the appraised value of the real estate offered as security and no such loan shall be made for a longer term than five years; except that (1) any such loan may be made in an amount not to exceed 60 per centum of the appraised value of the real estate offered as security and for a term not longer than ten years if the loan is secured by an amortized mortgage, deed of trust, or other such instrument under the terms of which the installment payments are sufficient to amortize 40 per centum or more of the principal of the loan within a period of not more than ten years, and (2) the foregoing limitations and restrictions shall not prevent the renewal or extension of loans heretofore made and shall not apply to real-estate loans which are insured under the provisions of Title II of the National Housing Act. No such association shall make such loans in an aggregate sum in excess of the amount of the capital stock of such association paid in and unimpaired plus the amount of its unimpaired surplus fund, or in excess of 60 per centum of the amount of its time and savings deposits, whichever is the greater. Any such association may continue hereafter as heretofore to receive time and savings deposits and to pay interest on the same, but the rate of interest which such association may pay upon such time deposits or upon savings or other deposits shall not exceed the maximum rate authorized by law to be paid upon such deposits by State banks or trust companies organized under the laws of the State in which such association is located."

Sec. 209. Section 325 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 325. The Comptroller of the Currency shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and shall hold his office for a term of five years unless sooner removed by the President, upon reasons to be communicated by him to the Senate; and he shall receive a salary at the rate of $15,000 a year."

TITLE III—TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE BANKING LAWS

Section 301. Subsection (c) of section 2 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"Notwithstanding the foregoing, the term 'holding company affiliate' shall not include (except for the purposes of section 23A of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended) any corporation all of the stock of which is owned by the United States, or any organization which is determined by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System not to be engaged, directly or indirectly, as a business in holding the stock of, or managing or controlling, banks, banking associations, savings banks, or trust companies."

Sec. 302. The first paragraph of section 20 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That nothing in this paragraph shall apply to any such organization which shall have been placed in formal liquidation and which shall transact no business except such as may be incidental to the liquidation of its affairs".

Sec. 303. (a) Paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of section 21 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by inserting before the semicolon at the end thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That the provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit national banks or State banks or trust companies (whether or not members of the Federal Reserve System) or other financial institutions or private bankers from dealing in, underwriting, purchasing, and selling investment securities to the extent permitted to national banking associations by the provisions of section 5136 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 24; Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 24): Provided further, That nothing in this paragraph shall be construed as affecting in any way such right as any bank, banking association, savings bank, trust company, or other banking institution, may otherwise possess to sell, without recourse or agree-

ment to repurchase, obligations evidencing loans on real estate".

(b) Paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of such section 21 is amended to read as follows:

"(2) For any person, firm, corporation, association, business trust, or other similar organization to engage, to any extent whatever with others than his or its officers, agents or employees, in the business of receiving deposits subject to check or to repayment upon presentation of a pass book, certificate of deposit, or other evidence of debt, or upon request of the depositor, unless such person, firm, corporation, association, business trust, or other similar organization (A) shall be incorporated under, and authorized to engage in such business by, the laws of the United States or of any State, Territory, or District, or (B) shall be permitted by any State, Territory, or District to engage in such business and shall be subjected by the law of such State, Territory, or District to examination and regulation, or (C) shall submit to periodic examination by the banking authority of the State, Territory, or District where such business is carried on and shall make and publish periodic reports of its condition, exhibiting in detail its resources and liabilities, such examination and reports to be made and published at the same times and in the same manner and under the same conditions as required by the law of such State, Territory, or District in the case of incorporated banking institutions engaged in such business in the same locality."

Sec. 304. Section 22 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentences: "Such additional liability shall cease on July 1, 1937, with respect to all shares issued by any association which shall be transacting the business of banking on July 1, 1937: Provided, That not less than six months prior to such date, such association shall have caused notice of such prospective termination of liability to be published in a newspaper published in the city, town, or county in which such association is located, and if no newspaper is published in such city, town, or county, then in a newspaper of general circulation therein. If the association fail to give such notice as and when above provided, a termination of such additional liability may thereafter be accomplished as of the date six months subsequent to publication, in the manner above provided."

Sec. 305. Paragraph (c) of section 5155 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 36), is amended (1) by inserting after the first sentence thereof the following new sentence: "In any State in which State banks are permitted by statute law to maintain branches within county or greater limits, if no bank is located and doing business in the place where the proposed agency is to be located, any national banking association situated in such State may, with the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, establish and operate, without regard to the capital requirements of this section, a seasonal agency in any resort community within the limits of the county in which the main office of such association is located, for the purpose of receiving and paying out deposits, issuing and cashing checks and drafts, and doing business incident thereto: Provided, That any permit issued under this sentence shall be revoked upon the opening of a State or national bank in such community."; and (2) by striking out the first word in the last sentence of such paragraph (c) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Except as provided in the immediately preceding sentence, no".

Sec. 306. Section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act to amend section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act so as to extend for one year the temporary plan for deposit insurance, and for other purposes", approved June 16, 1934 (48 Stat. 969), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 4. So much of section 31 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, as relates to stock ownership by directors, trustees, or members of similar governing bodies of any national banking association, or of any State bank or trust company which is a member of the Federal Reserve System, is hereby repealed."

Sec. 307. Effective January 1, 1936, section 32 of the Banking Act of 1933, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 32. No officer, director, or employee of any corporation or unincorporated association, no partner or employee of any partnership, and no individual, primarily engaged in the issue, flotation, underwriting, public sale, or distribution, at wholesale or retail, or through syndicate participation, of stocks, bonds, or other similar securities, shall serve the same time as an officer, director, or employee of any member bank except in limited classes of cases in which the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System may allow such service by general regulations when in the judgment of the said Board it would not unduly influence the investment policies of such member bank or the advice it gives its customers regarding investments."

Sec. 308. (a) The second sentence of paragraph Seventh of section 5136 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 24), is amended to read as follows: "The business of dealing in securities and stock by the association shall be limited to purchasing and selling such securities and stock without recourse, solely upon the order, and for the account of, customers, and in no case for its own account, and the association shall not underwrite any issue of securities or stock: Provided, That the association may purchase for its own account investment securities under such limitations and restrictions as the Comptroller of the Currency may by regulation prescribe. In no event shall the total amount of the investment securities of any one obligor or maker, held by the association for its own account, exceed at any time 10 per centum of its capital stock actually paid in and unimpaired and 10 per centum of its unimpaired surplus fund, except that this limitation shall not require any association to dispose of any securities lawfully held by it on the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935."

(b) The fourth sentence of such paragraph Seventh is amended to read as follows: "Except as hereinafter provided or otherwise permitted by law, nothing herein contained shall authorize the purchase by the association for its own account of any shares of stock of any corporation."

(c) The last sentence of such paragraph Seventh is amended by inserting before the colon after the words "Home Owners' Loan Corporation" a comma and the following: "or obligations which are insured by the Federal Housing Administrator pursuant to section 207 of the National Housing Act, if the debentures to be issued in payment of such insured obligations are guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States".

Sec. 309. Section 5138 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 51), is amended by adding the following sentences at the end thereof: "No such association shall hereafter be authorized to commence the business of banking until it shall have a paid-in surplus equal to 20 per centum of its capital: Provided, That the Comptroller of the Currency may waive this requirement as to a State bank converting into a national banking association, but each such State bank which is converted into a national banking association shall, before the declaration of a dividend on its shares of common stock, carry not less than one-half part of its net profits of the preceding half year to its surplus fund until it shall have a surplus equal to 20 per centum of its capital: Provided, That for the purposes of this section any amounts paid into a fund for the retirement of any preferred stock of any such converted State bank out of its net earnings for such half-year period shall be deemed to be an addition to its surplus fund if, upon the retirement of such preferred stock, the amount so paid into such retirement fund for such period may then properly be carried to surplus. In any such case the converted State bank shall be obligated to transfer to surplus the amount so paid into such retirement fund for such period on account of the preferred stock as such stock is retired."

Sec. 310. (a) The last paragraph of section 5139 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 52), is amended to read as follows:

"After the date of the enactment of the Banking Act of 1935, no certificate evidencing the stock of any such association shall bear any statement purporting to represent the stock of any other corporation, except a member bank or a corporation engaged on June 16, 1934, in holding the bank premises of such association, nor shall the ownership, sale, or transfer of any certificate representing the stock of any such association be conditioned in any manner whatsoever upon the ownership, sale, or transfer of a certificate representing the stock of any other corporation, except a member bank or a corporation engaged on June 16, 1934, in holding the bank premises of such association: Provided, That this section shall not operate to prevent the ownership, sale, or transfer of stock of any other corporation being conditioned upon the ownership, sale, or transfer of a certificate representing stock of a national banking association."

(b) The nineteenth paragraph of section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"After the date of the enactment of the Banking Act of 1935, no certificate evidencing the stock of any State member bank shall bear any statement purporting to represent the stock of any other corporation, except a member bank or a corporation engaged on June 16, 1934, in holding the bank premises of such member bank, nor shall the ownership, sale, or transfer of any certificate representing the stock of any State member bank be conditioned in any manner whatsoever upon the ownership, sale, or transfer of a certificate representing the stock of any other corporation, except a member bank or a corporation engaged on June 16, 1934, in holding the bank premises of such member bank: Provided, That this section shall not operate to prevent the ownership, sale, or transfer of stock of any other corporation being conditioned upon the ownership, sale, or transfer of a certificate representing stock of a State member bank."

Sec. 311. (a) The first paragraph of section 5144 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 61), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 5144. In all elections of directors, each shareholder shall have the right to vote the number of shares owned by him for as many persons as there are directors to be elected, or to cumulate such shares and give one candidate as many votes as the number of directors multiplied by the number of his shares shall equal, or to distribute them on the same principle among as many candidates as he shall think fit; and in deciding all other questions at meetings of shareholders, each shareholder shall be entitled to one vote on each share of stock held by him; except that (1) this shall not be construed as limiting the voting rights of holders of preferred stock under the terms and provisions of articles of association, or amendments thereto, adopted pursuant to the provisions of section 302 (a) of the Emergency Banking and Bank Conservation Act, approved March 9, 1933, as amended, (2) in the election of directors, shares of its own stock held by a national bank as sole trustee, whether registered in its own name as such trustee or in the name of its nominee, shall not be voted by the registered owner unless under the terms of the trust the manner in which such shares shall be voted may be determined by a donor or beneficiary of the trust and unless such donor or beneficiary actually directs how such shares shall be voted, (3) shares of its own stock held by a national bank and one or more persons as trustees may be voted by such other person or persons, as trustees, in the same manner as if he or they were the sole trustee, and (4) shares controlled by any holding company affiliate of a national bank shall not be voted unless such holding company affiliate shall have first obtained a voting permit as hereinafter provided, which permit is in force at the time such shares are voted, but such holding company affiliate may, without obtaining such permit, vote in favor of placing the association in voluntary liquidation or taking any other action pertaining to the voluntary liquidation of such association. Shareholders may vote by proxies duly authorized in writing; but no officer, clerk, teller, or bookkeeper of such bank shall act as proxy; and no shareholder whose liability is past due and unpaid shall be allowed to vote. Whenever shares of stock cannot be voted by reason of being held by the bank as sole trustee, such shares shall be excluded in determining whether matters voted upon by the shareholders were adopted by the requisite percentage of shares."

(b) The first sentence of the third paragraph of such section 5144 is amended to read: "Any such holding company affiliate may make application to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System for a voting permit entitling it to vote the stock controlled by it at any or all meetings of shareholders of such bank or authorizing the trustee or trustees holding the stock for its benefit or for the benefit of its shareholders so to vote the same."

(c) Section 5144 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end of subsection (c) thereof the following: "and the provisions of this subsection, instead of subsection (b), shall apply to all holding company affiliates with respect to any shares of bank stock owned or controlled by them as to which there is no statutory liability imposed upon the holders of such bank stock;".

Sec. 312. Section 5154 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 35), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"The Comptroller of the Currency may, in his discretion and subject to such conditions as he may prescribe, permit such converting bank to retain and carry at a value determined by the Comptroller such of the assets of such converting bank as do not conform to the legal requirements relative to assets acquired and held by national banking associations."

Sec. 313. Section 5162 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 170) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"The Comptroller of the Currency may designate one or more persons to countersign in his name and on his behalf such assignments or transfers of bonds as require his countersignature."

Sec. 314. Section 5197 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 85), is amended by inserting after the second sentence thereof the following new sentence: "The maximum amount of interest or discount to be charged at a branch of an association located outside of the States of the United States and the District of Columbia shall be at the rate allowed by the laws of the country, territory, dependency, province, dominion, insular possession, or other political subdivision where the branch is located."

Sec. 315. Section 5199 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 60), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 5199. The directors of any association may, semi-annually, declare a dividend of so much of the net profits of the association as they shall judge expedient; but each association shall, before the declaration of a dividend on its shares of common stock, carry not less than one-tenth part of its net profits of the preceding half year to its surplus fund until the same shall equal the amount of its common capital: Provided, That for the purposes of this section, any amounts paid into a fund for the retirement of any preferred stock of any such association out of its net earnings for such half-year period shall be deemed to be an addition to its surplus fund if, upon the retirement of such preferred stock, the amount so paid into such retirement fund for such period may then properly be carried to surplus. In any such case the association shall be obligated to transfer to surplus the amounts so paid into such retirement fund for such period on account of the preferred stock as such stock is retired."

Sec. 316. Section 5209 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 592), is hereby amended by inserting after the words "known as the Federal Reserve Act" the words "or of any national banking association, or of any insured bank as defined in subsection (c) of section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act"; and by inserting after the words "such Federal Reserve bank or member bank", wherever they appear in such section, the words "or such national banking association or insured bank"; and by inserting after the words "or the Comptroller of the Currency", the words "or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation,".

Sec. 317. Section 5220 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 181), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"The shareholders shall designate one or more persons to act as liquidating agent or committee, who shall conduct the liquidation in accordance with law and under the supervision of the board of directors, who shall require a suitable bond to be given by said agent or committee. The liquidating agent or committee shall render annual reports to the Comptroller of the Currency on the 31st day of December of each year showing the progress of said liquidation until the same is completed. The liquidating agent or committee shall also make an annual report to a meeting of the shareholders to be held on the date fixed in the articles of association for the annual meeting, at which meeting the shareholders may, if they see fit, by a vote representing a majority of the entire stock of the bank, remove the liquidating agent or committee and appoint one or more others in place thereof. A special meeting of the shareholders may be called at any time in the same manner as if the bank continued an active bank and at said meeting the shareholders may, by vote of the majority of the stock, remove the liquidating agent or committee. The Comptroller of the Currency is authorized to have an examination made at any time into the affairs of the liquidating bank until the claims of all creditors have been satisfied, and the expense of making such examinations shall be assessed against such bank in the same manner as in the case of examinations made pursuant to section 5240 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, secs. 484, 485; Supp. VII, title 12, secs. 481–483)."

Sec. 318. Section 5243 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 583) is amended by striking out the semicolon therein and all that precedes it and substituting the following:

"Sec. 5243. The use of the word 'national', the word 'Federal' or the words 'United States', separately, in any combination thereof, or in combination with other words or syllables, as part of the name or title used by any person, corporation, firm, partnership, business trust, association or other business entity, doing the business of bankers, brokers, or trust or savings institutions is prohibited except where such institution is organized under the laws of the United States, or is otherwise permitted by the laws of the United States to use such name or title, or is lawfully using such name or title on the date when this section, as amended, takes effect;".

Sec. 319. (a) Section 5 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the last three sentences thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "When a member bank reduces its capital stock or surplus it shall surrender a proportionate amount of its holdings in the capital stock of said Federal Reserve bank. Any member bank which holds capital stock of a Federal Reserve bank in excess of the amount required on the basis of 6 per centum of its paid-up capital stock and surplus shall surrender such excess stock. When a member bank voluntarily liquidates it shall surrender all of its holdings of the capital stock of said Federal Reserve bank and be released from its stock subscription not previously called. In any such case the shares surrendered shall be canceled and the member bank shall receive in payment therefor, under regulations to be prescribed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, a sum equal to its cash-paid subscriptions on the shares surrendered and one-half of 1 per centum a month from the period of the last dividend, not to exceed the book value thereof, less any liability of such member bank to the Federal Reserve bank."

(b) Section 6 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the last paragraph thereof.

Sec. 320. The fifth paragraph of section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence: "Such reports of condition shall be in such form and shall contain such information as the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System may require and shall be published by the reporting banks in such manner and in accordance with such regulations as the said Board may prescribe."

Sec. 321. (a) The first sentence of paragraph (m) of section 11 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That with respect to loans represented by obligations in the form of notes secured by not less than a like amount of bonds or notes of the United States issued since April 24, 1917, certificates of indebtedness of the United States, Treasury bills of the United States, or obligations fully guaranteed both as to principal and interest by the United States, such limitation of 10 per centum on loans to any person shall not apply, but State member banks shall be subject to the same limitations and conditions as are applicable in the case of national banks under paragraph (8) of section 5200 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 84)".

(b) Paragraph (8) of section 5200 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 84), is amended by inserting after the comma following the words "certificates of indebtedness of the United States", the words "Treasury bills of the United States, or obligations fully guaranteed both as to principal and interest by the United States,".

Sec. 322. The third paragraph of section 13 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by changing the words "indorsed and otherwise secured to the satisfaction of the Federal Reserve bank" in that paragraph to read "indorsed or otherwise secured to the satisfaction of the Federal Reserve bank".

Sec. 323. Subsection (c) of section 13b of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by striking out "upon the date this section takes effect", and inserting in lieu thereof "on and after June 19, 1934"; and by striking out "the par value of the holdings of each Federal Reserve bank of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation stock", and inserting in lieu thereof "the amount paid by each Federal Reserve bank for stock of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation".

Sec. 324. (a) The first paragraph of section 19 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 19. The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System is authorized, for the purposes of this section, to define the terms 'demand deposits', 'gross demand deposits', 'deposits payable on demand', 'time deposits', 'savings deposits', and 'trust funds', to determine what shall be deemed to be a payment of interest, and to prescribe such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary to effectuate the purposes of this section and prevent evasions thereof: Provided, That, within the meaning of the provisions of this section regarding the reserves required of member banks, the term 'time deposits' shall include 'savings deposits'."

(b) The tenth paragraph of such section 19 is amended to read as follows:

"In estimating the reserve balances required by this Act, member banks may deduct from the amount of their gross demand deposits the amounts of balances due from other banks (except Federal Reserve banks and foreign banks) and cash items in process of collection payable immediately upon presentation in the United States, within the meaning of these terms as defined by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System."

(c) The last two paragraphs of such section 19 are amended to read as follows:

"No member bank shall, directly or indirectly, by any device whatsoever, pay any interest on any deposit which is payable on demand: Provided, That nothing herein contained shall be construed as prohibiting the payment of interest in accordance with the terms of any certificate of deposit or other contract entered into in good faith which is in force on the date on which the bank becomes subject to the provisions of this paragraph; but no such certificate of deposit or other contract shall be renewed or extended unless it shall be modified to conform to this paragraph, and every member bank shall take such action as may be necessary to conform to this paragraph as soon as possible consistently with its contractual obligations: Provided further, That this paragraph shall not apply to any deposit of such bank which is payable only at an office thereof located outside of the States of the United States and the District of Columbia: Provided further, That until the expiration of two years after

the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935 this paragraph shall not apply (1) to any deposit made by a savings bank as defined in section 12B of this Act, as amended, or by a mutual savings bank, or (2) to any deposit of public funds made by or on behalf of any State, county, school district, or other subdivision or municipality, or to any deposit of trust funds if the payment of interest with respect to such deposit of public funds or of trust funds is required by State law. So much of existing law as requires the payment of interest with respect to any funds deposited by the United States, by any Territory, District, or possession thereof (including the Philippine Islands), or by any public instrumentality, agency, or officer of the foregoing, as is inconsistent with the provisions of this section as amended, is hereby repealed.

"The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System shall from time to time limit by regulation the rate of interest which may be paid by member banks on time and savings deposits, and shall prescribe different rates for such payment on time and savings deposits having different maturities, or subject to different conditions respecting withdrawal or repayment, or subject to different conditions by reason of different locations, or according to the varying discount rates of member banks in the several Federal Reserve districts. No member bank shall pay any time deposit before its maturity except upon such conditions and in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the said Board, or waive any requirement of notice before payment of any savings deposit except as to all savings deposits having the same requirement: Provided, That the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to any deposit which is payable only at an office of a member bank located outside of the States of the United States and the District of Columbia."

(d) Such section 19 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"Notwithstanding the provisions of the First Liberty Bond Act, as amended, the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and the Third Liberty Bond Act, as amended, member banks shall be required to maintain the same reserves against deposits of public moneys by the United States as they are required by this section to maintain against other deposits."

Sec. 325. Section 21 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"Whenever member banks are required to obtain reports from affiliates, or whenever affiliates of member banks are required to submit to examination, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System or the Comptroller of the Currency, as the case may be, may waive such requirements with respect to any such report or examination of any affiliate if in the judgment of the said Board or Comptroller, respectively, such report or examination is not necessary to disclose fully the relations between such affiliate and such bank and the effect thereof upon the affairs of such bank."

Sec. 326. (a) Subsection (a) of section 22 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by inserting in the first paragraph thereof after "No member bank" the following: "and no insured bank as defined in subsection (c) of section 12B of this Act"; by inserting before the period at the end of the first sentence of such paragraph "or assistant examiner, who examines or has authority to examine such bank"; and by inserting after "any member bank" in the second paragraph thereof "or insured bank"; by inserting before the period at the end thereof "or Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation examiner"; and by adding at the end of such subsection a new paragraph, as follows:

"The provisions of this subsection shall apply to all public examiners and assistant examiners who examine member banks of the Federal Reserve System or insured banks, whether appointed by the Comptroller of the Currency, by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, by a Federal Reserve agent, by a Federal Reserve bank, or by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or appointed or elected under the laws of any State; but shall not apply to private examiners or assistant examiners employed only by a clearing-house association or by the directors of a bank."

(b) Subsection (b) of such section 22 is amended by inserting therein after "no national bank examiner" the following: "and no Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation examiner"; and by inserting after "member bank" the following: "or insured bank"; and by inserting after "from the Comptroller of the Currency," the following: "as to a national bank, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System as to a State member bank, or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as to any other insured bank,".

(c) Subsection (g) of such section 22 is amended to read as follows:

"(g) No executive officer of any member bank shall borrow from or otherwise become indebted to any member bank of which he is an executive officer, and no member bank shall make any loan or extend credit in any other manner to any of its own executive officers: Provided, That loans made to any such office prior to June 16, 1933, may be renewed or extended for periods expiring not more than five years from such date where the board of directors of the member bank shall have satisfied themselves that such extension or renewal is in the best interest of the bank and that the officer indebted has made reasonable effort to reduce his obligations, these findings to be evidenced by resolution of the board of directors spread upon the minute book of the bank: Provided further, That with the prior approval of a majority of the entire board of directors, any member bank may extend credit to any executive officer thereof, and such officer may become indebted thereto, in an amount not exceeding $2,500. If any executive officer of any member bank borrow from or if he be or become indebted to any bank other than a member bank of which he is an executive officer, he shall make a written report to the board of directors of the member bank of which he is an executive officer, stating the date and amount of such loan or indebtedness, the security therefor, and the purpose for which the proceeds have been or are to be used. Borrowing by, or loaning to, a partnership in which one or more executive officers of a member bank are partners having either individually or together a majority interest in said partnership, shall be considered within the prohibition of this subsection. Nothing contained in this subsection shall prohibit any executive officer of a member bank from endorsing or guaranteeing for the protection of such bank any loan or other asset which shall have been previously acquired by such bank in good faith or from incurring any indebtedness to such bank for the purpose of protecting such bank against loss or giving financial assistance to it. The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System is authorized to define the term 'executive officer', to determine what shall be deemed to be a borrowing, indebtedness, loan, or extension of credit, for the purposes of this subsection, and to prescribe such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection in accordance with its purposes and to prevent evasions of such provisions. Any executive officer of a member bank accepting a loan or extension of credit which is in violation of the provisions of this subsection shall be subject to removal from office in the manner prescribed in section 30 of the Banking Act of 1933: Provided, That for each day that a loan or extension of credit made in violation of this subsection exists, it shall be deemed to be a continuation of such violation within the meaning of said section 30."

Sec. 327. The third paragraph of section 23A of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"For the purpose of this section, the term 'affiliate' shall including holding-company affiliates as well as other affiliates, and the provisions of this section shall not apply to any affiliate (1) engaged on June 16, 1934, in holding the bank premises of the member bank with which it is affiliated or in maintaining and operating properties acquired for banking purposes prior to such date; (2) engaged solely in conducting a safe-deposit business or the business of an agricultural credit corporation or livestock loan company; (3) in the capital stock of which a national banking association is authorized to invest pursuant to section 25 of this Act, as amended, or a subsidiary of such affiliate, all the stock of

which (except qualifying shares of directors in an amount not to exceed 10 per centum) is owned by such affiliate; (4) organized under section 25 (a) of this Act, as amended, or a subsidiary of such affiliate, all the stock of which (except qualifying shares of directors in an amount not to exceed 10 per centum) is owned by such affiliate; (5) engaged solely in holding obligations of the United States or obligations fully guaranteed by the United States as to principal and interest, the Federal intermediate credit banks, the Federal land banks, the Federal Home Loan Banks, or the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; (6) where the affiliate relationship has arisen out of a bona fide debt contracted prior to the date of the creation of such relationship; or (7) where the affiliate relationship exists by reason of the ownership or control of any voting shares thereof by a member bank as executor, administrator, trustee, receiver, agent, depositary, or in any other fiduciary capacity, except where such shares are held for the benefit of all or a majority of the stockholders of such member bank; but as to any such affiliate, member banks shall continue to be subject to other provisions of law applicable to loans by such banks and investments by such banks in stocks, bonds, debentures, or other such obligations. The provisions of this section shall likewise not apply to indebtedness of any affiliate for unpaid balances due a bank on assets purchased from such bank or to loans secured by, or extensions of credit against, obligations of the United States or obligations fully guaranteed by the United States as to principal and interest."

Sec. 328. Section 24 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"Loans made to establish industrial or commercial businesses (a) which are in whole or in part discounted or purchased or loaned against as security by a Federal Reserve bank under the provisions of section 13b of this Act, (b) for any part of which a commitment shall have been made by a Federal Reserve bank under the provisions of said section, (c) in the making of which a Federal Reserve bank participates under the provisions of said section, or (d) in which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation cooperates or purchases a participation under the provisions of section 5d of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, shall not be subject to the restrictions or limitations of this section upon loans secured by real estate."

Sec. 329. Section 25 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is further amended by striking out the last paragraph of such section; the paragraph of section 25 (a) of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, which commences with the words "A majority of the shares of the capital stock of any such corporation" is amended by striking out all of said paragraph except the first sentence thereof; and the Act entitled "An Act to supplement existing laws against unlawful restraints and monopolies, and for other purposes" (38 Stat. 730), approved October 15, 1914, as amended, is further amended (a) by striking out section 8A thereof and (b) by substituting for the first three paragraphs of section 8 thereof the following:

"Sec. 8. No private banker or director, officer, or employee of any member bank of the Federal Reserve System or any branch thereof shall be at the same time a director, officer, or employee of any other bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company organized under the National Bank Act or organized under the laws of any State or of the District of Columbia, or any branch thereof, except that the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System may by regulation permit such service as a director, officer, or employee of not more than one other such institution or branch thereof; but the foregoing prohibition shall not apply in the case of any one or more of the following or any branch thereof:

"(1) A bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company, more than 90 per centum of the stock of which is owned directly or indirectly by the United States or by any corporation of which the United States directly or indirectly owns more than 90 per centum of the stock.

"(2) A bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company which has been placed formally in liquidation or which is in the hands of a receiver, conservator, or other official exercising similar functions.

"(3) A corporation principally engaged in international or foreign banking or banking in a dependency or insular possession of the United States which has entered into an agreement with the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System pursuant to section 25 of the Federal Reserve Act.

"(4) A bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company, more than 50 per centum of the common stock of which is owned directly or indirectly by persons who own directly or indirectly more than 50 per centum of the common stock of such member bank.

"(5) A bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company not located and having no branch in the same city, town, or village as that in which such member bank or any branch thereof is located, or in any city, town, or village contiguous or adjacent thereto.

"(6) A bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company not engaged in a class or classes of business in which such member bank is engaged.

"(7) A mutual savings bank having no capital stock.

"Until February 1, 1939, nothing in this section shall prohibit any director, officer, of employee of any member bank of the Federal Reserve System, or any branch thereof, who is lawfully serving at the same time as a private banker or as a director, officer, or employee of any other bank, banking association, savings bank, or trust company, or any branch thereof, on the date of enactment of the Banking Act of 1935, from continuing such service.

"The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System is authorized and directed to enforce compliance with this section, and to prescribe such rules and regulations as it deems necessary for that purpose."

Sec. 330. (a) Section 1 of the Act of November 7, 1918, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 33; Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 33), is amended by striking out the second proviso down to and including the words "to be ascertained" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "And provided further, That if such consolidation shall be voted for at said meetings by the necessary majorities of the shareholders of each of the associations proposing to consolidated, any shareholder of any of the associations so consolidated, who has voted against such consolidation at the meeting of the association of which he is a shareholder or has given notice in writing at or prior to such meeting to the presiding officer that he dissents from the plan of consolidation, shall be entitled to receive the value of the shares so held by him if and when said consolidation shall be approved by the Comptroller of the Currency, such value to be ascertained as of the date of the Comptroller's approval."

(b) Such section 1 is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraphs:

"Publication of notice and notification by registered mail of the meeting provided for in the foregoing paragraph may be waived by unanimous action of the shareholders of the respective associations. Where a dissenting shareholder has given notice as above provided to the association of which he is a shareholder of his dissent from the plan of consolidation, and the directors thereof fail for more than thirty days thereafter to appoint an appraiser of the value of his shares, said shareholder may request the Comptroller of the Currency to appoint such appraiser to act on the appraisal committee for and on behalf of such association.

"If shares, when sold at public auction in accordance with this section, realize a price greater than their final appraised value, the excess in such sale price shall be paid to the shareholder. The consolidated association shall be liable for all liabilities of the respective consolidating associations. In the event one of the appraisers fails to agree with the others as to the value of said shares, then the valuation of the remaining appraisers shall govern."

Sec. 331. (a) Section 3 of the Act of November 7, 1918, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 34 (a)), is amended by striking out the first sentence following the proviso down to and including the words "to be ascertained" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "If such consolidation shall be voted for at said meetings by the necessary majorities of the shareholders of the association and of the State or other bank proposing to consolidate, and thereafter the consolidation shall be approved by the Comptroller of the Currency, any shareholder of either the association or the State or other bank so consolidated, who has voted against such consolidation at the meeting of the association of which he is a stockholder, or has given notice in writing at or prior to such meeting to the presiding officer that he dissents from the plan of consolidation, shall be entitled to receive the value of the shares so held by him if and when said consolidation shall be approved by the Comptroller of the Currency, such value to be ascertained as of the date of the Comptroller's approval."

(b) Such section 3 is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"Where a dissenting shareholder has given notice as provided in this section to the bank of which he is a shareholder of his dissent from the plan of consolidation, and the directors thereof fail for more than thirty days thereafter to appoint an appraiser of the value of his shares, said shareholder may request the Comptroller of the Currency to appoint such appraiser to act on the appraisal committee for and on behalf of such bank. In the event one of the appraisers fails to agree with the others as to the value of said shares, then the valuation of the remaining appraisers shall govern."

Sec. 333. The Act entitled "An Act to prohibit offering for sale as Federal farm-loan bonds any securities not issued under the terms of the Farm Loan Act, to limit the use of the words 'Federal', 'United States', or 'reserve', or a combination of such words, to prohibit false advertising, and for other purposes", approved May 24, 1926 (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, secs. 584–588), is amended by inserting in section 2 thereof after "the words 'United States'", the following: "the words 'Deposit Insurance'"; and by inserting in said section after the words "the laws of the United States", the following: "nor to any new bank organized by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as provided in section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended,"; and by striking out the period at the end of section 4 and inserting the following: "or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation."

Sec. 333. The Act entitled "An Act to provide punishment for certain offenses committed against banks organized or operating under laws of the United States or any member of the Federal Reserve System", approved May 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 783), is amended by striking out the period after "United States" in the first section thereof and inserting the following: "and any insured bank as defined in subsection (c) of section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended."

Sec. 334. Section 5143 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is hereby amended by striking out everything following the words "Comptroller of the Currency", where such words last appear in such section, and substituting the following: "and no shareholder shall be entitled to any distribution of cash or other assets by reason of any reduction of the common capital of any association unless such distribution shall have been approved by the Comptroller of the Currency and by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the shares of each class of stock outstanding, voting as classes."

Sec. 335. Section 5139 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is amended by adding at the end of the first paragraph the following new paragraph:

"Certificates hereafter issued representing shares of stock of the association shall state (1) the name and location of the association, (2) the name of the holder of record of the stock represented therby, (3) the number and class of shares which the certificate represents, and (4) if the association shall issue stock of more than one class, the respective rights, preferences, privileges, voting rights, powers, restrictions, limitations, and qualifications of each class of stock issued shall be stated in full or in summary upon the front or back of the certificates or shall be incorporated by a reference to the articles of association set forth on the front of the certificates. Every certificate shall be signed by the president and the cashier of the association, or by such other officers as the bylaws of the association shall provide, and shall be sealed with the seal of the association."

Sec. 336. The last sentence of section 301 of the Emergency Banking and Bank Conservation Act, approved March 9, 1933, as amended, is amended to read as follows: "No issue of preferred stock shall be valid until the par value of all stock so issued shall be paid in and notice thereof, duly acknowledged before a notary public by the president, vice president, or cashier of said association, has been transmitted to the Comptroller of the Currency and his certificate obtained specifying the amount of such issue of preferred stock and his approval thereof and that the amount has been duly paid in as a part of the capital of such association; which certificate shall be deemed to be conclusive evidence that such preferred stock has been duly and validly issued."

Sec. 337. The additional liability imposed by section 4 of the Act of March 4, 1933, as amended (D. C. Code, Supp. I, title 5, sec. 300a), upon the shareholders of savings banks, savings companies, and banking institutions and the additional liability imposed by section 734 of the Act of March 3, 1901 (D. C. Code, title 5, sec. 361), upon the shareholders of trust companies, shall cease to apply on July 1, 1937, with respect to such savings banks, savings companies, banking institutions, and trust companies which shall be transacting business on such date: Provided, That not less than six months prior to such date, the savings bank, savings company, banking institution, or trust company, desiring to take advantage hereof, shall have caused notice of such prospective termination of liability to be published in a newspaper published in the District of Columbia and having general circulation therein. In the event of failure to give such notice as and when above provided, a termination of such additional liability may thereafter be accomplished as of the date six months subsequent to publication in the manner above provided. Each such savings bank, savings company, banking institution, and trust company shall, before the declaration of a dividend on its shares of common stock, carry not less than one-tenth part of its net profits of the preceding half year to its surplus fund until the same shall equal the amount of its common stock: Provided, That for the purposes of this section, any amounts paid into a fund for the retirement of any preferred stock or debentures of any such savings bank, savings company, banking institution, or trust company, out of its net earnings for such half-year period shall be deemed to be an addition to its surplus if, upon the retirement of such preferred stock or debentures, the amount so paid into such retirement fund for such period may then properly be carried to surplus. In any such case the savings bank, savings company, banking institution, or trust company shall be obligated to transfer to surplus the amount so paid into such retirement fund for such period on account of the preferred stock or debentures as such stock or debentures are retired.

Sec. 338. The second paragraph of section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and adding thereto the following: "except that the approval of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, instead of the Comptroller of the Currency, shall be obtained before any State member bank may hereafter establish any branch and before any State bank hereafter admitted to membership may retain any branch established after February 25, 1927, beyond the limits of the city, town, or village in which the parent bank is situated."

Sec. 339. Section 5234 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 192), is amended by striking out the period after the words "money so deposited" at the end of the next to the last sentence of such section and inserting in lieu of such period a colon and the following: "Provided, That no security in the form of deposit of United States bonds, or otherwise, shall be required in the case of such parts of the deposits as are insured under section 12B of the Federal

Sec. 340. Section 61 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United Reserve Act, as amended."

States", approved July 1, 1898, as amended, is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof a colon and the following: "Provided, That no security in form of a bond or otherwise shall be required in the case of such part of the deposits as are insured under section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended".

Sec. 341. Section 8 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish postal savings depositories for depositing savings at interest with the security of the Government for repayment thereof, and for other purposes", approved June 25, 1910, as amended (U. S. C., title 39, sec. 758; Supp. VII, title 39, sec. 758), is amended by striking out the first sentence thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Notwithstanding any other provision of law, (1) each deposit in a postal savings depository office shall be a savings deposit, and interest thereon shall be allowed and entered to the credit of the depositor once for each quarter beginning with the first day of the month following the date of such deposit, but no interest shall be allowed to any such depositor with respect to the whole or any part of the funds to his or her credit for any period of less than three months; (2) no interest shall be paid on any such deposit at a rate in excess of that which may lawfully be paid on savings deposits under regulations prescribed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System pursuant to the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, for member banks of the Federal Reserve System located in or nearest to the place where such depository office is situated; and (3) postal savings depositories may deposit funds on time in member banks of the Federal Reserve System subject to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, and the regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, with respect to the payment of time deposits and interest thereon."

Sec. 342. The last sentence of the third paragraph of subsection (k) of section 11 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended (U. S. C., title 12, sec. 248(k)), is amended to read as follows: "The State banking authorities may have access to reports of examination made by the Comptroller of the Currency insofar as such reports relate to the trust department of such bank, but nothing in this Act shall be construed as authorizing the State banking authorities to examine the books, records, and assets of such bank."

Sec. 343. The first sentence after the third proviso of section 5240 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, secs. 481 and 482), is amended by striking out the word "is" after the words "whose compensation" and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "including retirement annuities to be fixed by the Comptroller of the Currency, is and shall be"; and such section 5240 is further amended by striking out "The Federal Reserve Board, upon the recommendation of the Comptroller of the Currency," and inserting in lieu thereof "The Comptroller of the Currency."

Sec. 344. (a) Section 1 of the National Housing Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "The Administrator shall, in carrying out the provisions of this title and titles II and III, be authorized, in his official capacity, to sue and be sued in any court of competent jurisdiction, State or Federal."

(b) The first sentence of section 2 of the National Housing Act, as amended, is further amended by striking out the words "including the the installation of equipment and machinery" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and the purchase and installation of equipment and machinery on real property".

(c) Subsection (a) of section 203 of the National Housing Act is amended by inserting the words "property and" before the word "projects" in clause (1) of such subsection.

(d) The last sentence of section 207 of the National Housing Act is amended by inserting the words "property or" before the word "project".

Sec. 345. If any part of the capital of a national bank, State member bank, or bank applying for membership in the Federal Reserve System consists of preferred stock, the determination of whether or not the capital of such bank is impaired and the amount of such impairment shall be based upon the par value of its stock even though the amount which the holders of such preferred stock shall be entitled to receive in the event of retirement or liquidation shall be in excess of the par value of such preferred stock. If any such bank or trust company shall have outstanding any capital notes or debentures of the type which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized to purchase pursuant to the provisions of section 304 of the Emergency Banking and Bank Conservation Act, approved March 9, 1933, as amended, the capital of such bank may be deemed to be unimpaired if the sound value of its assets is not less than its total liabilities, including capital stock, but excluding such capital notes or debentures and any obligations of the bank expressly subordinated thereto. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the holders of preferred stock issued by a national banking association pursuant to the provisions of the Emergency Banking and Bank Conservation Act, approved March 9, 1933, as amended, shall be entitled to receive such cumulative dividends at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum on the purchase price received by the association for such stock and, in the event of the retirement of such stock, to receive such retirement price, not in excess of such purchase price plus all accumulated dividends, as may be provided in the articles of association with the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency. If the association is placed in voluntary liquidation, or if a conservator or a receiver is appointed therefor, no payment shall be made to the holders of common stock until the holders of preferred stock shall have been paid in full such amount as may be provided in the articles of association with the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, not in excess of such purchase price of such preferred stock plus all accumulated dividends.

Sec. 346. If any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the Act, and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances, shall not be affected thereby.

And the Senate agree to the same.

CARTER GLASS,
DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
ROBERT J. BULKLEY,
JOHN G. TOWNSEND, JR.,
WM. G. MCADOO,
PETER NORBECK,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

HENRY B. STEAGALL,
T. ALAN GOLDSBOROUGH,
JOHN B. HOLLISTER,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

On motion by Mr. Wagner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3151) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act.

Mr. Wagner raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Russell in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The reported amendment was amended on the motion of Mr. Wagner, and, as amended, agreed to.

Pending further debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Truman in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8651) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed 74 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 258, H. R. 607, H. R. 616, H. R. 704, H. R. 760, H. R. 830, H. R. 1368, H. R. 1420, H. R. 1437, H. R. 1714, H. R. 1880, H. R. 2024, H. R. 2118, H. R. 2126, H. R. 2130, H. R. 2319, H. R. 2411, H. R. 2432, H. R. 2443, H. R. 2476, H. R. 2555, H. R. 2690, H. R. 2730, H. R. 2970, H. R. 3147, H. R. 3202, H. R. 3282, H. R. 3509, H. R. 3546, H. R. 3759, H. R. 3965, H. R. 3967, H. R. 4513, H. R. 4568, H. R. 4827, H. R. 4831, H. R. 4860, H. R. 4923, H. R. 5099, H. R. 5122, H. R. 5325, H. R. 5347, H. R. 5375, H. R. 5415, H. R. 5492, H. R. 5550, H. R. 5654, H. R. 5816, H. R. 5838, H. R. 5971, H. R. 6177, H. R. 6267, H. R. 6268, H. R. 6269, H. R. 6275, H. R. 6602, H. R. 6869, H. R. 7099, H. R. 7438, H. R. 7520, H. R. 7577, H. R. 7938, H. R. 7955, H. R. 7998, H. R. 8026, H. R. 8492, H. R. 8519, H. R. 8580, H. R. 8581, H. R. 8668, H. R. 8710, H. R. 8790, H. R. 8845, and H. R. 8991, and three enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 129, H. J. Res. 189, and H. J. Res. 257, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

H. R. 258. An act for the relief of Emma B. Hine;
H. R. 607. An act for the relief of Florence Overly;
H. R. 616. An act for the relief of Homer J. Williamson;
H. R. 704. An act for the relief of Thelbert Davis;
H. R. 760. An act for the relief of John L. Hoffman;
H. R. 830. An act for the relief of Sanford Madison Strange;
H. R. 1368. An act for the relief of Virden Thompson;
H. R. 1420. An act to provide for the Andrew Johnson Homestead National Monument;
H. R. 1437. An act for the relief of August A. Carminati;
H. R. 1714. An act for the relief of Russell H. Lindsay;
H. R. 1880. An act for the relief of Ivan H. McCormack;
H. R. 2024. An act for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899;
H. R. 2118. An act for the relief of John P. Seabrook;
H. R. 2126. An act for the relief of Hugh G. Lisk;
H. R. 2130. An act for the relief of John M. McNulty;
H. R. 2319. An act for the relief of Oswald Orlando;
H. R. 2411. An act for the relief of E. F. Purvis;
H. R. 2432. An act for the relief of the Weis-Patterson Lumber Co., Inc.;
H. R. 2443. An act for the relief of Milton Hatch;
H. R. 2476. An act to grant a patent to Albert M. Johnson and Walter Scott;
H. R. 2555. An act to extend to Sgt. Maj. Edmund S. Sayer, United States Marine Corps (retired), the benefits of the act of May 7, 1932, providing highest World War rank to retired enlisted men;
H. R. 2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson;
H. R. 2730. An act for the relief of Thomas Harris McLaughlin;
H. R. 2970. An act for the relief of Jose Munden;
H. R. 3147. An act for the relief of Will A. Helmer;
H. R. 3202. An act for the relief of W. H. Greene;
H. R. 3282. An act for the relief of Nina Drips;
H. R. 3509. An act for the relief of the legal guardian of Nick Vasilzevic;
H. R. 3546. An act for the relief of Sarah Elizabeth Ballentyne;
H. R. 3759. An act for the relief of E. H. Jennings;
H. R. 3965. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey;
H. R. 3967. An act for the relief of Raymond Parramore;
H. R. 4513. An act to authorize payment of claims for unauthorized emergency treatment of World War veterans;
H. R. 4568. An act for the relief of Forrest D. Stout;
H. R. 4827. An act for the relief of Don C. Fees;
H. R. 4831. An act for the relief of L. E. Geary;
H. R. 4860. An act for the relief of Judson Stokes;
H. R. 4923. An act for the relief of Maj. E. Leslie Medford, United States property and disbursing officer for Maryland;
H. R. 5099. An act for the relief of Albert Henry George;
H. R. 5122. An act for the relief of R. C. McCoy, J. L. Garner, C. G. Kauffman, W. G. Smiley, R. A. Burks, C. W. Brazzelton, R. F. Brazzelton, Dave Cash, Mrs. A. W. Dykes, Jim Thereldkeld, R. R. Crain, J. B. Tolson, J. C. Rogers, S. K. Broach, Albert Easterling, J. L. Rivers, F. C. Wilson, E. C. Finley, W. W. Mitchell, J. G. Carey, Carl Graves, Jerome Dupree, J. R. Mitchell, J. L. Mitchell, and J. C. Russell;
H. R. 5325. An act for the relief of Ira L. Reeves;
H. R. 5347. An act for the relief of Bertha Moseley Bottoms;
H. R. 5375. An act relating to the compensation of certain charwomen;
H. R. 5415. An act to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States;
H. R. 5492. An act for the relief of Henry Scipper;
H. R. 5550. An act for the relief of Malachy Ryan;
H. R. 5654. An act to authorize the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claim of Samuel W. Carter;
H. R. 5816. An act for the relief of May C. Gustin;
H. R. 5838. An act to place David J. Fitzgerald on the retired list of the United States Army as a first lieutenant;
H. R. 5971. An act for the relief of Charles Pine;
H. R. 6177. An act for the relief of Brooker T. Wilkins;
H. R. 6267. An act for the relief of Wint Rowland;

H. R. 6268. An act for the relief of W. C. Wright;
H. R. 6269. An act for the relief of W. H. Keyes;
H. R. 6275. An act for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston;
H. R. 6602. An act for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap;
H. R. 6869. An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin to submit claims to the Court of Claims;
H. R. 7099. An act for the relief of Rocco D'Amato;
H. R. 7438. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934;
H. R. 7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale;
H. R. 7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith;
H. R. 7938. An act to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station on Mount Desert Island in the State of Maine as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes;
H. R. 7955. An act to establish a new division of the northern district of Georgia with terms of court to be held at Newnan, Ga.;
H. R. 7998. An act to exempt from taxation official compensation of certain foreign representatives and to provide for the deductibility from income of certain dividends on preferred stock owned by the United States or instrumentalities thereof;
H. R. 8026. An act to establish and promote the use of standards of classification for tobacco, to provide and maintain an official tobacco inspection service, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8492. An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8519. An act requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public buildings or public work;
H. R. 8580. An act to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia;
H. R. 8581. An act to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia;
H. R. 8668. An act providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce;
H. R. 8710. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935;
H. R. 8790. An act to amend section 6 of the act of February 28, 1925;
H. R. 8845. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8991. An act to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration Facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity;
H. J. Res. 129. Joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Puerto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, to permit an adjudication with respect to liens of the United States arising by virtue of loans under such joint resolution;
H. J. Res. 189. Joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners; and
H. J. Res. 257. Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Puerto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, as amended by the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1929, approved March 4, 1929.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

BANKING ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,
The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7617) to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes; and
Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.
Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

The bill (H. R. 8651) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent; and considered; and no amendment being made,
Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.
The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent.
On the question, Shall the bill pass,
It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas---------- 76 / Nays---------- 3}
On motion by Mr. Robinson,
The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senator's present,
Senators who voted in the affirmative are—
Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Guffy, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Wheeler, and White.
Senators who voted in the negative are—
Hale, Hastings, and Metcalf.
So it was
Resolved, That the bill pass.
Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.
Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the bill (S. 3151) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act be postponed indefinitely.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they presented to the President of the United States enrolled bills and joint resolution, as follows:
On August 16, 1935:
S. 739. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix in the State of New York;
S. 985. An act for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.;
S. 1046. An act for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;
S. 2073. An act to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes;
S. 2247. An act directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico;

S. 2361. An act to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices;
S. 2695. An act to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo.;
S. 2577. An act to eliminate the requirement of cultivation in connection with certain homestead entries; and
S. 2993. An act for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts.
On August 19, 1935:
S. 578. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes;
S. 634. An act to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes;
S. 2156. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.;
S. 2556. An act to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895;
S. 2832. An act to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods;
S. 3058. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes;
S. 3123. An act to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes;
S. 3311. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended; and
S. J. Res. 69. Joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

REORGANIZATION OF RAILROADS

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,
Ordered, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 8587) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.
On motion by Mr. Wheeler that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the said bill,
Pending debate,
Mr. Lewis renewed his motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 2665) to change the name of the Department of the Interior and to coordinate certain governmental functions,
Mr. McNary raised a question, viz, that Mr. Wheeler's motion was the pending question, and it was not in order to move to substitute one bill for another.
The Presiding Officer (Mr. Reynolds in the chair) sustained the question of order.
Pending debate,
On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,
The further consideration of the motion was postponed until tomorrow.

SEA-FOOD SHIPMENTS

On motion by Mr. Harrison, and by unanimous consent,
The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3194) to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended; and no amendment being made,
Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.
The said bill was read the third time.
Resolved, That it pass.

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Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Barkley,
The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,
On motion by Mr. Barkley, at 4 o'clock and 45 minutes p. m.,
The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,
The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;
Whereupon
The Vice President directed the roll to be called;
When
Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:
Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.
A quorum being present,

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by Local No. 18, Cook County Branch, Illinois Workers Alliance, of Chicago, Ill., favoring the adoption of the so-called "Workers' Rights Amendment" to the Constitution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
The Vice President laid before the Senate the following telegrams and petition:
A telegram from the Commander Wisconsin Department of the United Spanish War Veterans, of Milwaukee, Wis., thanking the Senate for the passage of the act restoring pensions to Spanish-American War veterans;
A telegram from the chairman North Carolina Labor Voters League, of Salisbury, N. C., endorsing the bill providing for a retirement system for railroad employees; and
A petition of citizens of the State of Iowa praying the passage of said bill.
Ordered, That they lie on the table.
Mr. Tydings presented a petition of employees of the Mail Equipment Shops, of Washington, D. C., praying their inclusion in pending legislation providing for 30 days annual leave for Federal employees; which was ordered to lie on the table.
Mr. Copeland presented a resolution adopted by the Port Jervis Bar Association, of Port Jervis, N. Y., favoring the passage of legislation to make unlawful the practice of law before Government departments and agencies by other than duly licensed attorneys at law; which was ordered to lie on the table.
Mr. Radcliffe presented petitions of the First Baptist Church of Frederick, and four churches of Myersville and vicinity, in the State of Maryland, praying the preservation of peace and the outlawry of war as a national policy in settling international disputes; which were referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Trammell, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8345) authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1407) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2077. A bill to authorize the presentation of the Distinguished Service Cross to William A. Sullivan (Rept. No. 1408); and

S. 2820. A bill to amend the Public Works Appropriation Act of 1935 making available not to exceed $1,000,000 for the alteration of carriages of three thousand two hundred 75-millimeter guns now in storage (Rept. No. 1409).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8444) to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1414) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1642) for the relief of Sophie Caffrey, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1410) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3197. A bill to repeal a provision of section 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Everglades National Park in the State of Florida, and for other purposes", approved May 30, 1934 (Rept. No. 1411); and

H. R. 8133. An act to authorize certain homestead settlers or entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1413).

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5790) for the relief of certain creditors of J. R. & J. A. Whelan, Inc., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1412) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3424) to continue Electric Home and Farm Authority as an agency of the United States until February 1937, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Reynolds, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1443) granting the Distinguished Service Cross, also the Oak Leaf Cluster, to Acors Rathbun Thompson, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1415) thereon.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3338) for the relief of Julia Krenz, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1416) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7927) to authorize the Secretary of State to lease to citizens of the United States any land heretofore or hereafter acquired under any act, Executive order, or treaty in connection with projects, in whole or in part constructed or administered by the Secretary of State through the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, American section, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1417) thereon.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, subsequently proceeded to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 350) to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1418) thereon.

Mr. Hatch, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2039) making it a felony to transport in interstate or foreign commerce persons to be employed to obstruct or interfere with the right of peaceful picketing during labor controversies, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1420) thereon.

Mr. Nye, by unanimous consent, from the Special Committee on Investigation of the Munitions Industry, created under Senate Resolution 206, Seventy-third Congress, submitted a preliminary report on war-time taxation and price control, which, with the accompanying illustrations, was ordered to be printed as part 2 of Report No. 944.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Murphy:

A bill (S. 3441) for the relief of C. T. Hird; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McKellar:

A bill (S. 3442) granting a pension to Hattie Harvey; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3443) for the relief of Capt. Gilbert E. Bixby; and

A bill (S. 3444) for the relief of R. H. Keene (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Claims.

By Mrs. Caraway:

A bill (S. 3445) to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to release the claim of the United States to certain land within the Ouachita National Forest, Ark.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3446) relative to limitation of shipowners' liability; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Hayden:

A bill (S. 3447) to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the collection and editing of official papers of the Territories of the United States now in the National Archives", approved March 3, 1925, as amended; to the Committee on Printing.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3448) authorizing the President to appoint Maj. James W. Barber, Quartermaster Reserve Corps, a major in the Regular Army of the United States; and

A bill (S. 3449) authorizing the President to appoint Capt. E. Lynwood Clough, Infantry Reserve, a captain of Infantry in the Regular Army of the United States; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. King:

A bill (S. 3450) to regulate the sales of goods in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. Schall:

A bill (S. 3451) relative to the issuance of badges or license tags for dogs especially trained as aids to the blind, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 3050) granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.

I am directed to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes, together with the accompanying papers.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 265) pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando de Soto; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Keller, Mr. Secrest, and Mr. Treadway managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 9070) to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and/or completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes; it has receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 71 to the said bill and agreed to the same with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed six enrolled bills, viz, S. 491, S. 1988, S. 2626, S. 2743, S. 3060, and S. 3135, and three enrolled joint resolutions, viz, S. J. Res. 59, S. J. Res. 122, and S. J. Res. 168, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 491. An act for the relief of Fred Herrick;

S. 1988. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr.;

S. 2626. An act to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2743. An act to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone;

S. 3060. An act to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed, and for other purposes;

S. 3135. An act to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States;

S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission; and

S. J. Res. 168. Joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 9070, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REORGANIZATION OF RAILROADS

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Wheeler's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8587) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

After debate,

The motion was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

After debate,

No amendment being made,

Ordered, That the bill pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. Wheeler, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the foregoing bill and the vote ordering its third reading were reconsidered; and

The bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Barkley.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1832. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, New Mexico, reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years; and

S. 3336. An act to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes.

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Palmisano, Mr. Ellenbogen, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

PROTECTION AND USE OF PUBLIC GRAZING LANDS

Mr. Adams submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269), having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

That the first sentence of section 1 of the act entitled "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934, is amended by striking out the words "eighty million" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and forty-two million."

Sec. 2. Section 7 of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 7. That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to examine and classify any lands withdrawn or reserved by Executive orders of November 26, 1934 (numbered 6910), February 5, 1935 (numbered 6964), and May 20, 1935 (numbered 7048), or within a grazing district, which are more valuable or suitable for the production of agricultural crops than for the production of native

grasses and forage plants, or more valuable or suitable for any other use than for the use provided for under this act, and to open such lands to entry, selection, or location for disposal in accordance with such classification under applicable public-land laws, except that homestead entries shall not be allowed for tracts exceeding three hundred and twenty acres in area. Such lands shall not be subject to disposition, settlement, or occupation until after the same have been classified and opened to entry: Provided, That locations and entries under the mining laws, including the act of February 25, 1920, as amended, may be made upon such withdrawn and reserved areas without regard to classification and without restrictions or limitation by any provision of this act. Where such lands are located within grazing districts reasonable notice shall be given by the Secretary of the Interior to any grazing permittee of such lands. The applicant, after his entry, selection, or location is allowed, shall be entitled to the possession and use of such lands: Provided, That upon the application of any applicant qualified to make entry, selection, or location, under the public-land laws, filed in the land office of the proper district, the Secretary of the Interior shall cause any tract to be classified, and such application, if allowed by the Secretary of the Interior, shall entitle the applicant to a preference right to enter, select, or locate such lands if opened to entry as herein provided."

Sec. 3. Section 8 of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 8. That where such action will promote the purposes of the district or facilitate its administration, the Secretary is authorized and directed to accept on behalf of the United States any lands within the exterior boundaries of a district as a gift, or, when public interests will be benefited thereby and such action will promote the consolidation of the land holdings of any owner, he is authorized and directed to accept on behalf of the United States title to any privately owned lands within or without the boundaries of said grazing district, and in exchange therefor to issue patent for not to exceed an equal value of surveyed grazing district land or of unreserved surveyed public land in the same State or within a distance of not more than fifty miles within the adjoining State nearest the base lands."

Sec. 4. Such act is amended by adding the following new section:

"Sec. 8–A. Upon application of any State to exchange lands within or without the boundaries of a grazing district the Secretary of the Interior shall and is hereby directed to proceed with such exchange at the earliest practicable date in the manner now provided by law for the exchange of lands with the States and to cooperate fully with the States to that end, but no State shall be permitted to select lieu lands in another State. In making such exchange the United States shall patent to such State an equal value of surveyed grazing land or of unreserved surveyed public land. Areas and values of unsurveyed lands within or without grazing districts may be approximated by protraction or otherwise for the purpose of effecting exchanges of State lands. No State, however, shall select public lands within a grazing district in furtherance of any exchange except for the purpose of consolidating its land holdings located in such area. No fee shall be charged the State for any exchange of land made under this act except one-half of the cost of publishing notice of a proposed exchange as herein provided.

"Before any such exchange under this section or under section 8 hereof shall be effected notice of the contemplated exchange, describing the lands involved, shall be published by the Secretary of the Interior once each week for four successive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties in which may be situated the lands to be accepted, and in the same manner in some like newspaper published in any county in which may be situated any lands to be given in such exchange; lands conveyed to the United States under this act shall, upon acceptance of title, become public lands, and if located within the exterior boundaries of a grazing district they shall become a part of the district within the boundaries of which they are located: Provided, That either party to an exchange under this or the preceding section may make reservations of minerals, easements, or rights of use, the values of which shall be duly considered in determining the values of the exchanged lands. Where reservations are made in lands conveyed to the United States the right to enjoy them shall be subject to such reasonable conditions respecting ingress and egress and the use of the surface of the land as may be deemed necessary by the Secretary of the Interior. Where mineral reservations are made in lands conveyed by the United States, it shall be so stipulated in the patent, and any person who acquires the right to mine and remove the reserved mineral deposits may enter and occupy so much of the surface as may be required for all purposes incident to the mining and removal of the minerals therefrom, and may mine and remove such minerals, upon payment to the owner of the surface for damages caused to the land and improvements thereon."

Sec. 5. Section 10 of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 10. That, except as provided in sections 9 and 11 hereof, all moneys received under the authority of this act shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States as miscellaneous receipts, but 25 per centum of all moneys received under this act during any fiscal year is hereby made available, when appropriated by the Congress, for expenditure by the Secretary of the Interior for the construction, purchase, or maintenance of range improvements, and 50 per centum of the money received under this act during any fiscal year shall be paid at the end thereof by the Secretary of the Treasury to the State in which the grazing districts or the lands producing such moneys are situated, to be expended as the State Legislature of such State may prescribe for the benefit of the county or counties in which the grazing districts or the lands producing such moneys are situated: Provided, That if any grazing district or any leased tract is in more than one State or county, the distributive share to each from the proceeds of said district or leased tract shall be proportional to its area in said district or leased tract."

Sec. 6. Section 15 of such act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 15. The Secretary of the Interior is further authorized, in his discretion, where lands of the public domain are so situated as not to justify their inclusion in any grazing district to be established pursuant to this act, to lease any such lands for grazing purposes, upon such terms and conditions as the Secretary may prescribe: Provided, That preference shall be given to owners, homesteaders, lessees, or other lawful occupants of contiguous lands to the extent necessary to permit proper use of such contiguous lands, except, that when such isolated or disconnected tracts embrace 760 acres or less, the owners, homesteaders, lessees, or other lawful occupants of lands contiguous thereto, shall be entitled to receive such leases thereto: Provided further, That the issuance of such a lease shall not be construed to prevent the sale, exchange, or other disposition of lands as authorized by this act."

Sec. 7. Such act is further amended by adding the following new section:

"Sec. 17. The Secretary of the Interior shall have power to select a Director of Grazing and such assistant directors of grazing, graziers, and such other employees, as shall be necessary to administer this act without regard to the provisions of the civil-service laws. The Secretary of the Interior shall give consideration to the practical range experience in public land States of the persons selected for such positions.

"No assistant director of grazing, grazier, or other employee shall be appointed who is not at the time of appointment or selection a bona fide citizen and resident of the State, or of one of the States, in which such director, grazier, or other employee is to serve."

Sec. 8. Such act is further amended by adding the following new section:

"Sec. 18. (a) All vacant, unappropriated, and unreserved nonmineral lands of the public domain which are situated in isolated or disconnected tracts of seven hundred and sixty acres or less which, at the expiration of two years after the passage of this act, as amended, are not included within the boundaries of any grazing district established pursuant to this act, as amended, and which during such period have not been ordered into the market for sale under the provisions of section 2455 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, or leased under the provisions of this act, or selected for exchange under the provisions of this act, are hereby granted to the several States in which such lands are situated for the use or benefit of the common schools of such States.

"(b) No part of the grant made by this section shall become effective as to any State until such State, through its legislature, shall have accepted such grant, and such acceptance, duly certified, has been received by the Secretary of the Interior. Upon the receipt of such acceptance, which must be made within a period of four years after the date of enactment of this act, as amended, the grant shall immediately become effective as to such State, irrespective of the action of other States, and the Secretary shall immediately notify the local land offices in such State of such fact. The Secretary shall also cause to be delivered to the proper officials of such State, such maps, records, books, and documents as may be necessary for the enjoyment, control, use, administration, and disposition of such lands."

Title II—BADLANDS NATIONAL MONUMENT

Section 1. The boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, as established by the act of March 4, 1929 (45 Stat. 1553), shall be, and are hereby, extended to include such lands adjacent or contiguous thereto, in the State of South Dakota, including but not being restricted to, lands designated as submarginal by the Resettlement Administration, as may be determined by the President, by proclamation, within five years following the approval of this act, to be necessary for the proper rounding out of the boundaries of said Monument or the administration thereof, providing the entire area of such Monument shall not exceed 250,000 acres.

Sec. 2. That the provisions of the act of August 25, 1916, entitled "An act to establish a National Park Service and for other purposes", as amended, are hereby made applicable to and extended over such lands as may be added to the Monument under the authority of the foregoing section.

And the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the title of the bill, and agree to the same.

KEY PITTMAN,
ALVA B. ADAMS,
CARL A. HATCH,
PETER NORBECK,
GERALD P. NYE,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
RENÉ L. DEROUEN,
J. W. ROBINSON,
ROY E. AYERS,
HARRY L. ENGLEBRIGHT,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

COUNSEL IN CERTAIN CASES

On motion by Mr. Ashurst, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3433) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases; and no amendment being made.

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

FOREIGN DECORATIONS FOR PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE OFFICIALS

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 169) granting permission to Hugh S. Cumming, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service; John D. Long, medical director, United States Public Health Service; Bolivar J. Lloyd, medical director, United States Public Health Service; and Clifford R. Eskey, surgeon, United States Public Health Service, to accept and wear certain decorations bestowed upon them by the Governments of Ecuador, Chile, Peru, and Cuba; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGES FOR NEW YORK

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 3389. A bill to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the southern district of New York; and

S. 3414. A bill to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

FOUR HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF HERNANDO DE SOTO EXPEDITION

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Duffy in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 265) pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Barkley, Mr. McKellar, and Mr. Norbeck.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 392) making appropriations to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to conventions in the District of Columbia in August 1935, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The joint resolution H. J. Res. 392 this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS COAL MINING INDUSTRY

On motion by Mr. Neely that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties,

Mr. White raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. King, Mr. Copeland, and Mr. Capper.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

BRIDGE ACROSS LAKE CHAMPLAIN AT WEST SWANTON, VT.

On motion by Mr. Gibson, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the amendment heretofore received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 2681) to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt., and for other purposes, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt."; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PUBLIC WORKS ON RIVERS AND HARBORS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the amendment of the Senate numbered 71 to the said bill.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 37), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in the enrollment of the bill (H. R. 6732) authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to make the following changes:

Page 16, line 11, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "4" and insert *3.*

Page 25, line 12, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "5" and insert *4.*

Page 26, line 2, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "6" and insert *5.*

Page 26, line 12, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "7" and insert *6.*

Page 26, line 13, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "8" and insert *7.*

Page 26, line 14, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "9" and insert *8.*

Page 26, line 15, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "10" and insert *9.*

Page 26, line 16, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "11" and insert *10.*

Page 26, line 18, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "12" and insert *11.*

Page 27, line 3, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "13" and insert *12.*

Page 27, line 5, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "14" and insert *13.*

Page 27, line 12, of the Senate engrossed amendment strike out "15" and insert *14.*

ENROLLMENT OF RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 37) to authorize and direct the Clerk of the House of Representatives in the enrollment of H. R. 6732 authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, to make certain changes, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

EMBARGO ON SHIPMENT OF ARMS AND AMMUNITION TO BELLIGERENT COUNTRIES

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations be permitted to make a report during the recess for printing.

Mr. Pittman, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the following bill and joint resolutions—

S. 2998. A bill to control the trade in arms, ammunition, and implements of war;

S. J. Res. 99. Joint resolution to regulate the issuance of passports to American citizens in time of war;

S. J. Res. 100. Joint resolution to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans under certain conditions; and

S. J. Res. 120. Joint resolution to prohibit the export of arms and ammunition and to regulate trade in contraband of war under certain conditions—

reported in lieu thereof a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent States; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war, with an accompanying report (no. 1419); which said joint resolution was read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS-COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Neely's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous-coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes.

Mr. Austin raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. O'Mahoney in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-eight Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Neely's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas ---------- 51 / Nays ---------- 20 }

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Duffy, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, La Follette, Lewis, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Burke, Dieterich, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Hastings, King, Logan, Metcalf, Nye, Russell, Schall, Steiwer, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So the motion was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

Mr. Smith submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (H. R. 8632) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the said bill and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter inserted by the amendment of the Senate insert the following:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subdivision (i) of section 4 of the act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933, be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding thereto the following proviso: "Provided, That nothing contained herein or elsewhere in this act shall be construed to deprive the Corporation of the rights conferred by the act of February 26, 1931 (46 Stat. 1422, ch. 307, secs. 1 to 5, inclusive), as now compiled in section 258a to 258e, inclusive, of Title 40 of the United States Code."

Sec. 2. That subdivision (j) of said section 4 of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"(j) Shall have power to construct such dams, and reservoirs, in the Tennessee River and its tributaries, as in conjunction with Wilson Dam, and Norris, Wheeler, and Pickwick Landing Dams, now under construction, will provide a nine-foot channel in the said river and maintain a water supply for the same, from Knoxville to its mouth, and will best serve to promote navigation on the Tennessee River and its tributaries and control destructive flood waters in the Tennessee and Mississippi River drainage basins; and shall have power to acquire or construct power houses, power structures, transmission lines, navigation projects, and incidental works in the Tennessee River and its tributaries, and to unite the various power installations into one or more systems by transmission lines. The directors of the Authority are hereby directed to report to Congress their recommendations not later than April 1, 1936, for the unified development of the Tennessee River system."

Sec. 3. That said section 4 of said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding a new subdivision, (k), at the end of said section as follows:

"(k) At any time before the expiration of five years from the date when this section, as amended, becomes law may in the name of and as agent for the United States and subject to approval of the President, dispose of any of such real property as in the judgment of the Board may be no longer necessary in carrying out the purposes of this act, but no land shall be conveyed on which there is a permanent dam, hydraulic power plant, fertilizer plant or munitions plant, heretofore or hereafter built by or for the United States or for the Authority."

Sec. 4. That subdivision (c) of section 5 of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"(c) To cooperate with National, State, district, or county experimental stations or demonstration farms, with farmers, landowners, and associations of farmers or landowners, for the use of new forms of fertilizer or fertilizer practices during the initial or experimental period of their introduction, and for promoting the prevention of soil erosion by the use of fertilizers and otherwise."

Sec. 5. That said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding a new section after section 9 of said act, as follows:

"Sec. 9a. The Board is hereby directed in the operation of any dam or reservoir in its possession and control to regulate the stream flow primarily for the purposes of promoting navigation and controlling floods. So far as may be consistent with such purposes, the Board is authorized to provide and operate facilities for the generation of electric energy at any such dam for the use of the Corporation and for the use of the United States or any agency thereof, and the Board is further authorized, whenever an opportunity is afforded, to provide and operate facilities for the generation of electric energy in order to avoid the waste of water power, to transmit and market such power as in this act provided, and thereby, so far as may be practicable, to assist in liquidating the cost or aid in the maintenance of the projects of the Authority."

Sec. 6. That section 10 of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding thereto a proviso as follows: "Provided further, That the Board is authorized to include in any contract for the sale of power such terms and conditions, including resale rate schedules, and to provide for such rules and regulations as in its judgment may be necessary or desirable for carrying out the purposes of this act, and in case the purchaser shall fail to comply with any such terms and conditions, or violate any such rules and regulations, said contract price may provide that it shall be voidable at the election of the Board: Provided further, That in order to supply farms and small villages with electric power directly as contemplated by this section, the Board in its discretion shall have power to acquire existing electric facilities used in serving such farms and small villages: And provided further, That the terms 'States', 'counties', and 'municipalities' as used in this act shall be construed to include the public agencies of any of them unless the context requires a different construction."

Sec. 7. That said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding a new section after section 12 of said act, as follows:

"Sec. 12a. In order (1) to facilitate the disposition of the surplus power of the Corporation according to the policies set forth in this act; (2) to give effect to the priority herein accorded to States, counties, municipalities, and nonprofit organizations in the purchase of such power by enabling them to acquire facilities for the distribution of such power; and (3) at the same time to preserve existing distribution facilities as going concerns and avoid duplication of such facilities, the Board is authorized to advise and cooperate with and assist, by extending credit for a period of not exceeding five years to, States, Counties, municipalities and nonprofit organizations situated within transmission distance from any dam where such power is generated by the Corporation in acquiring, improving, and operating (a) existing distribution facilities and incidental works, including generating plants; and (b) interconnecting transmission lines; or in acquiring any interest in such facilities, incidental works, and lines."

Sec. 8. That said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding to section 14 of said act the following:

"The Board shall, on or before January 1, 1937, file with Congress a statement of its allocation of the value of all such properties turned over to said Board, and which have been completed prior to the end of the preceding fiscal year, and shall thereafter in its annual report to Congress file a statement of its allocation of the value of such properties as have been completed during the preceding fiscal year.

"For the purpose of accumulating data useful to the Congress in the formulation of legislative policy in matters relating to the generation, transmission, and distribution of electric energy and the production of chemicals necessary to national defense and useful in agriculture, and to the Federal Power Commission and other Federal and State agencies, and to the public, the Board shall keep complete accounts of its costs of generation, transmission, and distribution of electric energy and shall keep a complete account of the total cost of generating and transmission facilities constructed or otherwise acquired by the Corporation, and of producing such chemicals, and a description of the major components of such costs according to such uniform system of accounting for public utilities as the Federal Power Commission has, and if it have none, then it is hereby empowered and directed to prescribe such uniform system of accounting, together with records of such other physical data and operating statistics of the Authority as may be helpful in determining the actual cost and value of services, and the practices, methods, facilities, equipment, appliances, and standards and sizes, types, location, and geographical and economic integration of plants and systems best suited to promote the public interest, efficiency, and the wider and more economical use of electric energy. Such data shall be reported to the Congress by the Board from time to time with appropriate analyses and recommendations, and, so far as practicable, shall be made available to the Federal Power Commission and other Federal and State agencies which may be concerned with the administration of legislation relating to the generation, transmission, or distribution of electric energy and chemicals useful to agriculture. It is hereby declared to be the policy of this act that, in order, as soon as practicable, to make the power projects self-supporting and self-liquidating, the surplus shall be sold at rates which, in the opinion of the Board, when applied to the normal capacity of the Authority's power facilities, will produce gross revenues in excess of the cost of production of said power and in addition to the statement of the cost of power at each power station as required by section 9 (a) of the 'Tennessee Valley Act of 1933', the Board shall file with each annual report, a statement of the total cost of all power generated by it at all power stations during each year, the average cost of such power per kilowatt hour, the rates at which sold, and to whom sold, and copies of all contracts for the sale of power."

Sec. 9. That said act be and the same is hereby further amended by adding after section 15 of said act a new section as follows:

"Sec. 15a. With the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Corporation is authorized to issue bonds not to exceed in the aggregate $50,000,000 outstanding at any one time, which bonds may be sold by the Corporation to obtain funds to carry out the provisions of section 7 of this amendatory act. Such bonds shall be in such forms and denominations, shall mature within such periods not more than fifty years from the date of their issue, may be redeemable at the option of the Corporation before maturity in such manner as may be stipulated therein, shall bear such rates of interest not exceeding 3½ per centum per annum, shall be subject to such terms and conditions, shall be issued in such manner and amount, and sold at such prices, as may be prescribed by the Corporation, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury: Provided, That such bonds shall not be sold at such prices or on such terms as to afford an investment yield to the holders in excess of 3½ per centum per annum. Such bonds shall be fully and unconditionally guaranteed both as to interest and principal by the United States, and such guaranty shall be expressed on the face thereof, and such bonds shall be lawful investments, and may be accepted as security, for all fiduciary, trust, and public funds, the investment or deposit of which shall be under the authority or control of the United States or any officer or officers thereof. In the event that the Corporation should not pay upon demand, when due, the principal of, or interest on, such bonds, the Secretary of the Treasury shall pay to the holder the amount thereof, which is hereby authorized to be appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and thereupon to the extent of the amount so paid the Secretary of the Treasury shall succeed to all the rights of the holders of such bonds. The Secretary of the Treasury, in his discretion, is authorized to purchase any bonds issued hereunder, and for such purpose the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to use as a public-debt transaction the proceeds from the sale of any securities hereafter issued under the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, and the purposes for which securities may be issued under such act, as amended, are extended to include any purchase of the Corporation's bonds hereunder. The Secretary of the Treasury may, at any time, sell any of the bonds of the Corporation acquired by him under this section. All redemptions, purchases, and sales by the Secretary of the Treasury of the bonds of the Corporation shall be treated as public-debt transactions of the United States. With the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Corporation shall have power to purchase such bonds in the open market at any time and at any price. No bonds shall be issued hereunder to provide funds or bonds necessary for the performance of any proposed contract negotiated by the Corporation under the authority of section 7 of this amendatory act until the proposed contract shall have been submitted to and approved by the Federal Power Commission. When any such proposed contract shall have been submitted to the said Commission, the matter shall be given precedence and shall be in every way expedited and the Commission's determination of the matter shall be final. The authority of the Corporation to issue bonds hereunder shall expire at the end of five years from the date when this section as amended herein becomes law, except that such bonds may be issued at any time after the expiration of said period to provide bonds or funds necessary for the performance of any contract entered into by the Corporation, prior to the expiration of said period, under the authority of section 7 of this amendatory act."

Sec. 10. That section 26 of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 26. Commencing July 1, 1936, the proceeds for each fiscal year derived by the Board from the sale of power or any other products manufactured by the Corporation, and from any other activities of the Corporation, including the disposition of any real or personal property, shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States at the end of each calendar year, save and except such part of such proceeds as in the opinion of the Board shall be necessary for the Corporation in the operation of dams and reservoirs, in conducting its business in generating, transmitting, and distributing electric energy and in manufacturing, selling, and distributing fertilizer and fertilizer ingredients. A continuing fund of $1,000,000 is also excepted from the requirements of this section and may be withheld by the Board to defray emergency expenses and to insure continuous operation: Provided, That nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the use by the Board, after June 30, 1936, of proceeds accruing prior to July 1, 1936, for the payment of obligations lawfully incurred prior to such latter date."

Sec. 11. That said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding after section 26 of said act a new section, as follows:

"Sec. 26a. The unified development and regulation of the Tennessee River system requires that no dam, appurtenant works, or other obstruction, affecting navigation, flood control, or public lands or reservations shall be constructed, and thereafter operated or maintained across, along, or in the said river or any of its tributaries until plans for such construction, operation, and maintenance shall have been submitted to and approved by the Board; and the construction, commencement of construction, operation, or maintenance of such structures without such approval is hereby prohibited. When such plans shall have been approved, deviation therefrom either before or after completion of such structures is prohibited unless the modification of such plans has previously been submitted to and approved by the Board.

"In the event the Board shall, within sixty days after their formal submission to the Board, fail to approve any plans or modifications, as the case may be, for construction, operation, or maintenance of any such structures on the Little Tennessee River, the above requirements shall be deemed satisfied, if upon application to the Secretary of War, with due notice to the Corporation, and hearing thereon, such plans or modifications are approved by the said Secretary of War as reasonably adequate and effective for the unified development and regulation of the Tennessee River system.

"Such construction, commencement of construction, operation, or maintenance of any structures or parts thereof in violation of the provisions of this section may be prevented, and the removal or discontinuation thereof required by the injunction or order of any district court exercising jurisdiction in any district in which such structures or parts thereof may be situated, and the Corporation is hereby authorized to bring appropriate proceedings to this end.

"The requirements of this section shall not be construed to be a substitute for the requirements of any other law of the United States or of any State, now in effect or hereafter enacted, but shall be in addition thereto, so that any approval, license, permit, or other sanction now or hereafter required by the provisions of any such law for the construction, operation, or maintenance of any structures whatever, except such as may be constructed, operated, or maintained by the Corporation, shall be required, notwithstanding the provisions of this section."

Sec. 12. That said act be, and the same is hereby, further amended by adding at the end of said act a new section, as follows:

"Sec. 31. This act shall be liberally construed to carry out the purposes of Congress to provide for the disposition of and make needful rules and regulations respecting the Government properties entrusted to the Authority, provide for the national defense, improve navigation, control destructive floods, and promote interstate commerce and the general welfare, but no real estate shall be held except what is necessary in the opinion of the Board to carry out plans and projects actually decided upon requiring the use of such land: Provided, That any land purchased by the Authority and not necessary to carry out plans and projects actually decided upon shall be sold by the Authority as agent of the United States, after due advertisement, at public auction to the highest bidder, or at private sale as provided in section 3 of this amendatory act."

Sec. 13. That section 4 of said act of May 18, 1933 (48 Stat. 58), be amended by adding subsection (l) as follows:

"(l) Shall have power to advise and cooperate in the readjustment of the population displaced by the construction of dams, the acquisition of reservoir areas, the protection of watersheds, the acquisition of rights-of-way, and other necessary acquisitions of land, in order to effectuate the purposes of the act; and may cooperate with Federal, State, and local agencies to that end."

Sec. 14. That subsection (b) of section 9 of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(b) All purchases and contracts for supplies or services, except for personal services, made by the Corporation, shall be made after advertising, in such manner and at such times sufficiently in advance of opening bids, as the Board shall determine to be adequate to insure notice and opportunity for competition: Provided, That advertisement shall not be required when, (1) an emergency requires immediate delivery of the supplies or performance of the services; or (2) repair parts, accessories, supplemental equipment, or services are required for supplies or services previously furnished or contracted for; or (3) the aggregate amount involved in any purchase of supplies or procurement of services does not exceed $500; in which cases such purchases of supplies or procurement of services may be made in the open market in the manner common among business men: Provided further, That in comparing bids and in making awards the Board may consider such factors as relative quality and adaptability of supplies or services, the bidder's financial responsibility, skill, experience, record of integrity in dealing, ability to furnish repairs and maintenance services, the time of delivery or performance offered, and whether the bidder has complied with the specifications.

"The Comptroller General of the United States shall audit the transactions of the Corporation at such times as he shall determine, but not less frequently than once each governmental fiscal year, with personnel of his selection. In such connection he and his representatives shall have free and open access to all papers, books, records, files, accounts, plants, warehouses, offices, and all other things, property, and places belonging to or under the control of or used or employed by the Corporation, and shall be afforded full facilities for counting all cash and verifying transactions with and balances in depositaries. He shall make report of each such

audit in quadruplicate, one copy for the President of the United States, one for the chairman of the Board, one for public inspection at the principal office of the Corporation, and the other to be retained by him for the uses of the Congress: Provided, That such report shall not be made until the Corporation shall have had reasonable opportunity to examine the exceptions and criticisms of the Comptroller General or the General Accounting Office, to point out errors therein, explain or answer the same, and to file a statement which shall be submitted by the Comptroller General with his report. The expenses for each such audit shall be paid from any appropriation or appropriations for the General Accounting Office, and such part of such expenses as may be allocated to the cost of generating, transmitting, and distributing electric energy shall be reimbursed promptly by the Corporation as billed by the Comptroller General. The Comptroller General shall make special report to the President of the United States and to the Congress of any transaction or condition found by him to be in conflict with the powers or duties entrusted to the Corporation by law."

Sec. 15. That the sections of this act are hereby declared to be separable, and in the event any one or more sections of this act, or parts thereof, be held to be unconstitutional, such holding shall not affect the validity of other sections or parts of this act.

And the Senate agree to the same.

E. D. SMITH,
B. K. WHEELER,
G. W. NORRIS,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN J. MCSWAIN,
LISTER HILL,
NUMA F. MONTET,
DONALD H. MCLEAN,
CHARLES A. PLUMLEY,
Managers on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the report lie on the table.

BRIDGE ACROSS HUDSON RIVER AT NYACK, N. Y.

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3030) granting the consent of Congress to the Rockland-Westchester Hudson River Crossing Authority to construct a bridge; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

PAULINE M'KINNEY

On motion by Mr. Gore, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3137) for the relief of Pauline McKinney; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 56 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Lewis raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follete, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

The Vice President signed the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions heretofore reported by the Committee on Enrolled Bills as having been examined and found truly enrolled, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States:

S. 491. An act for the relief of Fred Herrick;

S. 1988. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr,;

S. 2626. An act to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2743. An act to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone;

S. 3060. An act to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed, and for other purposes;

S. 3135. An act to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States;

S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission; and

S. J. Res. 168. Joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 1763. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930;

S. 1787. An act to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina;

S. 1817. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in

respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island;

S. 1864. An act for the relief of the State of Nebraska;

S. 2649. An act to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.;

S. 3194. An act to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended;

S. 3270. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia; and

S. 3353. An act providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

The House has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3806) to establish a commercial airport for the District of Columbia; it asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed Mr. Palmisano, Mr. Nichols, and Mr. Dirksen managers at the same on its part.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7199) to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 3462. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes;

H. R. 5711. An act to provide pensions for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor;

H. R. 6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;

H. R. 6623. An act to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want;

H. R. 8421. An act granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War; and

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War.

SANFORD & BROOKS CO.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 685, "An act for the relief of the Sanford & Brooks Co."

This bill authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Sanford & Brooks Co. the sum of $53,208.49 in full satisfaction of its claim against the United States for refund of income taxes assessed and collected for the year 1920 on amounts paid in that year by the United States to the Sanford & Brooks Co., to compensate that company for the cost to it of certain work done for the United States during the years 1913 to 1916, both inclusive. This bill would authorize the refund of such taxes regardless of the fact that the Supreme Court has determined that such taxes were properly paid in accordance with the provisions of the revenue acts applicable thereto (*Burnet* v. *Sanford & Brooks Co.*, 262 U. S. 359).

It is alleged that although the payment of the above-mentioned tax was technically required under the statutes, as determined by the Supreme Court, such a levy is unjust and inequitable in the instant case. The inequity is stated to arise out of the fact that the Sanford & Brooks Co. was taxed on the money which was paid to it in 1920 by the United States as compensation for losses sustained in prior years in the consummation of work performed for the benefit of the Government, although that company did not derive a net profit from such transaction, which result was ascertainable only when the transaction was completed.

Congress has determined that it is sound policy to ascertain and compute income annually as to the net result of all transactions within that particular year. That system of taxation is designed to produce revenue ascertainable, and payable to the Government at regular intervals, and to make possible the application of methods of accounting, assessment, and collection capable of practical operation. There are many cases in which a particular taxpayer, engaged in a transaction which extends over several taxable periods, may, in accordance with his method of accounting, report income from that transaction in some of those years and losses from that transaction in other years, even though the given transaction in its entirety does not result in a net profit. But it has never been supposed that such a result "affords any reason for postponing the assessment of the tax until the end of a lifetime, or for some other indefinite period, to ascertain more precisely whether the final outcome of the period, or of a given transaction, will be a gain or a loss" (the Sanford & Brooks case, supra, at p. 365). It is conceivable that a different system might have been devised by which the tax could be assessed on the basis of the finally ascertained results of particular transactions rather than at the end of each taxable period. However, Congress did not adopt such a system, and it is obvious that such a system would not necessarily obviate the kind of inequalities of which complaint is made in the instant case.

S. 685, however, selects a particular taxpayer for special treatment by excepting that taxpayer from the enacted policy of Congress in this matter and from the uniform operation of the revenue laws. The whole body of Federal taxpayers is thus discriminated against, and the precedent is established, opening up a wide field for legislation, opposed to sound public policy, in cases in which the present system operates to the prejudice of a particular taxpayer.

I have on prior occasions expressed my belief that the field of special legislation should not be opened to relieve special classes of taxpayers from the uniform operation of the revenue laws. I know of no circumstances which would justify the exception made by S. 685 to the long-continued policy of Congress as expressed in the present system of taxation and to my convictions in this matter.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 19, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Claims and printed.

POSTAL RATES ON RELIGIOUS PUBLICATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return, without my approval, S. 1439, entitled "An act amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information."

This bill would amend existing law (subsection "Fourth" of section 14 of the act approved Mar. 3, 1879; 39 U. S. C., 226) concerning publications entitled to entry as second-class mail matter, as follows, the new language being underscored to distinguish it from the language of the existing law:

Fourth. It must be originated and published for the dissemination of information of a public character, *or for the dissemination of local information by religious organizations,* or devoted to literature, the sciences, arts, or some special industry, and having a legitimate list of subscribers. Nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to admit to the second-class rate regular publications designed primarily

for advertising purposes, or for free circulation, or for circulation at nominal rates.

Publications of churches and religious organizations are now admitted as second-class mail matter, provided they meet the requirements of the act of March 3, 1879, including the provision cited above. The amendment proposed by this bill would provide for the entry as second-class matter of additional religious publications devoted in their entirety to information of a local character, as distinguished from a public character, relating to the particular churches or religious organizations publishing them. If an exception should be made to existing law in favor of religious organizations, it would constitute a precedent under which other social organizations and associations, such as clubs, chambers of commerce, charitable organizations, and many others, would no doubt request legislation conferring upon them similar benefits.

The cost of handling and transporting second-class matter in the mails is greatly in excess of the revenue derived therefrom. This excess cost amounts to more than $77,000,000 per year. I am advised that under the provisions of this bill the cost of handling second-class mail in excess of revenues will be materially increased. I do not feel that a further increase in the cost of handling second-class mail matter should be placed upon the taxpayers, notwithstanding the meritorious character of the publications by the religious organizations which the bill seeks to favor.

For the reasons stated above and because of the facts and adverse recommendation contained in the attached letter of the Acting Postmaster General I do not feel justified in approving this bill.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 20, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message and bill, with the accompanying paper, be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads and printed.

COMMERCIAL AIRPORT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3806) to establish a commercial airport for the District of Columbia, and asking a conference with the Senate thereon.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendment to the said bill, disagreed to by the House of Representatives, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. King, Mr. Tydings, and Mr. Austin.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed 13 enrolled bills, viz, S. 3050, S. 3105, H. R. 3462, H. R. 5711, H. R. 6510, H. R. 6623, H. R. 7617, H. R. 8421, H. R. 8422, H. R. 8423, H. R. 8424, H. R. 8425, and H. R. 8426, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 3050. An act granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.;

S. 3105. An act to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.;

H. R. 3462. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes;

H. R. 5711. An act to provide aid for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor;

H. R. 6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;

H. R. 6623. An act to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want;

H. R. 7617. An act to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8421. An act granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War;

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War; and

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a petition of members of Lodge No. 121, of Slovene National Benefit Society, of Detroit, Mich., praying the passage of Senate bill 2969, relating to legalization of residence in the United States of certain aliens and for other purposes, which was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a telegram from Christian Dan Frederiksen, of Detroit, Mich., relating to the pending revenue bill.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the enactment of legislation to amend the fourth section of the Interstate Commerce Act to permit lower rates to more distant points than to intermediate points when along the same route and direction, which was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

Mr. Tydings presented the following petitions and memorial:

Petitions of citizens of the State of Maryland praying the preservation of peace and the outlawry of war as a national policy in settling international disputes; and

A memorial of stockholders and employees of Swift & Co., of Baltimore, Md., remonstrating against the imposition of a higher tax on large corporations than on small companies.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

Mr. Schall presented a communication from the secretary of the Minnesota Livestock Board and a communication from the Bowman Laboratory, of Owatonna, Minn., together with copies of other correspondence, relating to the treatment of Bang's disease in cattle; which were referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Immigration, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3399) for the relief of Rosalie Piar Sprecher (nee Rosa Piar), reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1421) thereon.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6057) for the relief of Joe Brumit, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1422) thereon.

Mr. Burke, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7137) for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1423) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 2005. A bill to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States (Rept. No. 1424);

S. 3218. A bill to amend section 201 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928 (Rept. No. 1425); and

S. 3327. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1426).

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

S. 3091. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children (Rept. No. 1427);

S. 3093. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Sanish School District No. 1, Mountrail County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children (Rept. No. 1428).

Mr. Shipstead, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3425) authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Government of Norway in settlement of all claims for reimbursement on account of losses sustained by the owner and crew of the Norwegian steamer *Tampen,* reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1429) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3440) to amend certain acts relating to public printing and binding and the distribution of public documents and acts amendatory thereof, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1430) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Smith, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6772) to amend the Grain Futures Act to prevent and remove obstructions and burdens upon interstate commerce in grains and other commodities by regulating transactions therein on commodity futures exchanges, to limit or abolish short selling, to curb manipulation, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1431) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma (by request):

A bill (S. 3452) to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to arrange with States or Territories for the education, medical attention, relief of distress, and social welfare of Indians, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Barkley:

A bill (S. 3453) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to certain counsel; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Borah:

A bill (S. 3454) granting a pension to Effie M. Guynon (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3455) granting an increase of pension to Helene H. Davis; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrd:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 174) to establish the James Madison Memorial Commission to formulate plans for the construction of a permanent memorial to the memory of James Madison; to the Committee on the Library.

BRIDGE ACROSS HUDSON RIVER NEAR NYACK, N. Y.

On motion by Mr. Barbour, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 3030) granting the consent of Congress to the Rockland-Westchester Hudson River Crossing Authority, State of New York, to construct, maintain, and operate a highway bridge and causeway across the Hudson River between a point in the vicinity of Nyack, Rockland County, and the village of Tarrytown, Westchester County, N. Y., was reconsidered.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On August 19, 1935:

S. 208. An act for the relief of the Consolidated Ashcroft Hancock Co., Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.;

S. 447. An act conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States;

S. 1347. An act for the relief of Robert J. Smith, alias William McClocklin;

S. 1577. An act for the relief of Skelton Mack McCray;

S. 1640. An act for the relief of Dan Meehan;

S. 2076. An act for the relief of Domenico Politano;

S. 2140. An act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey;

S. 2160. An act for the relief of the George C. Mansfield Co. and George D. Mansfield;

S. 2168. An act for the relief of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania;

S. 2225. An act authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Western Union Telegraph Co.;

S. 2247. An act directing the conveyance of certain lands to the regents of the University of New Mexico;

S. 2388. An act authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to cancel patent in fee issued to Victoria Arconge;

S. 2577. An act to eliminate the requirement of cultivation in connection with certain homestead entries;

S. 2635. An act for the relief of Sudden & Christenson, Inc., John A. Hooper, Emil T. Kruse, Edward Kruse, Gilbert Loken, and G. W. McNear, Inc., or their successors in interest; and

S. 2751. An act for the relief of Walter C. Price and Joseph C. Le Sage.

On August 20, 1935:

S. 280. An act for the relief of Hazel B. Lowe, Tess H. Johnston, and Esther L. Teckmeyer;

S. 490. An act for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd;

S. 540. An act for the relief of Fred Luscher;

S. 658. An act for the relief of K. W. Boring;

S. 1045. An act for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley;

S. 1046. An act for the relief of E. Jeanmonod;

S. 1070. An act for the relief of William A. Thompson;

S. 1214. An act for the relief of Oliver B. Huston, Anne Huston, Jane Huston, and Harriet Huston;

S. 1326. An act for the relief of Robert A. Dunham;

S. 1409. An act for the relief of the General Baking Co.;

S. 2374. An act for the relief of Elliott H. Tasso and Emma Tasso;

S. 2393. An act for the relief of the widow of Ray Sutton;

S. 2426. An act to provide for the creation of a memorial park at Tampa, in the State of Florida, to be known as "The Spanish War Memorial Park", and for other purposes;

S. 2695. An act to add certain lands to the Medicine Bow National Forest, Wyo; and

S. 3058. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for other purposes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bill and joint resolution of the Senate, each with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 2215. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended; and

S. J. Res. 65. Joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

The House has passed the following bills of the Senate, each with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

S. 1374. An act authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska; and

S. 2888. An act to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes.

The House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 7974. An act to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field;

H. R. 8598. An act to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States;

H. R. 8977. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire a site for the erection of a post-office building at Columbus, Miss.;

H. R. 9116. An act to extend the provisions of veterans' laws and regulations to persons who served in Russia during the World War, and their dependents; and

H. J. Res. 286. Joint resolution for the relief of Kam N. Kathju.

The President of the United States has informed the House that he approved and signed acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On August 12, 1935:

H. R. 351. An act for the relief of Jane B. Smith and Dora B. Smith;

H. R. 2125. An act for the relief of George William Henning;

H. R. 3090. An act for the relief of Mayme Hughes;

H. R. 3230. An act for the relief of Rufus Hunter Blackwell, Jr.;

H. R. 3979. An act to safeguard the estates of veterans derived from payments of pension, compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay and insurance, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7022. An act to authorize the selection, construction, installation, and modification of permanent stations and depots for the Army Air Corps and frontier air-defense bases generally; and

H. R. 8554. An act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1936, and for other purposes.

On August 13, 1935:

H. R. 4507. An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the commemoration of the termination of the War between the States at Appomattox Court House, Va.", approved June 18, 1930, and to establish the Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 6995. An act granting pensions to veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, their widows and dependents, and for other purposes.

On August 14, 1935:

H. R. 6511. An act to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service;

H. R. 6990. An act to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 7260. An act to provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal old-age benefits, and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for aged persons, blind persons, dependent and crippled children, maternal and child welfare, public health, and the administration of their unemployment compensation laws; to establish a Social Security Board; to raise revenue; and for other purposes.

On August 15, 1935:

H. R. 6228. An act authorizing a capital fund for the Chippewa Indian Cooperative Marketing Association; and

H. R. 8963. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.

On August 17, 1935:

H. J. Res. 351. Joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia, and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington (D. C.) 1935 Improved, Benevolent, and Protective Order of Elks of the World, and for other purposes.

On August 19, 1935:

H. R. 4665. An act authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships; and

H. R. 6453. An act to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande", etc., as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927.

On August 20, 1935:

H. J. Res. 290. Joint resolution to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the ratification of Joint Resolution No. 59 of the Legislature of Puerto Rico, approved by the Governor May 5, 1930, imposing an import duty on coffee imported into Puerto Rico", approved June 18, 1934.

HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

The bills and joint resolution this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That the bill H. R. 7974 be referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs; that the bill H. R. 8598 be referred to the Committee on Commerce; that the bill H. R. 8977 be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; that the bill H. R. 9116 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and that the joint resolution H. J. Res. 286 be referred to the Committee on Immigration.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous-coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties.

AMERICAN NEUTRALITY

Mr. Pittman submitted a request that the further consideration of the pending bill be temporarily laid aside and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Smith in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

No objection was interposed to Mr. Pittman's request.

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said joint resolution.

After debate,

No amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Lewis, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 194):

Resolved, That there be no further legislation in the present session of the Congress upon the subject contained in the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war, and that the whole subject of the measure to be left to the President, to be acted upon under appropriate Executive orders as conditions and circumstances arise and shall call for.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

COSTS OF PRODUCTION OF WOOD PULP OR PULPWOOD

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 195), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission is directed, under the authority conferred by section 336 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and for the purposes of that section, to investigate the differences in the costs of production of the following domestic articles and of any like or similar foreign articles: Wood pulp or pulpwood.

HEARINGS ON REVENUE ACT OF 1935

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, reported the following resolution (S. Res. 196), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That in accordance with paragraph 3 of section 2 of the Printing Act approved March 1, 1907, the Committee on Finance of the Senate be, and is hereby, authorized and empowered to have printed for its use 1,000 additional copies of the hearings held before said committee during the current session of the Seventy-fourth Congress on the bill (H. R. 8974) entitled "Revenue Act of 1935."

TOBACCO STATISTICS

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2215) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

AMENDMENT OF EMERGENCY FARM MORTGAGE ACT OF 1933

On motion by Mr. Costigan, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6776) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. Norris,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

NORTHWESTERN INTERNATIONAL HIGHWAY

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the text of the bill (S. 1374) authorizing the survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska, together with the amendment to the title providing that the same read as follows: "An act relative to the proposed survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska."

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. McNary,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

DONATION OF ARMY EQUIPMENT TO VETERANS' POSTS

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the message this day received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7199) to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

On motion by Mr. Gore,

Resolved, That the Senate recede from its amendment to the text of the said bill and to the amendment to the title.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FILING OF WORLD WAR VETERANS' SUITS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Truman in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 65) to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Black,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SURPLUS REAL PROPERTY OF FEDERAL AGENCIES

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2888) to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Connally,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8632) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 396. An act for the relief of the Virginia Engineering Co., Inc.:

H. R. 531. An act granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop;

H. R. 918. An act for the relief of Flensburger Dampfercompagnie;

H. R. 1299. An act giving jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Cherokee Fuel Co.;

H. R. 1550. An act for the relief of Douglas B. Espy;

H. R. 1771. An act for the relief of Pauline Fornabaio;

H. R. 1912. An act for the relief of William J. Ryan, chaplain, United States Army;

H. R. 1962. An act for the relief of Albert H. Jacobson;

H. R. 2936. An act for the relief of J. H. Taylor & Son;

H. R. 3184. An act for the relief of H. D. Henion, Harry Wolfe, and R. W. McSorley;

H. R. 3557. An act for the relief of Helena C. VonGroning and Stephan VonGroning;

H. R. 3596. An act for the relief of William H. Ames;

H. R. 3709. An act for the relief of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Co.;

H. R. 3783. An act for the relief of George W. Rhine, doing business under the name of Rhine & Co.;

H. R. 4086. An act for the relief of Ellis Duke, also known as Elias Duke;

H. R. 4178. An act for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee; and

H. R. 4799. An act to provide for the reimbursement of certain officers and enlisted men or former officers and enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps for personal property lost, damaged, or destroyed as a result of the earthquake which occurred at Managua, Nicaragua, on March 31, 1931.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 396, H. R. 531, H. R. 918, H. R. 1299, H. R. 1550, H. R. 1771, H. R. 1912, H. R. 1962, H. R. 2936, H. R. 3184, H. R. 3557, H. R. 3596, H. R. 3709, H. R. 3783, H. R. 4086, H. R. 4178, and H. R. 4799, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Claims.

AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ACT

On motion by Mr. Smith, and by unanimous consent, The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8632) to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. King submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with the following amendments:

On page 4 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 20, strike out "7" and insert *8*; on page 5 of the Senate engrossed amendment, lines 11 and 12, strike out "or by the District"; on page 8 of the Senate engrossed amendment, after line 26, insert the following:

DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS

Sec. 5. (a) The District of Columbia shall pay contributions, in addition to its contributions as an employer, in the following amounts: For the calendar year 1936, $100,000; for the calendar year 1937, $125,000; and for the calendar year 1938, $175,000.

(b) The contributions required by this section for each calendar year shall be paid by the District to the Board, and shall, immediately upon receipt by the Board, be paid into the District Unemployment Fund.

On page 9 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 2, strike out "5" and insert *6*; on page 9 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 8, strike out "6" and insert *7*; on page 9 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 15, strike out "7" and insert *8*; on page 11 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 12, strike out "8" and insert *9*; on page 12 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 2, strike out "9" and insert *10*; on page 13 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 17, strike out "10" and insert *11*; on page 14 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 2, strike out "three" and insert *one*; on page 15 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 12, strike out "11" and insert *12*; on page 18 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 3, strike out "12" and insert *13*; on page 18 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 5, strike out "decisison" and insert *decision*; on page 19 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 21, strike out "12" and insert *13*; on page 20 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 10, strike out "13" and insert *14*; on page 21 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 9, strike out "act" and insert *Act*; on page 21 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 22, strike out "14" and insert *15*; on page 22 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 7, strike out "15" and insert *16*; on page 23 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 6, strike out "16" and insert *17*; on page 23 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 21, strike out "17" and insert *18*; on page 24 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 21, strike out "18" and insert *19*; on page 26 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 6, strike out "19" and insert *20*; on page 27 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 2, strike out "20" and insert *21*; on page 27 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 6, strike out "212" and insert *22*; on page 27 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 17, strike out "22" and insert *23*; on page 27 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 22, strike out "23" and insert *24*; and on page 28 of the Senate engrossed amendment, line 5, strike out "24" and insert *25*; and the Senate agree to the same.

WILLIAM H. KING,
R. S. COPELAND,
ARTHUR CAPPER,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
VINCENT L. PALMISANO,
HENRY ELLENBOGEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 414. An act to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.;

S. 1448. An act for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918;

S. 2578. An act authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma;

S. 2644. An act for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern; and

S. 3092. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3019) to amend sections 1, 3, and 15 of "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269).

COTTON-TEXTILE INDUSTRY

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Congress:

Last April I appointed a Cabinet committee, consisting of the Secretary of Commerce, as chairman, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Secretary of Labor, to make a survey of the conditions and problems of the cotton-textile industry. I am now in receipt of a communication signed by the members of the committee, with which they submit their findings and recommendations.

This letter and these findings and recommendations of the committee I am immediately transmitting herewith for the information of the Congress.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 21, 1935.*

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying report and illustrations, be printed and lie on the table.

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JOHN W. BECK

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith without my approval, S. 457, authorizing me to summon John W. Beck, Lieutenant, United States Army, retired, before a retiring board, to inquire whether at the time of his retirement under section 24b National Defense Act, as amended, he was incapacitated for active service, and whether such incapacity was a result of an incident of service, and if, as a result of such inquiry, it is found that he was so incapacitated, I am authorized to nominate and appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, the said John W. Beck, a first lieutenant, Regular Army, and place him immediately thereafter upon the retired list of the Army, with the same privileges and retired pay as are now or may hereafter be provided by law or regulation for officers of the Regular Army.

The measure further provides that no back pay or allowances shall be held to have accrued prior to its passage.

From the facts in this case of record in the War Department, I find that John W. Beck's retirement was accomplished in strict accordance with the provisions of existing law and his rights were duly safeguarded. The records clearly indicate that he had no incapacitating disability at the time of his retirement, but was retired under the provisions of section 24b of the National Defense Act, as amended, because of unfavorable records of service. Therefore, I can see no reason for singling him out for preferential treatment at this time for the purpose of changing his retired status and thereby increasing his compensation.

Further, I note that the Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, House of Representatives, Report No. 1272, and Seventy-four Congress, first session, Senate Report No. 200, contains a letter from the Veterans' Administration which recites the military service record of an individual who is not the beneficiary of this bill.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 21, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and printed.

HARRY T. HERRING

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 1426, authorizing me to appoint Harry T. Herring as a lieutenant colonel, United States Army, and to place him on the retired list of the Army as a lieutenant colonel, with the retired pay and allowance of that grade.

From the facts in this case of record in the War Department, it appears that Harry T. Herring never held a commission in the Regular Army. He was graduated from the United States Military Academy on June 13, 1905; and was honorably discharged as a graduated cadet July 12, 1905, having been found physically not qualified to perform the full duties of an officer of the Army because of organic heart disease. He subsequently served during the World War as an emergency officer in the Ordnance Department in the grades of captain, major, and lieutenant colonel. In 1920 he was one of the many emergency officers examined for commission in the Regular Army, and was again found not qualified for such appointment because of physical disability.

I am also advised that Colonel Herring is now receiving compensation from the United States Veterans' Administration amounting to $35 per month.

In view of the foregoing, I do not consider that this former emergency officer is entitled to the benefits of the Regular Army retired list. It would be unjustly discriminatory to

place him on the retired list of the Army, when many others in similar circumstances are denied equal consideration. The retirement system of the Regular Army was provided for the twofold purpose of attracting desirable permanent personnel to the service and of vitalizing the active list. Its maintenance for such purpose is vital to the national defense and should not be jeopardized by utilizing it as a means of relief, or for placing upon such retired list persons other than the permanent personnel of the military establishment.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 21, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and printed.

MARY SKY NECKLACE

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 1696, "An act for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace."

The bill provides for the payment to the county of Bon Homme, S. Dak., of the sum of $374.43 in settlement of its claim against Mary Sky Necklace for taxes assessed against property which she purchased, with the approval of the Office of Indian Affairs, from trust funds held to her credit by the Federal Government, and with an understanding on her part that the property would be nontaxable.

It does not seem to me that the Federal Government is properly chargeable with any obligation to pay the taxes on such property, either as to the accumulated taxes contemplated by the bill or as to the future taxes which, by that principle, would be assumed to be a governmental obligation as long as the land remained in Indian ownership.

There are, moreover, many cases of a similar character for which this proposed enactment would constitute an unwise precedent.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 21, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and printed.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on today they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions:

S. 491. An act for the relief of Fred Herrick;

S. 1988. An act to extend the time for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr.;

S. 2626. An act to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2743. An act to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone;

S. 3060. An act to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended may be filed; and for other purposes;

S. 3050. An act granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.;

S. 3105. An act to amend the act approved June 12, 1934 relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.;

S. 3135. An act to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution;

S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States;

S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission; and

S. J. Res. 168. Joint Resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive.

ADDITIONAL REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3393) to create a Federal Board of Foreign Trade, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1432) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4428) for the relief of Caroline (Stever) Dykstra, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1433) thereon.

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8977) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire a site for the erection of a post-office building at Columbus, Miss., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1434) thereon.

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 1724) to repeal section 2 of the act entitled "An act to create an additional judge in the district of South Dakota", approved February 26, 1929, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1435) thereon.

Mr. Costigan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3118) to provide for the creation of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial National Monument, on Put-in-Bay, South Bass Island, in the State of Ohio, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1436) thereon.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2424) to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a central research and experiment station of the Bureau of Mines at Salt Lake City, Utah, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1437) thereon.

Mr. McKellar, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon, as follows:

H. R. 5049. An act providing punishment for forging or counterfeiting any postmarking stamp (Rept. No. 1438);

H. R. 5162. An act providing for punishment for attempts to obtain mail by fraud or by deception (Rept. No. 1439);

H. R. 5360. An act providing for punishment for the crime of robbing or attempting to rob custodians of Government moneys or property (Rept. No. 1440); and

H. R. 5540. An act extending the period during which no demurrage is charged on collect-on-delivery parcels and excepting the imposition of demurrage charged on collect-on-delivery parcels exchanged between the continental and island possessions (Rept. No. 1441).

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 9070) to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and/or completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1442) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS-COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous-coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties.

Mr. Murphy raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

The bill was amended on the motion of Mr. Borah and the motion of Mr. Barkley.

On motion by Mr. Tydings to further amend the bill by striking out on page 7, beginning with the word "There", in line 2, down to and including the word "Revenue", in line 12, as follows:

"There is hereby imposed upon the sale or other disposal of all bituminous coal produced within the United States an excise tax of 15 percent on the sale price at the mine, or in the case of captive coal the fair market value of such coal at the mine, such tax, subject to the later provisions of this section, to be payable to the United States by the producers of such coal, and to be payable monthly for each calendar month, on or before the first business day of the second succeeding month, and under such regulations, and in such manner, as shall be prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue."

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Van Nuys in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

Mr. Neely raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-five Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hastings, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Tydings,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 29, Nays 44

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Burke, Byrd, Caraway, Clark, Copeland, Dieterich, Duffy, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, Hastings, King, Metcalf, Norbeck, Overton, Russell, Schall, Smith, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So the amendment proposed by Mr. Tydings was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Tydings to further amend the bill by striking out on page 7, line 4, the numerals "15", and inserting in lieu thereof *5*.

After debate,

It was determined in the negative, Yeas 36, Nays 40

On motion by Mr. Tydings,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Brown, Burke, Byrd, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Hastings, King, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Norbeck, Radcliffe, Russell, Schall, Smith, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Bulkley, Bulow, Byrnes, Capper, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Van Nuys, and Wagner.

So the amendment proposed by Mr. Tydings was not agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. McNary.

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its business today it take a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow, and that thereafter no Senator shall speak more than or ... or longer

than 20 minutes on the bill or more than once or longer than 10 minutes on any amendment.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 46 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order of today, until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

SURVEY OF PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on a survey of inactive and permanent appropriations and funds on the books of the Government and certain funds in the custody of officers and employees of the United States for which no accounting is rendered to the General Accounting Office, together with recommendations for changes in existing law relating thereto; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That upon the completion of the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous-coal mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes, the Senate proceed to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

PRODUCTION COSTS OF WOOD PULP OR PULPWOOD

Mr. Robinson entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the resolution (S. Res. 195) directing the Tariff Commission to investigate the production costs of wood pulp or pulpwood.

Subsequently,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the foregoing resolution was reconsidered; and

Ordered, That the resolution be placed on the calendar.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by the national executive committee of the United Typothetae of America, Washington, D. C., favoring administration of the Works Progress Administration in such manner that the printing in connection therewith may be procured from private printers and suppliers rather than from the Government Printing Office; to the Committee on Printing.

A resolution adopted by the Howard Friends League of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against alleged persecutions in Germany and favoring the severance of diplomatic relations with that Government; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia favoring the passage of House Joint Resolution 237, providing for the establishment of the Oliver Wendell Holmes Memorial Fund.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Holt presented petitions of members of the congregations of the First and Second United Brethren Churches, of Martinsburg, W. Va., praying the preservation of peace and the outlawry of war as a national policy in the settlement of international disputes.

Ordered, That they lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Ashurst, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3453) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to certain counsel, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 3783) for the relief of George W. Rhine, doing business under the name of Rhine & Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1443) thereon.

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4178) for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1444) thereon.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1550) for the relief of Douglas B. Espy, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1445) thereon.

Mr. White, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1299) giving jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Cherokee Fuel Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1446) thereon.

Mr. Tydings, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7974) to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3257) to amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1448) thereon.

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3447) to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the collection and editing of official papers of the Territories of the United States now in the National Archives", reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1447) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3446) relative to limitation of shipowners' liability, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, reported a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 175)

to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934; which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and ordered to be placed on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Steiwer:

A bill (S. 3456) for the relief of the legal guardian of Roy D. Cook, a minor; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sheppard:

A bill (S. 3457) for the relief of B. A. Duffy and his wife, Merle Duffy; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Black:

A bill (S. 3458) for the relief of George Smith and Ketha Smith; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hatch:

A bill (S. 3459) authorizing the Farm Credit Administration, Federal land banks, and other Federal agricultural loan agencies to make loans upon lands in drainage, irrigation, and conservancy districts notwithstanding the existence of prior liens for special benefits conferred by such districts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill (S. 3460) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to ascertain the persons entitled to compensation on account of private claim 111, parcel 1, Nambe Pueblo Grant; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

A bill (S. 3461) for the relief of members and their dependents of the Russian Railway Service Corps, World War; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Copeland:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 176) to provide a medium for the adjudication of the remaining claims of American nationals against the Government of Germany, contemplated under the terms of the Treaty of Berlin, dated August 25, 1921; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF DOMESTIC SOURCES OF TIN

On motion by Mr. Barbour, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3381) to provide for the protection and preservation of domestic sources of tin; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 2203. An act to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes;

S. 2608. An act to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933; and

S. 2761. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2621) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. R. 8511. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Cannon Ball school district, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8512. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates school district, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8513. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton school district, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8515. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Sanish school district no. 1, Mountrail County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8516. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Porcupine School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; and

H. R. 8726. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the board of trustees of the Warner Springs Union School District, Warner Springs, Calif., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Los Coyotes and Volcan Indian Reservations, Calif.

The Speaker of the House having signed 15 enrolled bills, viz., S. 1763, S. 1787, S. 1817, S. 1832, S. 1864, S. 2649, S. 2681, S. 3194, S. 3270, S. 3336, S. 3353, H. R. 6361, H. R. 7380, H. R. 7927, and H. R. 8473, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

The President of the United States has informed the House that on August 21, 1935, he approved and signed acts and a joint resolution as follows:

H. R. 7438. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934;

H. R. 7659. An act to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8845. An act to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 189. Joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners.

HOUSE BILLS REFERRED

The bills H. R. 8511, H. R. 8512, H. R. 8513, H. R. 8515, H. R. 8516, and H. R. 8726, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

S. 1763. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930;

S. 1787. An act to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina;

S. 1817. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island;

S. 1832. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Con-

servancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years;

S. 1864. An act for the relief of the State of Nebraska;

S. 2649. An act to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.;

S. 2681. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt.;

S. 3194. An act to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended;

S. 3270. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia;

S. 3336. An act to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes;

S. 3353. An act providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6361. An act to amend the Filled Milk Act;

H. R. 7380. An act authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of the creditors, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7927. An act to authorize the Secretary of State to lease to citizens of the United States any land heretofore or hereafter acquired under any act, Executive order, or treaty in connection with projects, in whole or in part constructed or administered by the Secretary of State through the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, American section; and

H. R. 8473. An act to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes.

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Logan, the motion of Mr. Murphy, and the motion of Mr. Davis.

On motion by Mr. Bankhead to further amend the bill by inserting at the end of the bill a provision relative to a tax on crude petroleum,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Gore to lay Mr. Bankhead's amendment on the table.

Mr. Townsend raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Van Nuys in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Gore's motion was agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Minton.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the following bills of the Senate, each without amendment:

S. 946. An act to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana";

S. 3184. An act to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation; and

S. 3374. An act for the relief of the State of Indiana.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2521) amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8587) to amend an act entitled "An act to

establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 7678) to authorize the Director of the Mint to supplement the approved design of the 50-cent piece commemorating the two-hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone, the coinage of which was authorized by act of the Seventy-third Congress (Public, No. 258, S. 3355), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed six enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 3019, H. R. 6732, H. R. 7199, H. R. 7709, H. R. 8632, and H. R. 8651, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 3019. An act to amend "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1834 (48 Stat. 1269);

H. R. 6732. An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7199. An act to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars;

H. R. 7709. An act to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the post office when appointed as regular laborers;

H. R. 8632. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River, to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley, to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley, to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933; and

H. R. 8651. An act to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Neely, the motion of Mr. Walsh, and the motion of Mr. Bankhead.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Dieterich raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Robinson in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Duffy, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, | Yeas ---------- 45 | Nays ---------- 37

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Costigan, Davis, Donahey, Frazier, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, McAdoo, McGill, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Borah, Brown, Burke, Byrd, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Dieterich, Duffy, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Hale, King, Maloney, McKellar, Metcalf, Murphy, Norbeck, Overton, Russell, Schall, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Townsend, Trammell, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

So it was

Resolved, That the bill pass.

Mr. Neely moved to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing bill; when,

On motion by Mr. Barkley,

Mr. Neely's motion was laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Neely,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill, and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Presiding Officer; and

The Presiding Officer appointed Mr. Neely, Mr. Barkley, and Mr. Davis.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

APPOINTMENT OF NAVAL ACADEMY GRADUATES AS ENSIGNS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Robinson in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2521) amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and

On motion by Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolutions of the Senate:

S. 1483. An act for the relief of William E. Williams;

S. 2867. An act to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes;

S. 3386. An act for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian;

S. J. Res. 159. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission; and

S. J. Res. 163. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition.

The House insists upon its amendments to the bill (S. 872) for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims, disagreed to by the Senate; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Ramspeck, and Mr. Guyer managers at the same on its part.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7167) to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7709) to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the post office when appointed as regular laborer.

The Speaker of the House having signed 11 enrolled bills, viz, S. 414, S. 1374, S. 1448, S. 2203, S. 2578, S. 2608, S. 2644, S. 2761, S. 2388, S. 3092, and H. R. 7167, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 65, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 414. An act to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.;

S. 1374. An act relative to the proposed survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska;

S. 1448. An act for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918;

S. 2203. An act to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes;

S. 2573. An act authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma;

S. 2608. An act to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act, as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933;

S. 2644. An act for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern;

S. 2761. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon;

S. 2888. An act to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes;

S. 3092. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 7167. An act to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 65. Joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

FOUR HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF HERNANDO DE SOTO EXPEDITION

Mr. Barkley submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 265) pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments.

ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
KENNETH MCKELLAR,
PETER NORBECK,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
KENT E. KELLER,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ROBERT T. SECREST,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

SOIL EROSION IN UINTAH AND WASATCH NATIONAL FORESTS, UTAH

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. 4339) to facilitate control of soil erosion and flood damage originating upon lands of the Uintah and Wasatch National Forests, Utah.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONSIDERATION OF UNOBJECTED BILLS

The Senate, under its order of today, proceeded to the consideration of unobjected bills on the calendar.

The bill (S. 2481) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States and to establish a national bituminous-coal reserve; to provide for the general welfare; and for other purposes, having been reached,

On motion by Mr. Guffey,

Ordered, That it be posponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and no amendment was made:

S. 1878. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.;

S. 3281. A bill to amend the act of February 16, 1929, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to readjust the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Public Health Service', approved June 10, 1922, as amended";

S. 2996. A bill for the relief of the Eberhart Steel Products Co., Inc.;

S. 1687. A bill to incorporate The National Yeomen F;

S. 2718. A bill for the relief of Walter D. Foster;

S. 2782. A bill for the relief of Walter Acker, Jr.;

S. 3428. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to lend Army tents to the Merrie Orange Fair Committee, Troy Hills, N. J.;

S. 3424. A bill to continue Electric Home and Farm Authority as an agency of the United States until February 1937, and for other purposes;

S. 3338. A bill for the relief of Julia Krenz;

S. 2039. A bill making it a felony to transport in interstate or foreign commerce persons to be employed to obstruct or interfere with the right of peaceful picketing during labor controversies;

S. 3399. A bill for the relief of Rosalie Piar Sprecher (nee Rosa Piar);

S. 2005. A bill to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States;

S. 3218. A bill to amend section 201 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928;

S. 2324. A bill to incorporate The Military Order of the Purple Heart;

S. 3425. A bill authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Government of Norway in settlement of all claims for reimbursement on account of losses sustained by the owner and crew of the Norwegian steamer *Tampen*; and

S. 1724. A bill to repeal section 2 of the act entitled "An act to create an additional judge in the district of South Dakota", approved February 26, 1929.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3097) relating to interest and usury affecting parties under the jurisdiction of courts of the United States functioning in countries where the United States exercises extraterritorial jurisdiction; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Hastings,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1634) to amend an act entitled, "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Ordered, that it be postponed indefinitely.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3320) to authorize the President to present the Distinguished Flying Cross to Rudolph W. Schroeder; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read the third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to Rudolph W. Schroeder, who served with the Air Corps, United States Army, during the period of the World War, and who was honorably discharged on November 15, 1920."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3173) to authorize the Secretary of War to pay officers and men formerly enlisted as members of Battery D, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Coast Artillery (Antiaircraft), New Hampshire National Guard, for armory training during the period from November 1, 1932, to July 1, 1933; and the reported amendments having been agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Treasury to pay men formerly enlisted as members of Battery D, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Coast Artillery (Antiaircraft), New Hampshire National Guard for armory training during the period from November 1, 1932, to July 1, 1933.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills and joint resolution; and no amendment was made:

H. R. 2325. An act for the relief of James P. Whalen;

H. R. 4226. An act for the relief of Floyd Hull;

H. R. 921. An act for the relief of Edgar Sampson;

H. R. 4852. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 6394. An act for the relief of William K. Caley;

H. R. 3408. An act for the relief of Rufus Jones, a miner;

H. R. 996. An act for the relief of Joe Reno;

H. R. 1871. An act for the relief of the Medical College of Virginia;

H. R. 2620. An act for the relief of Sadie Wilkinson;

H. R. 2621. An act for the relief of Tom L. Griffith;

H. R. 2702. An act for the relief of Emanuel Lieberman;

H. R. 4601. An act for the relief of the heirs of Gladys Picklesimer;

H. R. 4784. An act for the relief of J. T. Slayback;

H. R. 4843. An act for the relief of Charles E. Molster;

H. R. 5245. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding;

H. R. 5351. An act for the relief of Rose Teiermeyer;

H. R. 5634. An act for the relief of Baltimore Renovating Co.;

H. R. 5781. An act for the relief of the widow and next of kin of James J. Curran;

H. R. 5811. An act for the relief of Michael A. McHugh;

H. R. 5905. An act for the relief of Cal Settles and Rhoda Settles;

H. R. 6168. An act for the relief of Charles K. Shade;

H. R. 6889. An act for the relief of A. Zappene;

H. R. 6892. An act for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation;

H. R. 7076. An act for the relief of the heirs of John Schrodl;

H. R. 8020. An act for the relief of Jose R. Redlhammer;

H. R. 1965. An act for the relief of William E. Fossett;

H. R. 4570. An act for the relief of Amy McLaurin;

H. R. 5558. An act for the relief of Clarence F. Jobson;

H. R. 5475. An act for the relief of Henry Irving Riley;

H. R. 5516. An act authorizing the President to issue a posthumous commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, to Archie Joseph Evans, deceased, and to present the same to Maj. Argess M. Evans, father of the said Archie Joseph Evans, deceased;

H. R. 8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8187. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Tionesta, in Tionesta Township, and in the county of Forest, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va.;

H. R. 7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River, at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7924. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Port Allegany, in the county of McKean, State of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7928. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Ford City, Pa.;

H. R. 7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River, at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows" in the State of Washington;

H. R. 1286. An act for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell);

H. R. 7740. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Black River at or near the north line of section 2, township 24 north, range 6 east, near Poplar Bluff, Mo.;

H. R. 8345. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida;

H. R. 5790. An act for the relief of certain creditors of J. R. & J. A. Whelan, Inc.;

H. R. 6057. An act for the relief of Joe Brumit;

H. R. 7137. An act for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne;

H. R. 4428. An act for the relief of Caroline (Stever) Dykstra;

H. R. 8977. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire a site for the erection of a post-office building at Columbus, Miss.;

H. R. 5540. An act extending the period during which no demurrage is charged on collect-on-delivery parcels and excepting the imposition of demurrage charged on collect-on-delivery parcels exchanged between the continental and island possessions;

H. R. 5049. An act providing punishment for forging or counterfeiting any postmarking stamp;

H. R. 5162. An act providing for punishment for attempts to obtain mail by fraud or by deception;

H. R. 5360. An act providing for punishment for the crime or robbing or attempting to rob custodians of Government moneys or property;

H. J. Res. 276. Joint resolution authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson, without cost, title to section 16, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes; and

H. J. Res. 350. Joint resolution to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States.

Ordered, That the bills and joint resolutions pass to a third reading.

The said bills and joint resolutions were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2077) to authorize the presentation of the Distinguished Service Cross to William A. Sullivan; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to William A. Sullivan, formerly private, Company E, One Hundred and Fifth Infantry, Twenty-seventh Division, American Expeditionary Forces, in the World War."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3197) to repeal a provision of section 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Everglades National Park in the State of Florida, and for other purposes", approved May 30, 1934; and the reported amendments having been disagreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, that the reported amendment to the title be disagreed to, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

S. 3049. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

S. 2075. A bill to provide for the appointment of additional district judges for the eastern and western districts of Missouri;

S. 2961. A bill for the relief of Peter Cymboluk;

S. 2881. A bill creating the Decatur-Onawa Bridge Board of Trustees, and authorizing said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the towns of Decatur, Nebr., and Onawa, Iowa;

S. 2882. A bill to create the South Sioux City Bridge Board of Trustees, and to authorize said board and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Missouri River between the cities of South Sioux City, Nebr., and Sioux City, Iowa;

S. 2773. A bill for the relief of Roy Masters Worley; and

S. 1642. A bill for the relief of Sophie Caffrey.

Ordered, That the bills be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the respective titles thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3118) to provide for the creation of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial National Monument, on Put in Bay, South Bass Island, in the State of Ohio, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the creation of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial National Monument, on Put-in-Bay, South Bass Island, in the State of Ohio, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the following bills; and the reported amendments were agreed to:

H. R. 4567. An act for the relief of Robert E. Callen;

H. R. 7858. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

H. R. 6250. An act to amend the National Defense Act;

H. R. 3003. An act to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Miss., and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bills read a third time.

The said bills, as amended, were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 8133) to authorize certain homestead settlers or entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "An act to authorize certain homestead entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 1443) granting the Distinguished Service Cross, also the Oak Leaf Cluster, to Acors Rathbun Thompson; and the reported amendment to the text of the bill having been agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to Acors Rathbun Thompson, formerly private, Sixty-sixth Company, First Battalion, Fifth Marines, Second Division, American Expeditionary Forces."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3327) to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes; and having been amended on the motion of Mr. Fletcher,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 4770) for the relief of Elinora Fareira; and the reported amendment having been agreed to, and the bill further amended on the motion of Mr. McAdoo,

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended to read: "An act for the relief of Elinora Fareira and Mearon Perkins."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendments.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the bill (S. 1687) to incorporate the National Yeomen (F) was reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. King, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate subsequently resumed the consideration of the said bill; and

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 9215, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE FOR KANSAS

On motion by Mr. McGill that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3434) to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the District of Kansas,

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The further consideration of the motion was temporarily laid aside.

JUDGMENT RENDERED BY DISTRICT COURT

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, schedule of a claim covering a judgment rendered by the District Court for the Southern District of New York against the collector of customs, amounting to $4,616.34; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES TO PRIVATELY OWNED PROPERTY

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, estimates of appropriations, amounting to $121.75, submitted by certain executive departments to pay claims for damages which have been considered and adjusted under the provisions of law and require appropriations for their payment; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIM OF PIERRE E. TEETS

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, an estimate of appropriation, amounting to $6,937.14, covering the claim of Pierre E. Teets, allowed by the General Accounting Office; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, schedules of claims allowed by the General Accounting Office, amounting to $50,627.78, as covered by certificates of settlement under appropriations, the balances of which have been carried to the surplus fund; which, with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

BICENTENARY OF BIRTH OF DANIEL BOONE

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The bill (H. R. 7678) to authorize the Director of the Mint to supplement the approved design of the 50-cent piece commemorating the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone, the coinage of which was authorized by act of the Seventy-third Congress (Public, No. 258, S. 3355), this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RECEIPT AND REFERENCE OF BILLS DURING RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That during the recess of the Senate the Secretary may receive and refer bills coming over from the House of Representatives.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess until 12 o'clock m. tomorrow.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

RECEIPT AND REFERENCE OF BILLS DURING RECESS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following communication from the Secretary of the Senate, which was read:

UNITED STATES SENATE,
Washington, August 23, 1935.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE:

I beg to report that, under authority of the order of the Senate agreed to on yesterday, the following bills were received by me from the House of Representatives during the recess of the Senate and referred as hereafter indicated:

H. R. 8455. An act authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

H. R. 8652. An act to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 9185. An act to insure the collection of the revenue on intoxicating liquor, to provide for the more efficient and economical administration and enforcement of the laws relating to the taxation of intoxicating liquor, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully yours,

EDWIN A. HALSEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation, amounting to $30,500, required by the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year 1936, for acquisition of the property of the Haskell Students' Activities Association, at Lawrence, Kans.; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

DRAFT OF LEGISLATION PERTAINING TO TOBACCO INSPECTION ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a draft of proposed legislation to make available to the Secretary of Agriculture funds required to give effect to the provisions of the Tobacco Inspection Act approved August 23, 1935; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

JULY REPORT OF RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the activities and expenditures of the Corporation for the month of July 1935, including statements of authorizations made during that month, showing the name, amount, and rate of interest or dividend in each case; which, with the accompanying report, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

HIGH-SCHOOL BUILDING AT DEVILS LAKE, N. DAK.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment yesterday received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2621) to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and

On motion by Mr. Frazier,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PETITION AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A resolution adopted by Carpenters' Local No. 307, of Winona, Minn., favoring the reconsideration of the regulations prescribing the percentage of relief workers employed on Public Works projects so as to lower it to not more than 20 percent; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

A resolution adopted by an emergency conference called by Essex County branch, American Jewish Congress, Workmen's Circle, and B'Nai Brith, of Newark, N. J., remonstrating against alleged persecutions in Germany and favoring appropriate action therein; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a resolution adopted by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Ohio, of Columbus, Ohio, expressing its regret upon the death of Hon. Charles V. Truax, Representative in Congress from the State of Ohio.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Logan, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted a report (No. 1449) to accompany the bill (S. 1687) to incorporate the National Yeomen F, heretofore reported.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 531) granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1450) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8598) to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Ordered, by unanimous consent, That the vote on the passage of the bill (S. 2005) of an identical title be reconsidered, and that the said bill be postponed indefinitely.

Mr. Schwellenbach, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 6137) for the relief of the Otto Misch Co., reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1451) thereon.

Mr. George, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 9116) to extend the provisions of veterans' laws and regulations to persons who served in Russia during the World War, and their dependents, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1452) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Harrison, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8652) to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1912) for the relief of William J. Ryan, chaplain, United States Army, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1453) thereon.

Mr. Sheppard, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2869) to legalize the use of emergency relief funds for the construction of armories for the National Guard, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1454) thereon.

Mr. Pittman, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3413) to give effect to the Convention between the United States and certain other countries for the regulation of whaling, concluded at Geneva, March 31, 1932, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1455) thereon.

INVESTIGATION OF FEDERAL FARM BOARD

Mr. McNary, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, who were directed by Senate Resolution 42 (72d Cong.), as continued by Senate Resolution 364 (72d Cong.) and Senate Resolution 277 (73d Cong.), to make an investigation of the activities and operations of the Federal Farm Board, submitted a report (No. 1456); which was ordered to be printed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION

Bills and a joint resolution were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Davis:

A bill (S. 3462) granting a pension to Harry A. Croft (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Byrd:

A bill (S. 3463) to establish the Appalachian National Park in the State of Virginia; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. Lewis:

A bill (S. 3464) to create a Foreign Trade Board, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 3465) to authorize the United States Housing Corporation to execute and deliver deeds for certain residence properties in the city of Philadelphia; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Johnson:

A bill (S. 3466) to provide funds for cooperation with the board of trustees of the Warner Springs Union School District, Warner Springs, Calif., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Los Coyotes and Volcan Indian Reservations, Calif.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma:

A joint resolution (S. J. Res. 177) to define the term of certain contracts with Indian tribes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, reported a bill (S. 3467) amending the Shipping Act, 1916, as amended; which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

PRINTING OF PORTIONS OF SENATE DOCUMENT 92, SEVENTIETH CONGRESS

Mr. Norris, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 197), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That 1,000 additional copies of each of those numbers of Senate document 92, Seventieth Congress, first session, which are out of print or the supply of which is about to be exhausted; and 10,000 additional copies of number 71–A of Senate document 92, Seventieth Congress, first session, be printed for the use of the Senate Document Room.

REPRESENTATIVES ABROAD OF THE SENATE

Mr. La Follette, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 198):

Resolved, That the Senate hereby gives notice that none of its members has been authorized either directly or indirectly to act as the official or unofficial representative abroad of the Senate or any of its committees.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 2652) to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the dis-

agreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and has appointed Mr. Samuel B. Hill, Mr. Lewis of Maryland, Mr. Vinson of Kentucky, Mr. Knutson, and Mr. Reed of New York managers at the same on its part.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 9074) granting pensions to certain soldiers and sailors of the Regular Army and Navy, and so forth, and certain soldiers and sailors of wars other than the Civil War, and to widows and dependents of such soldiers and sailors, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 9074, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

ATTACHMENT OF UNITED STATES POSSESSIONS TO INTERNAL-REVENUE COLLECTION DISTRICTS

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the Chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2652) to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Senate notify the House of Representatives thereof.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following acts:

On August 21, 1935:

S. 578. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to permit citizens of Bear Lake County, Idaho, to obtain timber from Lincoln County, Wyo., for domestic purposes;

S. 739. An act to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Fort Stanwix in the State of New York;

S. 2073. An act to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes;

S. 2156. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Chesapeake Bay between Baltimore and Kent Counties, Md.;

S. 2488. An act for the relief of the widows of an inspector and certain special agents of the Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, and operative in the Secret Service Division, Department of the Treasury, killed in line of duty; and

S. 2556. An act to amend and supplement the steering rules respecting orders to helmsmen on all vessels navigating waters of the United States, and on all vessels of the United States navigating any waters or seas, in section 1 of the act of August 19, 1890, section 1 of the act of June 7, 1897, section 1 of the act of February 8, 1895, and section 1 of the act of February 19, 1895.

On August 22, 1935:

S. 1735. An act for the relief of the estate of W. W. McPeters;

S. 2361. An act to fix the compensation of registers of district land offices;

S. 2373. An act for the relief of Harry Jarrette;

S. 2666. An act for the relief of the Nacional Destilerias Corporation;

S. 2832. An act to provide a preliminary examination of Goldsborough Creek, in Mason County, State of Washington, with a view to the control of its floods; and

S. 2993. An act for the relief of Carrie Price Roberts.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE FOR KANSAS

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. McGill's motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3434) to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the district of Kansas.

Pending debate,

Mr. McNary raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-six Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 3210) to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2215) to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 4324) to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements.

STABILIZATION OF BITUMINOUS COAL-MINING INDUSTRY

Mr. Neely submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 1, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 21.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 22; and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

It shall not be an unfair method of competition or a violation of the code or any requirement of this act (1) to sell to or through any bona fide and legitimate farmer's cooperative organization duly organized under the laws of any State, Territory, the District of Columbia, or the United States whether or not such organization grants rebates, discounts, patronage dividends, or other similar benefits to its members, (2) to sell through any intervening agency to any such cooperative organization, or (3) to pay or allow to any such cooperative organization or to any such intervening agency any discount, commission, rebate, or dividend ordinarily paid or allowed, or permitted by the code to be paid or allowed, to other purchasers for purchases in wholesale or middleman quantities.

And the Senate agree to the same.

M. M. NEELY,
ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
JAMES J. DAVIS,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
SAMUEL B. HILL,
DAVID J. LEWIS,
FRED M. VINSON,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate subsequently proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE FOR KANSAS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. McGill to proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3434) to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the district of Kansas.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Capper to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary,

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the Chair) held that the motion was not in order, inasmuch as the bill was not before the Senate.

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. McGill's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 55 / Nays---------- 19

On motion by Mr. McNary,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Gore, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Van Nuys, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Borah, Capper, Davis, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, La Follette, McNary, Metcalf, Norbeck, Norris, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Tydings, Vandenberg, and White.

So Mr. McGill's motion was agreed to; and

The Senate thereupon proceeded to consider the said bill.

After debate,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Mr. Neely moved to reconsider the vote on the passage of the said bill; when,

On motion by Mr. McGill,

Mr. Neely's motion was laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the bill.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 2632. An act to provide for the construction of ten vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work; and

S. 3446. An act relative to limitation of shipowners' liability.

The House has passed the bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

FARM-MORTGAGE RELIEF

The Presiding Officer (Mr. McKellar in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 3002) to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Borah,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MODIFICATION OR CANCELLATION OF OCEAN-MAIL CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. Copeland, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 175) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Mr. Robinson moved to reconsider the vote on the passage of the foregoing joint resolution; when,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Mr. Robinson's motion was laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

CONFERENCE REPORT ON PUBLIC-UTILITY ACT OF 1935

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That leave be granted to the committee of conference on the bill (S. 2796), the Public Utility Act of 1935, to file with the Secretary during any recess of the Senate, a report on the said bill.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills of the Senate:

S. 3327. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes; and

S. 3414. An act to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8599) to provide for a change in the designation of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection, to create a marine casualty investigation board and increase efficiency in administration of the steamboat inspection laws, and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8599, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIR CORPS TECHNICAL SCHOOL IN COLORADO

On motion by Mr. Costigan that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3398) to establish the Air Corps Technical School and to acquire certain land in the State of Colorado for use as a site for said Air Corps Technical School and as an aerial gunnery and bombing range for the Army Air Corps,

Pending debate,

The further consideration of the motion was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

MODIFICATION OR CANCELATION OF OCEAN-MAIL CONTRACTS

On motion by Mr. Black, and by unanimous consent,

The vote on the passage of the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 175) to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934, was reconsidered, together with the vote ordering its engrossment and third reading.

On motion by Mr. Black to amend the joint resolution by striking out all after the resolving clause and inserting in lieu thereof certain words,

Pending debate,

Mr. Black raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Minton in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty-seven Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Overton, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Van Nuys, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Pending further debate,

Mr. Copeland raised a question as to the presence of a quorum; and

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Robinson in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Fletcher, Frazier, Gerry, Gibson, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, King, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Black's amendment, viz, strike out all after the resolving clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That on March 31, 1936, all contracts made by the Postmaster General pursuant to the provisions of the Merchant Marine Act, 1928, for the carriage of mail shall stand rescinded, and it shall be unlawful for any officer of the Government to pay from any public funds any compensation to the holder of any such contract for the carriage of ocean mail except on voyages that commenced prior to March 31, 1936. Any contractor whose contract is rescinded may, within 1 year from the passage of this resolution, be entitled to sue the United States for any just compensation under said contract to which such contractor may show himself entitled, in the manner provided for by paragraph 20 of section 41 and section 250 of title 28 of the United States Code. The claimant and the United States shall have the right in such court to set up and have determined and adjusted by the court all legal and equitable claims, differences, offsets, credits, and recoupments to which either may be entitled, to the end that all conflicting claims, assertions, and rights may be fully, fairly, and completely settled and adjudged by the court. The jurisdiction of said court is hereby limited to an award of just compensation, which compensation shall not include any allowance for prospective or speculative future profits that might have been realized by the claimant if permitted further to perform his contract.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 27 / Nays 37 }

On motion by Mr. Black,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators, present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Frazier, Gore, Holt, King, La Follette, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Neely, Norris, Schwellenbach, Shipstead, Truman, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Chavez, Copeland, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Lonergan, Moore, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Black's amendment was not agreed to.

The joint resolution was amended on the motion of Mr. O'Mahoney and the motion of Mr. Long.

Ordered, That the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time.

On the question, Shall the joint resolution pass?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 45 / Nays 20 }

On motion by Mr. Black,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Brown, Bulkley, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Copeland, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lonergan, Maloney, Minton, Moore, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Sheppard, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Bankhead, Black, Bone, Bulow, Capper, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Frazier, Gore, Holt, King, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Neely, Norris, Schwellenbach, and Truman.

So it was

Resolved, That the joint resolution pass.

The title was ordered to stand as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House has passed without amendment the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 9) authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 191) to amend the Revenue Act of 1918, as amended, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The Speaker of the House having signed 9 enrolled bills, viz, S. 946, S. 1483, S. 2521, S. 2621, S. 2867, S. 3184, S. 3374, S. 3386, H. R. 4324, and H. R. 8587, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 163, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 946. An act to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana";

S. 1483. An act for the relief of William E. Williams;

S. 2521. An act amending section 5 of the Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy;

S. 2621. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children;

S. 2867. An act to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the district of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes;

S. 3184. An act to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation;

S. 3374. An act for the relief of the State of Indiana;

S. 3386. An act for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian;

H. R. 4324. An act to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements;

H. R. 8587. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and

S. J. Res. 163. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 191, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Finance.

OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF TEXAS CENTENNIAL COMMISSION

Mr. Connally, by unanimous consent, introduced a joint resolution (S. J. Res. 178) to authorize the appointment of certain officers and employees of the United States Texas Centennial Commission, without regard to the civil-service laws; which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

WALTER F. NORTHROP

On motion by Mr. Barbour, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 531) granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CLAIM OF MENOMINEE TRIBE OF INDIANS

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 3210) to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

ORDER FOR RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the Senate concludes its business today it take a recess until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on today they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 414. An act to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.;

S. 1374. An act relative to the proposed survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska;

S. 1448. An act for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918;

S. 1763. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930;

S. 1787. An act to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina;

S. 1817. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island;

S. 1832. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years;

S. 1864. An act for the relief of the State of Nebraska;

S. 2203. An act to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes;

S. 2578. An act authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma;

S. 2608. An act to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933;

S. 2644. An act for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern;

S. 2649. An act to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.;

S. 2681. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt.;

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S. 2761. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon;

S. 2888. An act to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes;

S. 3092. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

S. 3194. An act to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended;

S. 3270. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia;

S. 3336. An act to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes;

S. 3353. An act providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 65. Joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIR CORPS TECHNICAL SCHOOL IN COLORADO

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Costigan to consider the bill (S. 3998) to establish the Air Corps Technical School and to acquire certain land in the State of Colorado for use as a site for said Air Corps Technical School and as an aerial gunnery and bombing range for the Army Air Corps.

Pending debate,

The further consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

Mr. Adams, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1458) thereon.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and the reported amendments were agreed to.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Adams, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, the motion of Mr. Hayden, the motion of Mr. Connally, on behalf of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, the motion of Mr. Barkley, the motion of Mr. Norris, and the motion of Mr. McCarran.

The further consideration of the said bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS TO SUSPEND RULE XVI

Mr. Byrnes submitted the following notices in writing:

"Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, the following amendment, viz: At end of bill add a new section reading as follows:

"'Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make loans to farmers at the rate of 12 cents per pound on cotton, when such loans are secured by cotton stored in warehouses approved by said Corporation, upon such terms and conditions as similar loans have been made by said Corporation during the crop year ending July 31, 1935, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make available to the Commodity Credit Corporation sufficient funds to carry out this purpose.'"

"Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, the following amendment, viz: At the ending of the bill insert the following:

"'No part of any funds made available for the use of the Commodity Credit Corporation either from the Treasury directly or through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall be paid to any person, firm, corporation, or cooperative association for services in connection with the removal of cotton under what is known as the "reconcentration program" from any warehouse heretofore approved by said Commodity Credit Corporation, nor shall any such funds be expended for storage of any cotton moved under such program from the place of original storage.'"

Mr. King submitted the following notices in writing:

"Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 or rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, the following amendment, viz: At the proper place in the bill to insert the following:

"'The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make loans to producers of copper which is mined in the United States, of 15 cents per pound, secured by copper stored in warehouses or other places to be approved by said Corporation upon such terms and conditions as shall fully protect the interests of said Corporation and the United States.'"

"Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, etc., the following amendment, viz: At the proper place insert the following:

"'The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make loans to domestic producers of wool at the rate of 30 cents per pound, secured by wool stored in warehouses or other places to be approved by said Corporation upon such terms and conditions as shall fully protect the interests of said Corporation and the United States.'"

Mr. Bankhead submitted the following notice in writing:

"Pursuant to the provisions of rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby give notice in writing that I shall hereafter move to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, the following amendment, viz, at the proper place to insert the following:

"'That so much of the last sentence of section 32 of the act entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes" (H. R. 8492, 74th Cong.) as precedes the second proviso is amended to read as follows: "The amounts appropriated under this section shall be expended for such of the above-specified purposes, and at such times, in such manner, and in such amounts as the Secretary of Agriculture shall prescribe."'"

CLAUDE W. SHELTON

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Clark in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, S. 1497, authorizing me to appoint Claude W. Shelton, first lieutenant, United States Army, retired, to the grade of captain, United States Army, retired, effective as of July 1, 1920, with the retired pay of a captain. This measure further provides that no back pay or allowances shall be held to have accrued prior to its passage.

From the facts in this case of record in the War Department, it appears that Claude W. Shelton entered the Regular Army as a provisional second lieutenant of Infantry with rank from June 5, 1917; was immediately promoted to provisional first lieutenant; and held a temporary commission as captain from August 5, 1917, to March 5, 1920. He was placed on the retired list as a first lieutenant March 9, 1920, because of disability resulting from wounds received in action overseas in July 1918. Under the general legislation enacted June 21, 1930, he was advanced on the retired list to his highest war-time rank of captain. That legislation authorizes the advancement of retired officers, who served with credit during the World War, to the highest rank held by them during such service, and also provides that such advancement shall be without any increase in pay or allowances.

Briefly stated, the ultimate purpose of this measure is to increase the annual compensation of this retired officer from $1,950 to $2,340. In this connection it appears that Captain Shelton's compensation is being increased regularly under existing law by virtue of the fact that having been retired for disability resulting from wounds received in action, he is credited with inactive service on the retired list for longevity pay purposes.

I have been advised by the War Department that while Captain Shelton would have been eligible for promotion to the permanent grade of captain had he remained on the active list until July 1, 1920, his retirement on March 9, 1920, was approved and effected only after a retiring board had determined that he was permanently incapacitated for active service, and that the action taken in his case was strictly in conformity with the governing laws. Therefore, I can see no reason for singling him out for preferential treatment at this time for the purpose of conferring upon him the pay of a captain, which grade he did not hold on the date of his retirement.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 23, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and printed.

FILING OF CONFERENCE REPORTS DURING RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That leave be granted to conference committees to file reports with the Secretary of the Senate during its recess.

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIR CORPS TECHNICAL SCHOOL IN COLORADO

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Costigan's motion that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill (S. 3398) to establish the Air Corps Technical School and to acquire certain land in the State of Colorado for use as a site for said Air Corps Technical School and as an aerial gunnery and bombing range for the Army Air Corps; when,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the said bill be made a special order for the third day of the next session of the Congress.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transporation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 9100) to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties.

The Speaker of the House having signed 55 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 921, H. R. 996, H. R. 1286, H. R. 1871, H. R. 1965, H. R. 2325, H. R. 2620, H. R. 2621, H. R. 2702, H. R. 3408, H. R. 4226, H. R. 4339, H. R. 4428, H. R. 4570, H. R. 4601, H. R. 4784, H. R. 4848, H. R. 4852, H. R. 5049, H. R. 5162, H. R. 5245, H. R. 5351, H. R. 5360, H. R. 5475, H. R. 5516, H. R. 5540, H. R. 5558, H. R. 5634, H. R. 5781, H. R. 5790, H. R. 5811, H. R. 5905, H. R. 6057, H. R. 6168, H. R. 6394, H. R. 6889, H. R. 6892, H. R. 7076, H. R. 7137, H. R. 7592, H. R. 7740, H. R. 7897, H. R. 7924, H. R. 7928, H. R. 7979, H. R. 8020, H. R. 8098, H. R. 8131, H. R. 8183, H. R. 8187, H. R. 8189, H. R. 8345, H. R. 8652, H. R. 8977, and H. R. 9100, and 2 enrolled joint resolutions, viz, H. J. Res. 276, and H. J. Res. 350, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

H. R. 921. An act for the relief of Edgar Sampson;

H. R. 996. An act for the relief of Joe Reno;

H. R. 1286. An act for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell);

H. R. 1871. An act for the relief of the Medical College of Virginia, and others, of Richmond, Va.;

H. R. 1965. An act for the relief of William E. Fossett;

H. R. 2325. An act for the relief of James P. Whalen;

H. R. 2620. An act for the relief of Sadie Wilkinson;

H. R. 2621. An act for the relief of Tom L. Griffith;

H. R. 2702. An act for the relief of Emanuel Liberman;

H. R. 3408. An act for the relief of Rufus Jones, a minor;

H. R. 4226. An act for the relief of Floyd Hull;

H. R. 4339. An act to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah;

H. R. 4428. An act for the relief of Caroline (Stever) Dykstra;

H. R. 4570. An act for the relief of Amy McLaurin;

H. R. 4601. An act for the relief of the heirs of Gladys Picklesimer;

H. R. 4784. An act for the relief of J. T. Slayback;

H. R. 4848. An act for the relief of Charles E. Molster, disbursing clerk, Department of Commerce, and Dr. Louis H. Bauer, a former employee;

H. R. 4852. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;

H. R. 5049. An act providing punishment for forging or counterfeiting any postmarking stamp;

H. R. 5162. An act providing for punishment for attempts to obtain mail by fraud or by deception;

H. R. 5245. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding;

H. R. 5351. An act for the relief of Rose Teiermeyer;

H. R. 5360. An act providing for punishment for the crime of robbing or attempting to rob custodians of Government moneys or property;

H. R. 5475. An act for the relief of Henry Irving Riley;

H. R. 5516. An act authorizing the President to issue a posthumous commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, to Archie Joseph Evans, deceased, and to present the same to Maj. Agress M. Evans, father of the said Archie Joseph Evans, deceased;

H. R. 5540. An act extending the period during which no demurrage is charged on collect-on-delivery parcels and excepting the imposition of demurrage charged on collect-on-delivery parcels exchanged between the continental and island possessions;

H. R. 5558. An act for the relief of Clarence F. Jobson;

H. R. 5634. An act for the relief of the Baltimore Renovating Co.;

H. R. 5781. An act for the relief of the widow and next of kin of James J. Curran;

H. R. 5790. An act for the relief of certain creditors of J. R. and J. A. Whelan, Inc.;

H. R. 5811. An act for the relief of Michael A. McHugh;

H. R. 5905. An act for the relief of Cal Settles and Rhoda Settles;

H. R. 6057. An act for the relief of Joe Brumit;

H. R. 6168. An act for the relief of Charles K. Shade;

H. R. 6394. An act for the relief of William K. Caley;

H. R. 6889. An act for the relief of A. Zappone and W. R. Fuchs;

H. R. 6892. An act for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation;

H. R. 7076. An act for the relief of the heirs of John Schrodl;

H. R. 7137. An act for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne;

H. R. 7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va.;

H. R. 7740. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Black River at or near the north line of section 2, township 24 north, range 6 east, near Poplar Bluff, Mo.;

H. R. 7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7924. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Port Allegheny, in the county of McKean, State of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 7298. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Ford City, Pa.;

H. R. 7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows", in the State of Washington;

H. R. 8020. An act for the relief of Jose R. Redlhammer;

H. R. 8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky.;

H. R. 8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate, a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8187. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Tionesta, in Tionesta Township, and in the county of Forest, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8345. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida;

H. R. 8652. An act to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8977. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire a site for the erection of a post-office building at Columbus, Miss.;

H. R. 9100. An act to stabilize the bituminous coal-mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties;

H. J. Res. 276. Joint resolution authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson, without cost, title to section 16, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes; and

H. J. Res. 350. Joint resolution to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMERICAN NEUTRALITY

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Robinson in the chair) laid before the Senate the amendments received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments.

On motion by Mr. Pittman that the Senate agree thereto, Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Pittman, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said amendments be postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow, and that not later than 11 o'clock a. m., the Senate proceed to vote without further debate upon his motion to agree to the said amendments.

FLOOD CONTROL

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8455) authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes, reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill.

The reported amendments having been agreed to,

The further consideration of the said bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily laid aside.

MEDALS TO SENATOR A. HARRY MOORE AND OTHERS

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was recommitted the bill (S. 1874) to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented to Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, Captain John Bogan, Sr., and the members of the crew of the fishing boat *Paramount,* reported it with amendments.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said bill; and the reported amendments having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented by Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, the captain and members of the crews of certain fishing and pleasure boats and to others."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

FLOOD CONTROL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8455) authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg to further amend the bill by inserting on page 2, line 3, a proviso relative to allocation of appropriations for completion of projects.

Pending debate,

BAN ON GOLD-CLAUSE SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

Mr. Fletcher submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 348) authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 3:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In the matter proposed to be inserted by said amendment strike out ", or which may be commenced within six months after the effective date of this joint resolution" and insert *or which may be commenced by January 1, 1936, or to any proceeding referred to in this section in which no claim is made for payment or credit in an amount in excess of the face or nominal value in dollars of the securities, coins or currencies of the United States involved in such proceedings,* and the Senate agree to the same.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate to the preamble and to the title of the resolution, and agree to the same.

DUNCAN U. FLETCHER,
WM. C. MCADOO,
PETER NORBECK,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
HENRY B. STEAGALL,
M. K. REILLY,
JOHN B. HOLLISTER,
JESSE P. WOLCOTT,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof .

ADDITIONAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mr. Gore, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 23) creating a joint congressional committee to make a study of the fiscal system of the United States, reported it with amendments; and

Ordered, That the concurrent resolution be referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.

Mr. Bailey, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4799) to provide for the reimbursement of certain officers and enlisted men or former officers and enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps for personal property lost, damaged, or destroyed as a result of the earthquake which occurred at Managua, Nicaragua, on March 31, 1931, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1459) thereon.

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 8599) to provide for a change in the designation of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection, to create a marine casualty investigation board and increase efficiency in the administration of the steamboat-inspection laws, and for other purposes, reported it without amendment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed two enrolled bills, viz., H. R. 8598 and H. R. 9116, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 8598. An act to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States; and

H. R. 9116. An act to extend the provisions of veterans' laws and regulations to persons who served in Russia during the World War, and their dependents.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

FLOOD CONTROL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 8455) authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Vandenberg on page 2, line 3.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Tydings to recommit the bill to the Committee on Commerce with instructions to report the same back to the Senate when it next convenes in January.

Mr. Vandenberg raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Forty-nine Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Frazier, Gibson, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, Maloney, McCarran, McGill, Minton, Murphy, Murray, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Tydings,

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 29 / Nays 20}

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Brown, Bulow, Burke, Copeland, Frazier, Gibson, Hale, Hatch, Hayden, La Follette, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Russell, Shipstead, Thomas of Utah, Tydings, Vandenberg, Walsh, and White.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Barkley, Bone, Capper, Caraway, Clark, Connally, Guffey, Harrison, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McCarran, McGill, Murray, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Thomas of Oklahoma, and Truman.

So the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Commerce with instructions.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 3 minutes a. m. (Saturday, August 24, 1935),

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess, pursuant to its order, until 10 o'clock a. m.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. (CALENDAR DAY SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

THE JOURNAL

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Journal of the proceedings of the calendar day of yesterday was approved.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Eighty Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

The Vice President appointed Mr. Ashurst, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Van Nuys, Mr. Borah, and Mr. McNary as members on the part of the Senate of the United States Constitution Sesquicentennial Commission, established pursuant to the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution 59, providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States, approved August 23, 1935.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation, amounting to $5,000,000, required by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration for the fiscal year 1936 to carry out the purposes of the Potato Act of 1935; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

FUNDS TO CARRY OUT COTTON GINNING PROVISIONS OF AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a draft of proposed legislation to make available to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration funds required to give effect to section 40 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to cotton ginned during the crop year 1935–36 or subsequent crop year while the act is in effect; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITION

Mr. Tydings presented a petition of citizens of Myersville, Md., and vicinity praying the preservation of peace and the outlawry of war as a national policy in settling international disputes; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

Mr. Copeland, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2003) to amend section 13 of the act of March 4, 1915, entitled "An act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea", reported it with an amendment and submitted a report (No. 1461) thereon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Wheeler:

A bill (S. 3468) granting an increase of pension to Isabell F. Smith (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Guffey:

A bill (S. 3469) to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, consider, and determine the claims of Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., Inc.; to the Committee on Claims.

PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT OF YELLOWSTONE PARK

Mr. Robinson, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 199), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the amount allotted for the investigation of the proposed enlargement of the Yellowstone Park, and the activities in the Jackson Hole region as thereto related, by authority of Resolution No. 226, agreed to February 11, 1933, be, and hereby is, increased to the extent of $310 to pay outstanding obligations incurred in pursuance of the purposes of said resolution to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

INVESTIGATION OF WOODPULP OR PULPWOOD CONDITIONS

Mr. Borah, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 200), which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the United States Tariff Commission, under authority conferred by section 332 of the Tariff Act of 1930, is directed to investigate and report to the Senate all facts relating to wood pulp, or pulpwood, showing the volume of importations compared with domestic production, and the conditions, causes, and effects relating to foreign competition, and all other facts showing the differences in, or which affect competition between the production of wood pulp, or pulpwood, in the United States or that imported in the principal markets of the United States.

ENFORCEMENT OF GOVERNMENT SILVER POLICY

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 201):

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of the Treasury shall proceed immediately to carry out the United States silver policy enthusiastically to the end that our silver monetary stocks shall contain $1 in silver to each $3 in gold, or until the price of silver in the world market shall reach $1.29 per fine ounce; be it further

Resolved, That if and when silver reaches $1.29 per ounce, thereby making the bullion in the silver worth $1, then such value be fixed, maintained, and stabilized by the free sale and purchase of silver at such price; be it further

Resolved, That in any monetary or stabilization conference called by or participated in by the United States, the question of making silver a primary and basic monetary metal shall be considered.

Ordered, That the resolution lie on the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULE REGARDING NOMINATIONS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That paragraph 6 of rule XXXVIII be suspended and that all nominations now on the Executive Calendar of the Senate, or pending before any of the standing committees of the Senate, shall remain in statu quo until the convening of the regular session of Congress on January 3, 1936, and that the said nominations shall not be affected by the adjournment of the present session of Congress.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 531, H. R. 7678, and H. R. 7932, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 531. An act granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop;

H. R. 7678. An act to authorize the Director of the Mint to supplement the approved design of the 50-cent piece commemorating the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone, the coinage of which was authorized by act of the Seventy-third Congress (Public, No. 258, S. 3355); and

H. R. 7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 23, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills and joint resolution:

S. 946. An act to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana";

S. 1483. An act for the relief of William E. Williams;

S. 2521. An act amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy;

S. 2621. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children;

S. 2867. An act to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes;

S. 3184. An act to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation;

S. 3374. An act for the relief of the State of Indiana;

S. 3386. An act for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian; and

S. J. Res. 163. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition.

AMERICAN NEUTRALITY

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House of Representatives to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 173) providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war.

The question being on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Pittman that the Senate agree to the said amendments,

After debate,

The hour of 11 o'clock a. m. having arrived,

The Senate, pursuant to its order of yesterday, proceeded to vote on the question of agreeing to Mr. Pittman's motion; and

It was determined in the affirmative, {Yeas 79 / Nays 2}

On motion by Mr. Vandenberg,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barbour, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

Mr. Bankhead and Mr. Gerry voted in the negative.

So the House amendments were agreed to.

Ordered That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 3303) to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings.

The House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 872) for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims.

The House has agreed to the respective reports of the committees of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the following bill and joint resolutions:

H. R. 8870. An act to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws

with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes;

H. J. Res. 265. Joint resolution pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; and

H. J. Res. 348. Joint resolution authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes.

The House has passed the bill (H. R. 8597) to amend section 13 of the act of March 4, 1915, entitled "An act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea"; to maintain discipline on shipboard; and for other purposes, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL REFERRED

The bill H. R. 8597, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

REPRESENTATIVES ABROAD OF THE SENATE

On motion by Mr. La Follette, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution (S. Res. 198) relative to Members of the Senate acting as representatives abroad of the Senate.

Pending debate,

On motion by Mr. Connally to refer the resolution to the Committe on Foreign Relations,

Pending debate,

Mr. La Follette raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The President pro tempore directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barbour, Barkley, Bone, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Metcalf, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Vandenberg, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

A quorum being present,

The question being taken on agreeing to Mr. Connally's motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 47 / Nays---------- 26 }

On motion by Mr. La Follette,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Ashurst, Bachman, Bankhead, Barkley, Bone, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Connally, Copeland, Dieterich, George, Gerry, Glass, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, King, Lewis, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Moore, Murphy, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Radcliffe, Reynolds, Robinson, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Truman, Tydings, and Wagner.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Adams, Austin, Bailey, Barbour, Brown, Capper, Clark, Davis, Frazier, Gibson, Gore, Hale, Holt, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Maloney, Metcalf, Nye, Pittman, Schall, Shipstead, Steiwer, Trammell, Walsh, and White.

So the resolution was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Adams, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, and the motion of Mr. Copeland.

On motion by Mr. Holt, and by unanimous consent,

The vote agreeing to the reported amendment on page 11, beginning in line 6, was reconsidered.

The question being again taken on agreeing to the amendment,

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes to further amend the bill by adding at the end thereof the following:

The Commodity Credit Corporation is hereby directed to make loans to farmers at the rate of 12 cents per pound on cotton, where such loans are secured by cotton stored in warehouses approved by said Corporation upon such terms and conditions as similar loans have been made by said Corporation during the crop year ending July 31, 1935, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make available to the Commodity Credit Corporation sufficient funds to carry out this purpose.

Mr. Hale raised a question of order, viz, that the amendment proposed general legislation, and was therefore not in order.

The President pro tempore sustained the question of order.

On motion by Mr. Byrnes, pursuant to notice heretofore given, to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI for the purpose of proposing to the bill the foregoing amendment,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 3286) to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation.

The House has passed the bill (S. 2002) to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes, with amendments, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 3003) to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Miss., and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 38

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the two Houses of Congress shall adjourn on Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of August 1935, and that when they adjourn on said day they stand adjourned sine die.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 39

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That notwithstanding the adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby, authorized to sign any enrolled bill or joint resolution duly passed by the two Houses and which have been examined by the Committee on Enrolled Bills of each House and found truly enrolled.

The House has passed the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 407) consenting to an interstate oil compact to conserve oil and gas, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

The question being on agreeing to the motion of Mr. Byrnes to suspend paragraph 4 of rule XVI,

After debate,

The question being taken on agreeing to the motion,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 50 / Nays---------- 19 }

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Ashurst, Bachman, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Borah, Brown, Byrnes, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Costigan, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Guffey, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Johnson, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Moore, Murray, Neely, Nye, O'Mahoney, Reynolds, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma, Trammell, Wagner, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Barbour, Burke, Capper, Copeland, Gerry, Gibson, Hale, King, Lonergan, McNary, Metcalf, Murphy, Norris, Radcliffe, Schwellenbach, Steiwer, Tydings, and White.

So the motion of Mr. Byrnes was agreed to, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative.

Mr. Byrnes thereupon proposed the said amendment.

Pending debate,

Mr. Byrnes modified his amendment.

On motion by Mr. Frazier to amend the said amendment, as modified, by adding at the end thereof the following:

The Commodity Credit Corporation is hereby directed to make loans to farmers at the rate of one and one-half cents per pound on wheat, when such loans are secured by warehouse receipts or by wheat stored on the farm, such loans to be made upon such terms and conditions as the said Corporation may prescribe, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby directed to make available to the Commodity Credit Corporation sufficient funds to carry out this purpose.

After debate,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas---------- 41 / Nays---------- 23 }

On motion by Mr. Frazier,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Senators who voted in the affirmative are—

Adams, Bachman, Barkley, Black, Borah, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Costigan, Frazier, George, Hatch, Johnson, La Follette, Logan, Long, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, McNary, Murray, Neely, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, O'Mahoney, Reynolds, Russell, Schall, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Trammell, and Wheeler.

Senators who voted in the negative are—

Austin, Bankhead, Barbour, Brown, Copeland, Davis, Dieterich, Fletcher, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Hale, King, Maloney, Metcalf, Minton, Murphy, Radcliffe, Robinson, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, and White.

So Mr. Frazier's amendment was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to Mr. Byrnes' amendment, as amended,

It was determined in the affirmative.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes.

PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

Mr. Wheeler submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2796) to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment insert the following:

That this Act may be cited as the "Public Utility Act of 1935."

TITLE I—CONTROL OF PUBLIC-UTILITY HOLDING COMPANIES

NECESSITY FOR CONTROL OF HOLDING COMPANIES

Section 1. (a) Public-utility holding companies and their subsidiary companies are affected with a national public interest in that, among other things, (1) their securities are widely marketed and distributed by means of the mails and instrumentalities of interstate commerce and are sold to a large number of investors in different States; (2) their service, sales, construction, and other contracts and arrangements are often made and performed by means of the mails and instrumentalities of interstate commerce; (3) their subsidiary public-utility companies often sell and transport gas and electric energy by the use of means and instrumentalities of interstate commerce; (4) their practices in respect of and control over subsidiary companies often materially affect the interstate commerce in which those companies engage; (5) their activities extending over many States are not susceptible of effective control by any State and make difficult, if not impossible, effective State regulation of public-utility companies.

(b) Upon the basis of facts disclosed by the reports of the Federal Trade Commission made pursuant to S. Res. 83 (Seventieth Congress, first session), the reports of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, House of Representatives, made pursuant to H. Res. 59 (Seventy-second Congress, first session) and H. J. Res. 572 (Seventy-second Congress, second session) and otherwise disclosed and ascertained, it is hereby declared that the national public interest, the interest of investors in the securities of holding companies and their subsidiary companies and affiliates, and the interest of consumers of electric energy and natural and manufactured gas, are or may be adversely affected—

(1) when such investors cannot obtain the information necessary to appraise the financial position or earning power of the issuers, because of the absence of uniform standard accounts; when such securities are issued without the approval or consent of the States having jurisdiction over subsidiary public-utility companies; when such securities are issued upon the basis of fictitious or unsound asset values having no fair relation to the sums invested in or the earning capacity of the properties and upon the basis of paper profits from intercompany transactions, or in anticipation of excessive revenues from subsidiary public-utility companies; when such securities are issued by a subsidiary public-utility company under circumstances which subject such company to the burden of supporting an overcapitalized structure and tend to prevent voluntary rate reductions;

(2) when subsidiary public-utility companies are subjected to excessive charges for services, construction work, equipment, and materials, or enter into transactions in which evils result from an absence of arm's-length bargaining or from restraint of free and independent competition; when service, management, construction, and

other contracts involve the allocation of charges among subsidiary public-utility companies in different States so as to present problems of regulation which cannot be dealt with effectively by the States;

(3) when control of subsidiary public-utility companies affects the accounting practices and rate, dividend, and other policies of such companies so as to complicate and obstruct State regulation of such companies, or when control of such companies is exerted through disproportionately small investment;

(4) when the growth and extension of holding companies bears no relation to economy of management and operation or the integration and coordination of related operating properties; or

(5) when in any other respect there is lack of economy of management and operation of public-utility companies or lack of efficiency and adequacy of service rendered by such companies, or lack of effective public regulation, or lack of economies in the raising of capital.

(c) When abuses of the character above enumerated become persistent and widespread the holding company becomes an agency which, unless regulated, is injurious to investors, consumers, and the general public; and it is hereby declared to be the policy of this title, in accordance with which policy all the provisions of this title shall be interpreted, to meet the problems and eliminate the evils as enumerated in this section, connected with public-utility holding companies which are engaged in interstate commerce or in activities which directly affect or burden interstate commerce; and for the purpose of effectuating such policy to compel the simplification of public-utility holding-company systems and the elimination therefrom of properties detrimental to the proper functioning of such systems, and to provide as soon as practicable for the elimination of public-utility holding companies except as otherwise expressly provided in this title.

Definitions

Sec. 2. (a) When used in this title, unless the context otherwise requires—

(1) "Person" means an individual or company.

(2) "Company" means a corporation, a partnership, an association, a joint-stock company, a business trust, or an organized group of persons, whether incorporated or not; or any receiver, trustee, or other liquidating agent of any of the foregoing in his capacity as such.

(3) "Electric utility company" means any company which owns or operates facilities used for the generation, transmission, or distribution of electric energy for sale, other than sale to tenants or employees of the company operating such facilities for their own use and not for resale. The Commission, upon application, shall by order declare a company operating any such facilities not to be an electric utility company if the Commission finds that (A) such company is primarily engaged in one or more businesses other than the business of an electric utility company, and by reason of the small amount of electric energy sold by such company it is not necessary in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that such company be considered an electric utility company for the purposes of this title, or (B) such company is one operating within a single State, and substantially all of its outstanding securities are owned directly or indirectly by another company to which such operating company sells or furnishes electric energy which it generates; such other company uses and does not resell such electric energy, is engaged primarily in manufacturing (other than the manufacturing of electric energy or gas) and is not controlled by any other company; and by reason of the small amount of electric energy sold or furnished by such operating company to other persons it is not necessary in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that it be considered an electric utility company for the purposes of this title. The filing of an application hereunder in good faith shall exempt such company (and the owner of the facilities operated by such company) from the application of this paragraph until the Commission has acted upon such application. As a condition to the entry of any such order, and as a part thereof, the Commission may require application to be made periodically for a renewal of such order, and may require the filing of such periodic or special reports regarding the business of the company as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate to insure that such company continues to be entitled to such exemption during the period for which such order is effective. The Commission, upon its own motion or upon application, shall revoke such order whenever it finds that the conditions specified in clause (A) or (B) are not satisfied in the case of such company. Any action of the Commission under the preceding sentence shall be by order. Application under this paragraph may be made by the company in respect of which the order is to be issued or by the owner of the facilities operated by such company. Any order issued under this paragraph shall apply equally to such company and such owner. The Commission may by rules or regulations conditionally or unconditionally provide that any specified class or classes of companies which it determines to satisfy the conditions specified in clause (A) or (B), and the owners of the facilities operated by such companies, shall not be deemed electric utility companies within the meaning of this paragraph.

(4) "Gas utility company" means any company which owns or operates facilities used for the distribution at retail (other than distribution only in enclosed portable containers, or distribution to tenants or employees of the company operating such facilities for their own use and not for resale) of natural or manufactured gas for heat, light, or power. The Commission, upon application, shall by order declare a company operating any such facilities not to be a gas utility company if the Commission finds that (A) such company is primarily engaged in one or more businesses other than the business of a gas utility company, and (B) by reason of the small amount of natural or manufactured gas distributed at retail by such company it is not necessary in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that such company be considered a gas utility company for the purposes of this title. The filing of an application hereunder in good faith shall exempt such company (and the owner of the facilities operated by such company) from the application of this paragraph until the Commission has acted upon such application. As a condition to the entry of any such order, and as a part thereof, the Commission may require application to be made periodically for a renewal of such order, and may require the filing of such periodic or special reports regarding the business of the company as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate to insure that such company continues to be entitled to such exemption during the period for which such order is effective. The Commission, upon its own motion or upon application, shall revoke such order whenever it finds that the conditions specified in clauses (A) and (B) are not satisfied in the case of such company. Any action of the Commission under the preceding sentence shall be by order. Application under this paragraph may be made by the company in respect of which the order is to be issued or by the owner of the facilities operated by such company. Any order issued under this paragraph shall apply equally to such company and such owner. The Commission may by rules or regulations conditionally or unconditionally provide that any specified class or classes of companies which it determines to satisfy the conditions specified in clauses (A) and (B), and the owners of the facilities operated by such companies, shall not be deemed gas utility companies within the meaning of this paragraph.

(5) "Public-utility company" means an electric utility company or a gas utility company.

(6) "Commission" means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

(7) "Holding company" means—

(A) any company which directly or indirectly owns, controls, or holds with power to vote, 10 percentum or more of the outstanding voting securities of a public-utility company or of a company which is a holding company by virtue of this clause or clause (B), unless the Commission, as hereinafter provided, by order declares such company not to be a holding company; and

(B) any person which the Commission determines, after notice and opportunity for hearing, directly or indirectly to exercise (either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons) such a controlling influence over the management or policies of any public utility or holding company as to make it necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that such person be subject to the obligations, duties, and liabilities imposed in this title upon holding companies.

The Commission, upon application, shall by order declare that a company is not a holding company under clause (A) if the Commission finds that the applicant (i) does not, either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons, directly or indirectly control a public utility or holding company either through one or more intermediary persons or by any means or device whatsoever, (ii) is not an intermediary company through which such control is exercised, and (iii) does not, directly or indirectly, exercise (either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons) such a controlling influence over the management or policies of any public-utility or holding company as to make it necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that the applicant be subject to the obligations, duties, and liabilities imposed in this title upon holding companies. The filing of an application hereunder in good faith by a company other than a registered holding company shall exempt the applicant from any obligation, duty, or liability imposed in this title upon the applicant as a holding company, until the Commission has acted upon such application. Within a reasonable time after the receipt of any application hereunder, the Commission shall enter an order granting, or, after notice and opportunity for hearing, denying or otherwise disposing of, such application. As a condition to the entry of any order granting such application and as a part of any such order, the Commission may require the applicant to apply periodically for a renewal of such order and to do or refrain from doing such acts or things, in respect of exercise of voting rights, control over proxies, designation of officers and directors, existence of interlocking officers, directors, and other relationships, and submission of periodic or special reports regarding affiliations or intercorporate relationships of the applicant, as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate to ensure that in the case of the applicant the conditions specified in clauses (i), (ii), and (iii) are satisfied during the period for which such order is effective. The Commission, upon its own motion or upon application of the company affected, shall revoke the order declaring such company not to be a holding company whenever in its judgment any condition specified in clause (i), (ii), or (iii) is not satisfied in the case of such company, or modify the terms of such order whenever in its judgment such modification is necessary to ensure that in the case of such company the conditions specified in clauses (i), (ii), and (iii) are satisfied during the period for which such order is effective. Any action of the Commission under the preceding sentence shall be by order.

(8) "Subsidiary company" of a specified holding company means—

(A) any company 10 per centum or more of the outstanding voting securities of which are directly or indirectly owned, controlled, or held with power to vote, by such holding company (or by a company that is a subsidiary company of such holding company by virtue of this clause or clause (B), unless the Commission, as hereinafter provided, by order declares such company not to be a subsidiary company of such holding company; and

(B) any person the management or policies of which the Commission, after notice and opportunity for hearing, determines to be subject to a controlling influence, directly or indirectly, by such holding company (either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons) so as to make it necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that such person be subject to the obligations, duties, and liabilities imposed in this title upon subsidiary companies of holding companies.

The Commission, upon application, shall by order declare that a company is not a subsidiary company of a specified holding company under clause (A) if the Commission finds that (i) the applicant is not controlled, directly or indirectly, by such holding company (either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons) either through one or more intermediary persons or by any means or device whatsoever, (ii) the applicant is not an intermediary company through which such control of another company is exercised, and (iii) the management or policies of the applicant are not subject to a controlling influence, directly or indirectly, by such holding company (either alone or pursuant to an arrangement or understanding with one or more other persons) so as to make it necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that the applicant be subject to the obligations, duties, and liabilities imposed in this title upon subsidiary companies of holding companies. The filing of an application hereunder in good faith shall exempt the applicant from any obligation, duty, or liability imposed in this title upon the applicant as a subsidiary company of such specified holding company until the Commission has acted upon such application. Within a reasonable time after the receipt of any application hereunder, the Commission shall enter an order granting, or, after notice and opportunity for hearing, denying or otherwise disposing of, such application. As a condition to the entry of, and as a part of, any order granting such application, the Commission may require the applicant to apply periodically for a renewal of such order and to file such periodic or special reports regarding the affiliations or intercorporate relationships of the applicant as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate to enable it to determine whether in the case of the applicant the conditions specified in clauses (i), (ii), and (iii) are satisfied during the period for which such order is effective. The Commission, upon its own motion or upon application, shall revoke the order declaring such company not to be a subsidiary company whenever in its judgment any condition specified in clause (i), (ii), or (iii) is not satisfied in the case of such company, or modify the terms of such order whenever in its judgment such modification is necessary to ensure that in the case of such company the condition specified in clauses (i), (ii), and (iii) are satisfied during the period for which such order is effective. Any action of the Commission under the preceding sentence shall be by order. Any application under this paragraph may be made by the holding company or the company in respect of which the order is to be entered, but as used in this paragraph the term "applicant" means only the company in respect of which the order is to be entered.

(9) "Holding-company system" means any holding company, together with all its subsidiary companies, and all mutual service companies (as defined in paragraph (13) of this subsection) of which such holding company or any subsidiary company thereof is a member company (as defined in paragraph (14) of this subsection).

(10) "Associate company" of a company means any company in the same holding-company system with such company.

(11) "Affiliate" of a specified company means—

(A) any person that directly or indirectly owns, controls, or holds with power to vote, 5 per centum or more of the outstanding voting securities of such specified company;

(B) any company 5 per centum or more of whose outstanding voting securities are owned, controlled, or held with power to vote, directly or indirectly, by such specified company;

(C) any individual who is an officer or director of such specified company, or of any company which is an affiliate thereof under clause (A) of this paragraph; and

(D) any person or class of persons that the Commission determines, after appropriate notice and opportunity for hearing, to stand in such relation to such specified

company that there is liable to be such an absence of arm's-length bargaining in transactions between them as to make it necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers that such person be subject to the obligations, duties, and liabilities imposed in this title upon affiliates of a company.

(12) "Registered holding company" means a person whose registration is in effect under section 5.

(13) "Mutual service company" means a company approved as a mutual service company under section 13.

(14) "Member company" means a company which is a member of an association or group of companies mutually served by a mutual service company.

(15) "Director" means any director of a corporation or any individual who performs similar functions in respect of any company.

(16) "Security" means any note, draft, stock, treasury stock, bond, debenture, certificate of interest or participation in any profit-sharing agreement or in any oil, gas, other mineral royalty or lease, any collateral-trust certificate, preorganization certificate or subscription, transferable share, investment contract, voting-trust certificate, certificate of deposit for a security, receiver's or trustee's certificate, or, in general, any instrument commonly known as a "security"; or any certificate of interest or participation in, temporary or interim certificate for, receipt for, guaranty of, assumption of liability on, or warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase, any of the foregoing.

(17) "Voting security" means any security presently entitling the owner or holder thereof to vote in the direction or management of the affairs of a company, or any security issued under or pursuant to any trust, agreement, or arrangement whereby a trustee or trustees or agent or agents for the owner or holder of such security are presently entitled to vote in the direction or management of the affairs of a company; and a specified per centum of the outstanding voting securities of a company means such amount of the outstanding voting securities of such company as entitles the holder or holders thereof to cast said specified per centum of the aggregate votes which the holders of all the outstanding voting securities of such company are entitled to cast in the direction or management of the affairs of such company.

(18) "Utility assets" means the facilities, in place, of any electric utility company or gas utility company for the production, transmission, transportation, or distribution of electric energy or natural or manufactured gas.

(19) "Service contract" means any contract, agreement, or understanding whereby a person undertakes to sell or furnish, for a charge, any managerial, financial, legal, engineering, purchasing, marketing, auditing, statistical, advertising, publicity, tax, research, or any other service, information, or data.

(20) "Sales contract" means any contract, agreement, or understanding whereby a person undertakes to sell, lease, or furnish, for a charge, any goods, equipment, materials, supplies, appliances, or similar property. As used in this paragraph the term "property" does not include electric energy or natural or manufactured gas.

(21) "Construction contract" means any contract, agreement, or understanding for the construction, extension, improvement, maintenance, or repair of the facilities or any part thereof of a company for a charge.

(22) "Buy", "acquire", "acquisition", or "purchase" includes any purchase, acquisition by lease, exchange, merger, consolidation, or other acquisition.

(23) "Sale" or "sell" includes any sale, disposition by lease, exchange or pledge, or other disposition.

(24) "State" means any State of the United States or the District of Columbia.

(25) "United States", when used in a geographical sense, means the States.

(26) "State commission" means any commission, board, agency, or officer, by whatever name designated, of a State, municipality, or other political subdivision of a State which under the law of such State has jurisdiction to regulate public-utility companies.

(27) "State securities commission" means any commission, board, agency, or officer, by whatever name designated, other than a State commission as defined in paragraph (26) of this subsection, which under the law of a State has jurisdiction to regulate, approve, or control the issue or sale of a security by a company.

(28) "Interstate commerce" means trade, commerce, transportation, transmission, or communication among the several States or between any State and any place outside thereof.

(29) "Integrated public-utility system" means—

(A) As applied to electric utility companies, a system consisting of one or more units of generating plants and/or transmission lines and/or distributing facilities, whose utility assets, whether owned by one or more electric utility companies, are physically interconnected or capable of physical interconnection and which under normal conditions may be economically operated as a single interconnected and coordinated system confined in its operations to a single area or region, in one or more States, not so large as to impair (considering the state of the art and the area or region affected) the advantages of localized management, efficient operation, and the effectiveness of regulation; and

(B) As applied to gas utility companies, a system consisting of one or more gas utility companies which are so located and related that substantial economies may be effectuated by being operated as a single coordinated system confined in its operations to a single area or region, in one or more States, not so large as to impair (considering the state of the art and the area or region affected) the advantages of localized management, efficient operation, and the effectiveness of regulation: Provided, That gas utility companies deriving natural gas from a common source of supply may be deemed to be included in a single area or region.

(b) No person shall be deemed to be a holding company under clause (B) of paragraph (7) of subsection (a), or a subsidiary company under clause (B) of paragraph (8) of such subsection, or an affiliate under clause (D) of paragraph (11) of such subsection, unless the Commission, after appropriate notice and opportunity for hearing, has issued an order declaring such person to be a holding company, a subsidiary company, or an affiliate, or declaring a class of which such person is a member to be affiliates. Such an order shall not become effective for at least thirty days after the mailing of a copy thereof to the person thereby declared to be a holding company, subsidiary company, or affiliate; or, in the case of determination of affiliates by classes, until at least thirty days after appropriate publication thereof in such manner as the Commission shall determine. Whenever the Commission, on its own motion or upon application by the person declared to be a holding company, subsidiary company, or affiliate, finds that the circumstances which gave rise to the issuance of any such order no longer exist, the Commission shall by order revoke such order.

(c) No provision in this title shall apply to, or be deemed to include, the United States, a State, or any political subdivision of a State, or any agency, authority, or instrumentality of any one or more of the foregoing, or any corporation which is wholly owned directly or indirectly by any one or more of the foregoing, or any officer, agent, or employee of any of the foregoing acting as such in the course of his official duty, unless such provision makes specific reference thereto.

Power to make particular exemptions regarding holding companies, subsidiary companies, and affiliates

Sec. 3. (a) The Commission, by rules and regulations upon its own motion, or by order upon application, shall exempt any holding company, and every subsidiary company thereof as such, from any provision or provisions of this title, unless and except insofar as it finds the exemption detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers, if—

(1) such holding company, and every subsidiary company thereof which is a public-utility company from

which such holding company derives, directly or indirectly, any material part of its income, are predominantly intrastate in character and carry on their business substantially in a single State in which such holding company and every such subsidiary company thereof are organized;

(2) such holding company is predominantly a public-utility company whose operations as such do not extend beyond the State in which it is organized and States contiguous thereto;

(3) such holding company is only incidentally a holding company, being primarily engaged or interested in one or more businesses other than the business of a public-utility company and (A) not deriving, directly or indirectly, any material part of its income from any one or more subsidiary companies, the principal business of which is that of a public-utility company, or (B) deriving a material part of its income from any one or more such subsidiary companies, if substantially all the outstanding securities of such companies are owned, directly or indirectly, by such holding company;

(4) such holding company is temporarily a holding company solely by reason of the acquisition of securities for purposes of liquidation or distribution in connection with a bona fide debt previously contracted or in connection with a bona fide arrangement for the underwriting or distribution of securities; or

(5) such holding company is not, and derives no material part of its income, directly or indirectly, from any one or more subsidiary companies which are, a company or campanies the principal business of which within the United States is that of a public-utility company.

(b) The Commission, by rules and regulations upon its own motion, or by order upon application, shall exempt any subsidiary company, as such, of a holding company from any provision or provisions of this title, the application of which to such subsidiary company the Commission finds is not necessary in the public interest or for the protection of investors, if such subsidiary company derives no material part of its income, directly or indirectly, from sources within the United States, and neither it nor any of its subsidiary companies is a public-utility company operating in the United States.

(c) Within a reasonable time after the receipt of an application for exemption under subsection (a) or (b), the Commission shall enter an order granting, or, after notice and opportunity for hearing, denying or otherwise disposing of such application. The filing of an application in good faith under subsection (a) by a person other than a registered holding company shall exempt the applicant from any obligation, duty, or liability imposed in this title upon the applicant as a holding company until the Commission has acted upon such application. The filing of an application in good faith under subsection (b) shall exempt the applicant from any obligation, duty, or liability imposed in this title upon the applicant as a subsidiary company until the Commission has acted upon such application. Whenever the Commission, on its own motion, or upon application by the holding company or any subsidiary company thereof exempted by any order issued under subsection (a), or by the subsidiary company exempted by any order issued under subsection (b), finds that the circumstances which gave rise to the issuance of such order no longer exist, the Commission shall by order revoke such order.

(d) The Commission may, by rules and regulations, conditionally or unconditionally exempt any specified class or classes of persons from the obligations, duties, or liabilities imposed upon such persons as subsidiary companies or affiliates under any provision or provisions of this title, and may provide within the extent of any such exemption that such specified class or classes of persons shall not be deemed subsidiary companies or affiliates within the meaning of any such provision or provisions, if and to the extent that it deems the exemption necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers and not contrary to the purposes of this title.

Transactions by unregistered holding companies

Sec. 4. (a) After December 1, 1935, unless a holding company is registered under section 5, it shall be unlawful for such holding company, directly or indirectly—

(1) to sell, transport, transmit, or distribute, or own or operate any utility assets for the transportation, transmission, or distribution of, natural or manufactured gas or electric energy in interstate commerce;

(2) by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, to negotiate, enter into, or take any step in the performance of, any service, sales, or construction contract undertaking to perform services or construction work for, or sell goods to, any public-utility company or holding company;

(3) to distribute or make any public offering for sale or exchange of any security of such holding company, any subsidiary company or affiliate of such holding company, any public-utility company, or any holding company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or to sell any such security having reason to believe that such security, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, will be distributed or made the subject of a public offering;

(4) by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, to acquire or negotiate for the acquisition of any security or utility assets of any subsidiary company or affiliate of such holding company, any public-utility company, or any holding company;

(5) to engage in any business in interstate commerce; or

(6) to own, control, or hold with power to vote, any security of any subsidiary company thereof that does any of the acts enumerated in paragraphs (1) to (5), inclusive, of this subsection.

(b) Every holding company which has outstanding any security any of which, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, has been distributed or made the subject of a public offering subsequent to January 1, 1925, and any of which security is owned or held on October 1, 1935 (or, if such company is not a holding company on that date, on the date such company becomes a holding company) by persons not resident in the State in which such holding company is organized, shall register under section 5 on or before December 1, 1935, or the thirtieth day after such company becomes a holding company, whichever date is later.

Registration of holding companies

Sec. 5. (a) On or at any time after October 1, 1935, any holding company or any person purposing to become a holding company may register by filing with the Commission a notification of registration, in such form as the Commission may by rules and regulations prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. A person shall be deemed to be registered upon receipt by the Commission of such notification of registration.

(b) It shall be the duty of every registered holding company to file with the Commission, within such reasonable time after registration as the Commission shall fix by rules and regulations or order, a registration statement in such form as the Commission shall by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. Such registration statement shall include—

(1) such copies of the charter or articles of incorporation, partnership, or agreement, with all amendments thereto, and the bylaws, trust indentures, mortgages, underwriting arrangements, voting-trust agreements, and similar documents, by whatever name known, of or relating to the registrant or any of its associate companies as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers;

(2) such information in such form and in such detail relating to, and copies of such documents of or relating to, the registrant and its associate companies as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers in respect of—

(A) the organization and financial structure of such companies and the nature of their business;

(B) the terms, position, rights, and privileges of the different classes of their securities outstanding;

(C) the terms and underwriting arrangements under which their securities, during not more than the five preceding years, have been offered to the public or otherwise disposed of and the relations of underwriters to, and their interest in, such companies;

(D) the directors and officers of such companies, their remuneration, their interest in the securities of, their material contracts with, and their borrowings from, any of such companies;

(E) bonus and profit-sharing arrangements;

(F) material contracts, not made in the ordinary course of business, and service, sales, and construction contracts;

(G) options in respect of securities;

(H) balance sheets for not more than the five preceding fiscal years, certified, if required by the rules and regulations of the Commission, by an independent public accountant;

(I) profit and loss statements for not more than the five preceding fiscal years, certified, if required by the rules and regulations of the Commission, by an independent public accountant;

(3) such further information or documents regarding the registrant or its associate companies or the relations between them as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(c) The Commission by such rules and regulations or order as it deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, may permit a registrant to file a preliminary registration statement without complying with the provisions of subsection (b); but every registrant shall file a complete registration statement with the Commission within such reasonable period of time as the Commission shall fix by rules and regulations or order, but not later than one year after the date of registration.

(d) Whenever the Commission, upon application, finds that a registered holding company has ceased to be a holding company, it shall so declare by order and upon the taking effect of such order the registration of such company shall, upon such terms and conditions as the Commission finds and in such order prescribes as necessary for the protection of investors, cease to be in effect. The denial of any such application by the Commission shall be by order.

Unlawful security transactions by registered holding and subsidiary companies

Sec. 6. (a) Except in accordance with a declaration effective under section 7 and with the order under such section permitting such declaration to become effective, it shall be unlawful for any registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, directly or indirectly (1) to issue or sell any security of such company; or (2) to exercise any privilege or right to alter the priorities, preferences, voting power, or other rights of the holders of an outstanding security of such company.

(b) The provisions of subsection (a) shall not apply to the issue, renewal, or guaranty by a registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof of a note or draft (including the pledge of any security as collateral therefor) if such note or draft (1) is not part of a public offering, (2) matures or is renewed for not more than nine months, exclusive of days of grace after the date of such issue, renewal, or guaranty thereof, and (3) aggregates (together with all other then outstanding notes and drafts of a maturity of nine months or less, exclusive of days of grace, as to which such company is primarily or secondarily liable) not more than 5 per centum of the principal amount and par value of the other securities of such company then outstanding, or such greater per centum thereof as the Commission upon application may by order authorize as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. In the case of securities having no principal amount or no par value, the value for the purposes of this subsection shall be the fair market value as of the date of issue. The Commission by rules and regulations or order, subject to such terms and conditions as it deems appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, shall exempt from the provisions of subsection (a) the issue or sale of any security by any subsidiary company of a registered holding company, if the issue and sale of such security are solely for the purpose of financing the business of such subsidiary company and have been expressly authorized by the State commission of the State in which such subsidiary company is organized and doing business, or if the issue and sale of such security are solely for the purpose of financing the business of such subsidiary company when such subsidiary company is not a holding company, a public-utility company, an investment company, or a fiscal or financing agency of a holding company, a public-utility company, or an investment company. The provisions of subsection (a) shall not apply to the issue, by a registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, of a security issued pursuant to the terms of any security outstanding on January 1, 1935, giving the holder of such outstanding security the right to convert such outstanding security into another security of the same issuer or of another person, or giving the right to subscribe to another security of the same issuer or another issuer. Within ten days after any issue, sale, renewal, or guaranty exempted from the application of subsection (a) by or under authority of this subsection, such holding company or subsidiary company thereof shall file with the Commission a certificate of notification in such form and setting forth such of the information required in a declaration under section 7 as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(c) It shall be unlawful, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, for any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, directly or indirectly,—

(1) to sell or offer for sale or to cause to be sold or offered for sale, from house to house, any security of such holding company; or

(2) to cause any officer or employee of any subsidiary company of such holding company to sell or cause to be sold any security of such holding company.

As used in this subsection the term "house" shall not include an office used for business purposes.

Declarations by registered holding and subsidiary companies in respect of security transactions

Sec. 7. (a) A registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof may file a declaration with the Commission, regarding any of the acts enumerated in subsection (a) of section 6, in such form as the Commission may by rules and regulations prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. Such declaration shall include—

(1) such of the information and documents which are required to be filed in order to register a security under section 7 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers; and

(2) such additional information, in such form and detail, and such documents regarding the declarant or any associate company thereof, the particular security and compliance with such State laws as may apply to the act in question as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribed as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(b) A declaration filed under this section shall become effective within such reasonable period of time after the filing thereof as the Commission shall fix by rules and regulations or order, unless the Commission prior to the expiration of such period shall have issued an order to the declarant to show cause why such declaration should become effective. Within a reasonable time after an opportunity for hearing upon an order to show cause under this subsection, unless the declarant shall withdraw its declaration, the Commission shall enter an order either permitting such declaration to become effective as filed or amended, or refusing to permit such declaration to become effective. Amendments to a declaration may be made upon such terms and conditions as the Commission may prescribe.

(c) The Commission shall not permit a declaration regarding the issue or sale of a security to become effective unless it finds that—

(1) such security is (A) a common stock having a par value and being without preference as to dividends or distribution over, and having at least equal voting rights with, any outstanding security of the declarant; (B) a bond (i) secured by a first lien on physical property of the declarant, or (ii) secured by an obligation of a subsidiary company of the declarant secured by a first lien on physical property of such subsidiary company, or (iii) secured by any other assets of the type and character which the Commission by rules and regulations or order may prescribe as appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors; (C) a guaranty of, or assumption of liability on, a security of another company; or (D) a receiver's or trustee's certificate duly authorized by the appropriate court or courts; or

(2) such security is to be issued or sold solely (A) for the purpose of refunding, extending, exchanging, or discharging an outstanding security of the declarant and/or a predecessor company thereof or for the purpose of effecting a merger, consolidation, or other reorganization; (B) for the purpose of financing the business of the declarant as a public-utility company; (C) for the purpose of financing the business of the declarant, when the declarant is neither a holding company nor a public-utility company; and/or (D) for necessary and urgent corporate purposes of the declarant where the requirements of the provisions of paragraph (1) would impose an unreasonable financial burden upon the declarant and are not necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers; or

(3) such security is one the issuance of which was authorized by the company prior to January 1, 1935, and which the Commission by rules and regulations or order authorizes as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(d) If the requirements of subsections (c) and (g) are satisfied, the Commission shall permit a declaration regarding the issue or sale of a security to become effective unless the Commission finds that—

(1) the security is not reasonably adapted to the security structure of the declarant and other companies in the same holding-company system;

(2) the security is not reasonably adapted to the earning power of the declarant;

(3) financing by the issue and sale of the particular security is not necessary or appropriate to the economical and efficient operation of a business in which the applicant lawfully is engaged or has an interest;

(4) the fees, commissions, or other remuneration, to whomsoever paid, directly or indirectly, in connection with the issue, sale, or distribution of the security are not reasonable;

(5) in the case of a security that is a guaranty of, or assumption of liability on, a security of another company, the circumstances are such as to constitute the making of such guaranty or the assumption of such liability an improper risk for the declarant; or

(6) the terms and conditions of the issue or sale of the security are detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers.

(e) If the requirements of subsection (g) are satisfied, the Commission shall permit a declaration to become effective regarding the exercise of a privilege or right to alter the priorities, preferences, voting power, or other rights of the holders of an outstanding security unless the Commission finds that such exercise of such privilege or right will result in an unfair or inequitable distribution of voting power among holders of the securities of the declarant or is otherwise detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers.

(f) Any order permitting a declaration to become effective may contain such terms and conditions as the Commission finds necessary to assure compliance with the conditions specified in this section.

(g) If a State commission or State securities commission, having jurisdiction over any of the acts enumerated in subsection (a) of section 6, shall inform the Commission, upon request by the Commission for an opinion or otherwise, that State laws applicable to the act in question have not been complied with, the Commission shall not permit a declaration regarding the act in question to become effective until and unless the Commission is satisfied that such compliance has been effected.

Acquiring interest in electric and gas utility companies serving same territory

Sec. 8. Whenever a State law prohibits, or requires approval or authorization of, the ownership or operation by a single company of the utility assets of an electric utility company and a gas utility company serving substantially the same territory, it shall be unlawful for a registered holding company, or any subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise,—

(1) to take any step, without the express approval of the State commission of such State, which results in its having a direct or indirect interest in an electric utility company and a gas utility company serving substantially the same territory; or

(2) if it already has any such interest, to acquire, without the express approval of the State commission, any direct or indirect interest in an electric utility company or gas utility company serving substantially the same territory as that served by such companies in which it already has an interest.

Acquisition of securities and utility assets and other interests

Sec. 9. (a) Unless the acquisition has been approved by the Commission under section 10, it shall be unlawful—

(1) for any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to acquire, directly or indirectly, any securities or utility assets or any other interest in any business;

(2) for any person, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, to acquire, directly or indirectly, any security of any public-utility company, if such person is an affiliate, under clause (A) of paragraph (11) of subsection (a) of section 2, of such company and of any other public-utility or holding company, or will by virtue of such acquisition become such an affiliate.

(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply to—

(1) the acquisition by a public-utility company of utility assets the acquisition of which has been expressly authorized by a State commission; or

(2) the acquisition by a public-utility company of securities of a subsidiary public-utility company thereof, provided that both such public-utility companies and all other public-utility companies in the same holding-company system are organized in the same State, that the business of each such company in such system is sub-

stantially confined to such State, and that the acquisition of such securities has been expressly authorized by the State commission of such State.

(c) Subsection (a) shall not apply to the acquisition by a registered holding company, or a subsidiary company thereof, of—

(1) securities of, or securities the principal or interest of which is guaranteed by, the United States, a State, or political subdivision of a State, or any agency, authority, or instrumentality of any one or more of the foregoing, or any corporation which is wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by any one or more of the foregoing;

(2) such other readily marketable securities, within the limitation of such amounts as the Commission may by rules and regulations prescribe as appropriate for investment of current funds and as not detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers; or

(3) such commercial paper and other securities, within such limitations, as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as appropriate in the ordinary course of business of a registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof and as not detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers.

Approval of Acquisition of Securities and Utility Assets and Other Interests

Sec. 10. (a) A person may apply for approval of the acquisition of securities or utility assets, or of any other interest in any business, by filing an application in such form as the Commission may by rules and regulations prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors and consumers. Such application shall include—

(1) in the case of the acquisition of securities, such information and copies of such documents as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers in respect of—

(A) the security to be acquired, the consideration to be paid therefor, and compliance with such State laws as may apply in respect of the issue, sale, or acquisition thereof,

(B) the outstanding securities of the company whose security is to be acquired, the terms, position, rights, and privileges of each class and the options in respect of any such securities,

(C) the names of all security holders of record (or otherwise known to the applicant) owning, holding, or controlling 1 per centum or more of any class of security of such company, the officers and directors of such company, and their remuneration, security holdings in, material contracts with, and borrowings from such company, and the offices or directorships held, and securities owned, held, or controlled, by them in other companies,

(D) the bonus, profit-sharing and voting-trust agreements, underwriting arrangements, trust indentures, mortgages, and similar documents, by whatever name known, of or relating to such company,

(E) the material contracts, not made in the ordinary course of business, and the service, sales, and construction contracts of such company,

(F) the securities owned, held, or controlled, directly or indirectly, by such company,

(G) balance sheets and profit and loss statements of such company for not more than the five preceding fiscal years, certified, if required by the rules and regulations of the Commission by an independent public accountant,

(H) any further information regarding such company and any associate company or affiliate thereof, or its relations with the applicant company, and

(I) if the applicant be not a registered holding company, any of the information and documents which may be required under section 5 from a registered holding company;

(2) in the case of the acquisition of utility assets, such information concerning such assets, the value thereof and consideration to be paid therefor, the owner or owners thereof and their relation to, agreements with, and interest in the securities of, the applicant or any associate company thereof as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers; and

(3) in the case of the acquisition of any other interest in any business such information concerning such business and the interest to be acquired, and the consideration to be paid, as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(b) If the requirements of subsection (f) are satisfied, the Commission shall approve the acquisition unless the Commission finds that—

(1) such acquisition will tend toward interlocking relations or the concentration of control of public-utility companies, of a kind or to an extent detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers;

(2) in case of the acquisition of securities or utility assets, the consideration, including all fees, commissions, and other remuneration, to whomsoever paid, to be given, directly or indirectly, in connection with such acquisition is not reasonable or does not bear a fair relation to the sums invested in or the earning capacity of the utility assets to be acquired or the utility assets underlying the securities to be acquired; or

(3) such acquisition will unduly complicate the capital structure of the holding-company system of the applicant or will be detrimental to the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers or the proper functioning of such holding-company system.

The Commission may condition its approval of the acquisition of securities of another company upon such a fair offer to purchase such of the other securities of the company whose security is to be acquired as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (b), the Commission shall not approve—

(1) an acquisition of securities or utility assets, or of any other interest, which is unlawful under the provisions of section 8 or is detrimental to the carrying out of the provisions of section 11; or

(2) the acquisition of securities or utility assets of a public-utility or holding company unless the Commission finds that such acquisition will serve the public interest by tending towards the economical and efficient development of an integrated public-utility system. This paragraph shall not apply to the acquisition of securities or utility assets of a public-utility company operating exclusively outside the United States.

(d) Within such reasonable time after the filing of an application under this section as the Commission shall fix by rules and regulations or order, the Commission shall enter an order either granting or, after notice and opportunity for hearing, denying approval of the acquisition unless the applicant shall withdraw its application. Amendments to an application may be made upon such terms and conditions as the Commission may prescribe.

(e) The Commission, in any order approving the acquisition of securities or utility assets, may prescribe such terms and conditions in respect of such acquisition, including the price to be paid for such securities or utility assets, as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(f) The Commission shall not approve any acquisition as to which an application is made under this section unless it appears to the satisfaction of the Commission that such State laws as may apply in respect of such acquisition have been complied with, except where the Commission finds that compliance with such State laws would be detrimental to the carrying out of the provisions of section 11.

Simplification of holding-company systems

Sec. 11. (a) It shall be the duty of the Commission to examine the corporate structure of every registered holding company and subsidiary company thereof, the relationships among the companies in the holding-company system of every such company and the character of the interests thereof and the properties owned or controlled thereby to determine the extent to which the corporate structure of such holding-company system and the companies therein may be simplified, unnecessary complexities therein eliminated, voting power fairly and equitably distributed among the holders of securities thereof, and the properties and business thereof confined to those necessary or appropriate to the operations of an integrated registered public-utility system.

(b) It shall be the duty of the Commission, as soon as practicable after January 1, 1938:

(1) To require by order, after notice and opportunity for hearing, that each registered holding company, and each subsidiary company thereof, shall take such action as the Commission shall find necessary to limit the operations of the holding-company system of which such company is a part to a single integrated public-utility system, and to such other businesses as are reasonably incidental, or economically necessary or appropriate to the operations of such integrated public-utility system: Provided, however, That the Commission shall permit a registered holding company to continue to control one or more additional integrated public-utility systems, if, after notice and opportunity for hearing, it finds that—

(A) Each of such additional systems cannot be operated as an independent system without the loss of substantial economies which can be secured by the retention of control by such holding company of such system;

(B) All of such additional systems are located in one State, or in adjoining States, or in a contiguous foreign country; and

(C) The continued combination of such systems under the control of such holding company is not so large (considering the state of the art and the area or region affected) as to impair the advantages of localized management, efficient operation, or the effectiveness of regulation.

The Commission may permit as reasonably incidental, or economically necessary or appropriate to the operations of one or more integrated public-utility systems the retention of an interest in any business (other than the business of a public-utility company as such) which the Commission shall find necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers and not detrimental to the proper functioning of such system or systems.

(2) To require by order, after notice and opportunity for hearing, that each registered holding company, and each subsidiary company thereof, shall take such steps as the Commission shall find necessary to ensure that the corporate structure or continued existence of any company in the holding-company system does not unduly or unnecessarily complicate the structure, or unfairly or inequitably distribute voting power among security holders, of such holding-company system. In carrying out the provisions of this paragraph the Commission shall require each registered holding-company (and any company in the same holding-company system with such holding company) to take such action as the Commission shall find necessary in order that such holding company shall cease to be a holding company with respect to each of its subsidiary companies which itself has a subsidiary company which is a holding company. Except for the purpose of fairly and equitably distributing voting power among the security holders of such company, nothing in this paragraph shall authorize the Commission to require any change in the corporate structure or existence of any company which is not a holding company, or of any company whose principal business is that of a public-utility company.

The Commission may by order revoke or modify any order previously made under this subsection, if after notice and opportunity for hearing, it finds that the conditions upon which the order was predicated do not exist. Any order made under this subsection shall be subject to judicial review as provided in section 24.

(c) Any order under subsection (b) shall be complied with within one year from the date of such order; but the Commission shall, upon a showing (made before or after the entry of such order) that the applicant has been or will be unable in the exercise of due diligence to comply with such order within such time, extend such time for an additional period not exceeding one year if it finds such extension necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(d) The Commission may apply to a court, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (f) of section 18, to enforce compliance with any order issued under subsection (b). In any such proceeding, the court as a court of equity may, to such extent as it deems necessary for purposes of enforcement of such order, take exclusive jurisdiction and possession of the company or companies and the assets thereof, wherever located; and the court shall have jurisdiction, in any such proceeding, to appoint a trustee, and the court may constitute and appoint the Commission as sole trustee, to hold or administer under the direction of the court the assets so possessed. In any proceeding for the enforcement of an order of the Commission issued under subsection (b), the trustee with the approval of the court shall have power to dispose of any or all of such assets and, subject to such terms and conditions as the court may prescribe, may make such disposition in accordance with a fair and equitable reorganization plan which shall have been approved by the Commission after opportunity for hearing. Such reorganization plan may be proposed in the first instance by the Commission, or, subject to such rules and regulations as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors, by any person having a bona fide interest (as defined by the rules and regulations of the Commission) in the reorganization.

(e) In accordance with such rules and regulations or order as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, any registered holding company or any subsidiary company of a registered holding company may, at any time after January 1, 1936, submit a plan to the Commission for the divestment of control, securities, or other assets, or for other action by such company or any subsidiary company thereof for the purpose of enabling such company or any subsidiary company thereof to comply with the provisions of subsection (b). If, after notice and opportunity for hearing, the Commission shall find such plan, as submitted or as modified, necessary to effectuate the provisions of subsection (b) and fair and equitable to the persons affected by such plan, the Commission shall make an order approving such plan; and the Commission, at the request of the company, may apply to a court, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (f) of section 18, to enforce and carry out the terms and provisions of such plan. If, upon any such application, the court, after notice and opportunity for hearing, shall approve such plan as fair and equitable and as appropriate to effectuate the provisions of section 11, the court as a court of equity may, to such extent as it deems necessary for the purpose of carrying out the terms and provisions of such plan, take exclusive jurisdiction and possession of the company or companies and the assets thereof, wherever located; and the court shall have jurisdiction to appoint a trustee, and the court may constitute and appoint the Commission as sole trustee, to hold or administer, under the direction of the court and in accordance with the plan

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theretofore approved by the court and the Commission, the assets so possessed.

(f) In any proceeding in a court of the United States, whether under this section or otherwise, in which a receiver or trustee is appointed for any registered holding company, or any subsidiary company thereof, the court may constitute and appoint the Commission as sole trustee or receiver, subject to the directions and orders of the court, whether or not a trustee or receiver shall theretofore have been appointed, and in any such proceeding the court shall not appoint any person other than the Commission as trustee or receiver without notifying the Commission and giving it an opportunity to be heard before making any such appointment. In no proceeding under this section or otherwise shall the Commission be appointed as trustee or receiver without its express consent. In any such proceeding a reorganization plan for a registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof shall not become effective unless such plan shall have been approved by the Commission after opportunity for hearing prior to its submission to the court. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any such reorganization plan may be proposed in the first instance by the Commission or, subject to such rules and regulations as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors, by any person having a bona fide interest (as defined by the rules and regulations of the Commission) in the reorganization. The Commission may, by such rules and regulations or order as it may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, require that any or all fees, expenses, and remuneration, to whomsoever paid, in connection with any reorganization, dissolution, liquidation, bankruptcy, or receivership of a registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, in any such proceeding, shall be subject to approval by the Commission.

(g) It shall be unlawful for any person to solicit or permit the use of his or its name to solicit, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, any proxy, consent, authorization, power of attorney, deposit, or dissent in respect of any reorganization plan of a registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof under this section, or otherwise, or in respect of any plan under this section for the divestment of control, securities, or other assets, or for the dissolution of any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, unless—

(1) the plan has been proposed by the Commission, or the plan and such information regarding it and its sponsors as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers has been submitted to the Commission by a person having a bona fide interest (as defined by the rules and regulations of the Commission) in such reorganization;

(2) each such solicitation is accompanied or preceded by a copy of a report on the plan which shall be made by the Commission after an opportunity for a hearing on the plan and other plans submitted to it, or by an abstract of such report made or approved by the Commission; and

(3) each such solicitation is made not in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

Nothing in this subsection or the rules and regulations thereunder shall prevent any person from appearing before the Commission or any court through an attorney or proxy.

Intercompany loans; dividends; security transactions; sale of utility assets; proxies; other transactions

Sec. 12. (a) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, directly or indirectly, to borrow, or to receive any extension of credit or indemnity, from any public-utility company in the same holding company system or from any subsidiary company of such holding company, but it shall not be unlawful under this subsection to renew, or extend the time of, any loan, credit, or indemnity outstanding on the date of the enactment of this title.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, directly or indirectly, to lend or in any manner extend its credit to or indemnify any company in the same holding company system in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to declare or pay any dividend on any security of such company or to acquire, retire, or redeem any security of such company, in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate to protect the financial integrity of companies in holding company systems, to safeguard the working capital of public-utility companies, to prevent the payment of dividends out of capital or unearned surplus, or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(d) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to sell any security which it owns of any public-utility company, or any utility assets, in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders regarding the consideration to be received for such sale, maintenance of competitive conditions, fees and commissions, accounts, disclosure of interest, and similar matters as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(e) It shall be unlawful for any person to solicit or to permit the use of his or its name to solicit, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, any proxy, power of attorney, consent, or authorization regarding any security of a registered holding company or a subsidiary company thereof in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(f) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to negotiate, enter into, or take any step in the performance of any transaction not otherwise unlawful under this title, with any company in the same holding company system or with any affiliate of a company in such holding company system in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders regarding reports, accounts, costs, maintenance of competitive conditions, disclosure of interest, duration of contracts, and similar matters as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules and regulations thereunder.

(g) It shall be unlawful for any affiliate of any public-utility company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or for any affiliate of any public-utility company engaged in interstate commerce, or of any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to negotiate, enter into, or take any step in the performance of any transaction not otherwise unlawful under this title, with any such company of which it is an affiliate, in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders regarding reports, accounts, costs, maintenance of competitive conditions, disclosure of interest, duration of contracts, and similar matters as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title.

(h) It shall be unlawful for any registered holding company, or any subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, directly or indirectly—

(1) to make any contribution whatsoever in connection with the candidacy, nomination, election, or appointment of any person for or to any office or position in the Government of the United States, a State, or any political subdivision of a State, or any agency, authority, or instrumentality of any one or more of the foregoing; or

(2) to make any contribution to or in support of any political party or any committee or agency thereof.

The term "contribution" as used in this subsection includes any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value, and includes any contract, agreement, or promise, whether or not legally enforceable, to make a contribution.

(i) It shall be unlawful for any person employed or retained by any registered holding company, or any subsidiary company thereof, to present, advocate, or oppose any matter affecting any registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, before the Congress or any Member or committee thereof, or before the Commission or Federal Power Commission, or any member, officer, or employee of either such Commission, unless such person shall file with the Commission in such form and detail and at such time as the Commission shall by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, a statement of the subject matter in respect of which such person is retained or employed, the nature and character of such retainer or employment, and the amount of compensation received or to be received by such person, directly or indirectly, in connection therewith. It shall be the duty of every such person so employed or retained to file with the Commission within ten days after the close of each calendar month during such retainer or employment, in such form and detail as the Commission shall by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, a statement of the expenses incurred and the compensation received by such person during such month in connection with such retainer or employment.

Service, sales, and construction contracts

Sec. 13. (a) After April 1, 1936, it shall be unlawful for any registered holding company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to enter into or take any step in the performance of any service, sales, or construction contract by which such company undertakes to perform services or construction work for, or sell goods to, any associate company thereof which is a public-utility or mutual service company. This provision shall not apply to such transactions, involving special or unusual circumstances or not in the ordinary course of business, as the Commission by rules and regulations or order may conditionally or unconditionally exempt as being necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(b) After April 1, 1936, it shall be unlawful for any subsidiary company of any registered holding company or for any mutual service company, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to enter into or take any step in the performance of any service, sales, or construction contract by which such company undertakes to perform services or construction work for, or sell goods to, any associate company thereof except in accordance with such terms and conditions and subject to such limitations and prohibitions as the Commission by rules and regulations or order shall prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers and to insure that such contracts are performed economically and efficiently for the benefit of such associate companies at cost, fairly and equitably allocated among such companies. This provision shall not apply to such transactions as the Commission by rules and regulations or order may conditionally or unconditionally exempt as being necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, if such transactions (1) are with any associate company which does not derive, directly or indirectly, any material part of its income from sources within the United States and which is not a public-utility company operating within the United States, or (2) involve special or unusual circumstances or are not in the ordinary course of business.

(c) The rules and regulations and orders of the Commission under this section may prescribe, among other things, such terms and conditions regarding the determination of costs and the allocation thereof among specified classes of companies and for specified classes of service, sales, and construction contracts, the duration of such contracts, the making and keeping of accounts and cost-accounting procedures, the filing of annual and other periodic and special reports, the maintenance of competitive conditions, the disclosure of interests, and similar matters, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(d) The rules and regulations and orders of the Commission under this section shall prescribe, among other things, such terms and conditions regarding the manner in which application may be made for approval as a mutual service company and the granting and continuance of such approval, the nature and enforcement of agreements for the sharing of expenses and distributing of revenues among member companies, and matters relating to such agreements, the nature and types of businesses and transactions in which mutual service companies may engage, and the manner of engaging therein, and the relations and transactions with member companies and affiliates, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. The Commission shall not approve, or continue the approval of, any company as a mutual service company unless the Commission finds such company is so organized as to ownership, costs, revenues, and the sharing thereof as reasonably to insure the efficient and economical performance of service, sales, or construction contracts by such company for member companies at cost fairly and equitably allocated among such member companies, at a reasonable saving to member companies over the cost to such companies of comparable contracts performed by independent persons. The Commission, upon its own motion or at the request of a member company or a State commission, may, after notice and opportunity for hearing, by order require a reallocation or reapportionment of costs among member companies of a mutual service company if it finds the existing allocation inequitable and may require the elimination of a service or services to a member company which does not bear its fair proportion of costs or which, by reason of its size or other circumstances, does not require such service or services. The Commission, after notice and opportunity for hearing, by order shall revoke, suspend, or modify the approval given any mutual service company if it finds that such company has persistently violated any provision of this section or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder.

(e) It shall be unlawful for any affiliate of any public-utility company engaged in interstate commerce, or of any registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to enter into or take any step in the performance of any service, sales, or construction contract, by which such affiliate undertakes to perform services or construction work for, or sell goods to, any such company of which it is an affiliate, in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders regarding reports, accounts, costs, maintenance of competitive conditions, disclosure of interest, duration of contracts, and similar matters, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate to prevent the circumvention

of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(f) It shall be unlawful for any person whose principal business is the performance of service, sales, or construction contracts for public-utility or holding companies, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, to enter into or take any step in the performance of any service, sales, or construction contract with any public-utility company, or for any such person, by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or otherwise, to enter into or take any step in the performance of any service, sales, or construction contract with any public-utility company engaged in interstate commerce, or with any registered holding company or any subsidiary company of a registered holding company, in contravention of such rules and regulations or orders regarding reports, accounts, costs, maintenance of competitive conditions, disclosure of interest, duration of contracts, and similar matters as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or to prevent the circumvention of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(g) The Commission, in order to obtain information to serve as a basis for recommending further legislation, shall, from time to time, conduct investigations regarding the making, performance, and costs of service, sales, and construction contracts with holding companies and subsidiary companies thereof and with public-utility companies, the economies resulting therefrom, and the desirability thereof. The Commission shall report to Congress, from time to time, the results of such investigations, together with such recommendations for legislation as it deems advisable. On the basis of such investigations the Commission shall classify the different types of such contracts and the work done thereunder, and shall make recommendations from time to time regarding the standards and scope of such contracts in relation to public-utility companies of different kinds and sizes and the costs incurred thereunder and economies resulting therefrom. Such recommendations shall be made available to State commissions, public-utility companies, and to the public in such form and at such reasonable charge as the Commission may prescribe.

Periodic and other reports

Sec. 14. Every registered holding company and every mutual service company shall file with the Commission such annual, quarterly, and other periodic and special reports, the answers to such specific questions and the minutes of such directors', stockholders', and other meetings, as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. Such reports, if required by the rules and regulations of the Commission, shall be certified by an independent public accountant, and shall be made and filed at such time and in such form and detail as the Commission shall prescribe. The Commission may require that there be included in reports filed with it such information and documents as it finds necessary or appropriate to keep reasonably current the information filed under section 5 or 13, and such further information concerning the financial condition, security structure, security holdings, assets, and cost thereof, wherever determinable, and affiliations of the reporting company and the associate companies, member companies, and affiliates thereof as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

Accounts and records

Sec. 15. (a) Every registered holding company and every subsidiary company thereof shall make, keep, and preserve for such periods, such accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or for the enforcement of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(b) Every affiliate of a registered holding company or of any subsidiary company thereof, or of any public-utility company engaged in interstate commerce or not so engaged, shall make, keep, and preserve for such periods, such accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records relating to any transaction of such affiliate which is subject to any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or for the enforcement of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(c) Every mutual service company, and every affiliate of a mutual service company as to any transaction of such affiliate which is subject to any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, shall make, keep, and preserve for such periods, such accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or for the enforcement of the provisions of this title or the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder.

(d) Every person whose principal business is the performance of service, sales, or construction contracts for public-utility or holding companies shall make, keep, and preserve for such periods, such accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records, relating to any transaction by such person which is subject to any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers or for the enforcement of the provisions of this title or the rules and regulations thereunder.

(e) After the Commission has prescribed the form and manner of making and keeping accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records to be kept by any person hereunder, it shall be unlawful for any such person to keep any accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, or other records other than those prescribed or such as may be approved by the Commission, or to keep his or its accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, or other records in any manner other than that prescribed or approved by the Commission.

(f) All accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records kept or required to be kept by persons subject to any provision of this section shall be subject at any time and from time to time to such reasonable periodic, special, and other examinations by the Commission, or any member or representative thereof, as the Commission may prescribe. The Commission, after notice and opportunity for hearing, may prescribe the account or accounts in which particular outlays, receipts, and other transactions shall be entered, charged, or credited and the manner in which such entry, charge, or credit shall be made, and may require an entry to be modified or supplemented so as properly to show the cost of any asset or any other cost.

(g) It shall be the duty of every registered holding company and of every subsidiary company thereof and of every affiliate of a company insofar as such affiliate is subject to any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, to submit the accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records of such holding company, subsidiary company, or affiliate, as the case may be, to such examinations, in person or by duly appointed attorney, by the holder of any security of such holding company, subsidiary company, or affiliate, as the case may be, as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(h) It shall be the duty of every mutual service company, and of every affiliate of a mutual service company, and of every person whose principal business is the performance of service, sales, or construction contracts for public-utility or holding companies, insofar as such affiliate or such person is subject to any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, to submit the accounts, cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records of such mutual service company, affiliate, or person to such examinations, in person or by duly appointed attorney, by member companies of such mutual service company and by public-utility or holding companies for which such person performs service, sales, or construction contracts as the Commission deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers.

(i) The Commission, by such rules and regulations as it deems necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers may prescribe for persons subject to the provisions of subsection (a), (b), (c), or (d) of this section uniform methods for keeping accounts required under any provision of this section, including, among other things, the maner in which the cost of all assets, whenever determinable, shall be shown, the methods of classifying and segregating accounts, and the manner in which cost-accounting procedures shall be maintained.

Liability for misleading statements

Sec. 16. (a) Any person who shall make or cause to be made any statement in any application, report, registration statement, or document filed pursuant to any provision of this title, or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, which statement was at the time and in the light of the circumstances under which it was made false or misleading with respect to any material fact shall be liable in the same manner, to the same extent, and subject to the same limitations as provided in section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 with respect to an application, report, or document filed pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(b) The rights and remedies provided by this title, except as provided in section 17 (b), shall be in addition to any and all other rights and remedies that may exist under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise at law or in equity; but no person permitted to maintain a suit for damages under the provisions of this title shall recover, through satisfaction of judgment in one or more actions, a total amount in excess of his actual damages on account of the act complained of.

Officers, directors, and other affiliates

Sec. 17. (a) Every person who is an officer or director of a registered holding company shall file with the Commission in such form as the Commission shall prescribe (1) at the time of the registration of such holding company, or within ten days after such person becomes an officer or director, a statement of the securities of such registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof of which he is, directly or indirectly, the beneficial owner, and (2) within ten days after the close of each calendar month thereafter, if there has been any change in such ownership during such month, a statement of such ownership as of the close of such calendar month and of the changes in such ownership that have occurred during such calendar month.

(b) For the purpose of preventing the unfair use of information which may have been obtained by any such officer or director by reason of his relationship to such registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof, any profit realized by any such officer or director from any purchase and sale, or any sale and purchase, of any security of such registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof within any period of less than six months, unless such security was acquired in good faith in connection with a debt previously contracted, shall inure to and be recoverable by the holding company or subsidiary company in respect of the security of which such profit was realized, irrespective of any intention on the part of such officer or director in entering into such transaction to hold the security purchased or not to repurchase the security sold for a period of more than six months. Suit to recover such profit may be instituted at law or in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction by the company entitled thereto or by the owner of any security of such company in the name and in the behalf of such company if such company shall fail or refuse to bring such suit within sixty days after request or shall fail diligently to prosecute the same thereafter; but no such suit shall be brought more than two years after the date such profit was realized. This subsection shall not cover any transaction where such person was not an officer or director at the times of the purchase and sale, or the sale and purchase, of the security involved, or any transaction or transactions which the Commission by rules and regulations may, as necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers, exempt as not comprehended within the purpose of this subsection. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to give a remedy in the case of any transaction in respect of which a remedy is given under subsection (b) of section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(c) After one year from the date of the enactment of this title, no registered holding company or any subsidiary company thereof shall have, as an officer or director thereof, any executive officer, director, partner, appointee, or representative of any bank, trust company, investment banker, or banking association or firm, or any executive officer, director, partner, appointee, or representative of any corporation a majority of whose stock, having the unrestricted right to vote for the election of directors, is owned by any bank, trust company, investment banker, or banking association or firm, except in such cases as rules and regulations prescribed by the Commission may permit as not adversely affecting the public interest or the interest of investors or consumers.

Investigations; injunctions, enforcement of title, and prosecution of offenses

Sec. 18. (a) The Commission, in its discretion, may investigate any facts, conditions, practices, or matters which it may deem necessary or appropriate to determine whether any person has violated or is about to violate any provision of this title or any rule or regulation thereunder, or to aid in the enforcement of the provisions of this title, in the prescribing of rules and regulations thereunder, or in obtaining information to serve as a basis for recommending further legislation concerning the matters to which this title relates. The Commission may require or permit any person to file with it a statement in writing, under oath or otherwise as it shall determine, as to any or all facts and circumstances concerning a matter which may be the subject of investigation. The Commission, in its discretion, may publish, or make available to State commissions, information concerning any such subject.

(b) The Commission upon its own motion or at the request of a State commission may investigate, or obtain any information regarding the business, financial condition, or practices of any registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof or facts, conditions, practices, or matters affecting the relations between any such company and any other company or companies in the same holding-company system.

(c) For the purpose of any investigation or any other proceeding under this title, any member of the Commission, or any officer thereof designated by it, is empowered to administer oaths and affirmations, subpena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, or other records which the Commission deems relevant or material to the inquiry. Such attendance of witnesses and the production of any such records may be required from any place in any State or in any Territory or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States at any designated place of hearing.

(d) In case of contumacy by, or refusal to obey a subpena issued to, any person, the Commission may invoke the aid of any court of the United States within the jurisdiction of which such investigation or proceeding is carried on, or where such person resides or carries on business, in requiring

Liability of controlling persons; preventing compliance with title

Sec. 27. (a) It shall be unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly, to cause to be done any act or thing through or by means of any other person which it would be unlawful for such person to do under the provisions of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person without just cause to hinder, delay, or obstruct the making, filing, or keeping of any information, document, report, record, or account required to be made, filed, or kept under any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder.

Unlawful representations

Sec. 28. It shall be unlawful for any person in issuing, selling, or offering for sale any security of a registered holding company or subsidiary company thereof, to represent or imply in any manner whatsoever that such security has been guaranteed, sponsored, or recommended for investment by the United States or any agency or officer thereof.

Penalties

Sec. 29. Any person who willfully violates any provision of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder (other than an order of the Commission under subsection (b), (d), (e), or (f) of section 11), or any person who willfully makes any statement or entry in any application, report, document, account, or record filed or kept or required to be filed or kept under the provisions of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, knowing such statement or entry to be false or misleading in any material respect, or any person who willfully destroys (except after such time as may be prescribed under any rules or regulations under this title), mutilates, alters, or by any means or device falsifies any account, correspondence, memorandum, book, paper, or other record kept or required to be kept under the provisions of this title or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, shall upon conviction be fined not more than $10,000 or imprisoned not more than two years, or both, except that in the case of a violation of a provision of subsection (a) or (b) of section 4 by a holding company which is not an individual, the fine imposed upon such holding company shall be a fine not exceeding $200,000; but no person shall be convicted under this section for the violation of any rule, regulation, or order if he proves that he had no knowledge of such rule, regulation, or order.

Study of public-utility and investment companies

Sec. 30. The Commission is authorized and directed to make studies and investigations of public-utility companies, the territories served or which can be served by pubic-utility companies, and the manner in which the same are or can be served, to determine the sizes, types, and locations of public-utility companies which do or can operate most economically and efficiently in the public interest, in the interest of investors and consumers, and in furtherance of a wider and more economical use of gas and electric energy; upon the basis of such investigations and studies the Commission shall make public from time to time its recommendations as to the type and size of geographically and economically integrated public-utility systems which, having regard for the nature and character of the locality served, can best promote and harmonize the interests of the public, the investor, and the consumer. The Commission is authorized and directed to make a study of the functions and activities of investment trusts and investment companies, the corporate structures, and investment policies of such trusts and companies, the influence exerted by such trusts and companies upon companies in which they are interested, and the influence exerted by interests affiliated with the management of such trusts and companies upon their investment policies, and to report the results of its study and its recommendations to the Congress on or before January 4, 1937.

Employees of the Commission

Sec. 31. For the purposes of this title, the Commission may select, employ, and fix the compensation of such attorneys, examiners, and other experts as shall be necessary for the transaction of the business of the Commission in respect of this title without regard to the provisions of other laws applicable to the employment and compensation of officers or employees of the United States; and the Commission may, subject to the civil-service laws, appoint such other officers and employees as are necessary in the execution of the functions of the Commission and fix their salaries in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.

Separability of provisions

Sec. 32. If any provision of this title or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances shall be held invalid, the remainder of the title and the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

Short title

Sec. 33. This title may be cited as the "Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935."

TITLE II—AMENDMENTS TO FEDERAL WATER POWER ACT

Section 201. Section 3 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. The words defined in this section shall have the following meanings for purposes of this act, to wit:

"(1) 'public lands' means such lands and interest in lands owned by the United States as are subject to private appropriation and disposal under public land laws. It shall not include 'reservations' as hereinafter defined;

"(2) 'reservations' means national forests, tribal lands embraced within Indian reservations, military reservations, and other lands and interests in lands owned by the United States, and withdrawn, reserved, or withheld from private appropriation and disposal under the public land laws; also lands and interests in lands acquired and held for any public purposes; but shall not include national monuments or national parks;

"(3) 'corporation' means any corporation, joint-stock company, partnership, association, business trust, organized group of persons, whether incorporated or not, or a receiver or receivers, trustee or trustees of any of the foregoing. It shall not include 'municipalities' as hereinafter defined;

"(4) 'person' means an individual or a corporation;

"(5) 'licensee' means any person, State, or municipality licensed under the provisions of section 4 of this act, and any assignee or successor in interest thereof;

"(6) 'State' means a State admitted to the Union, the District of Columbia, and any organized Territory of the United States;

"(7) 'municipality' means a city, county, irrigation district, drainage district, or other political subdivision or agency of a State competent under the laws thereof to carry on the business of developing, transmitting, utilizing, or distributing power;

"(8) 'navigable waters' means those parts of streams or other bodies of water over which Congress has jurisdiction under its authority to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States, and which either in their natural or improved condition, notwithstanding interruptions between the navigable parts of such streams or waters by falls, shallows, or rapids, compelling land carriage, are used or suitable for use for the transportation of persons or property in interstate or foreign commerce, including therein all such interrupting falls, shallows, or rapids, together with such other parts of streams as shall have been authorized by Congress for improvement by the United States or shall have been recommended to Congress for such improvement after investigation under its authority;

"(9) 'municipal purposes' means and includes all purposes within municipal powers as defined by the constitution or laws of the State or by the charter of the municipality;

"(10) 'Government dam' means a dam or other work constructed or owned by the United States for Government purposes with or without contribution from others;

"(11) 'project' means complete unit of improvement or development, consisting of a power house, all water conduits, all dams and appurtenant works and structures (including

navigation structures) which are a part of said unit, and all storage, diverting, or forebay reservoirs directly connected therewith, the primary line or lines transmitting power therefrom to the point of junction with the distribution system or with the interconnected primary transmission system, all miscellaneous structures used and useful in connection with said unit or any part thereof, and all water rights, rights-of-way, ditches, dams, reservoirs, lands, or interest in lands the use and occupancy of which are necessary or appropriate in the maintenance and operation of such unit;

"(12) 'project works' means the physical structures of a project;

"(13) 'net investment' in a project means the actual legitimate original cost thereof as defined and interpreted in the 'classification of investment in road and equipment of steam roads, issue of 1914, Interstate Commerce Commission', plus similar costs of additions thereto and betterments thereof, minus the sum of the following items properly allocated thereto, if and to the extent that such items have been accumulated during the period of the license from earnings in excess of a fair return on such investment: (a) Unappropriated surplus, (b) aggregate credit balances of current depreciation accounts, and (c) aggregate appropriations of surplus or income held in amortization, sinking fund, or similar reserves, or expended for additions or betterments or used for the purposes for which such reserves were created. The term 'cost' shall include, insofar as applicable, the elements thereof prescribed in said classification, but shall not include expenditures from funds obtained through donations by States, municipalities, individuals, or others, and said classification of investment of the Interstate Commerce Commission shall insofar as applicable be published and promulgated as a part of the rules and regulations of the Commission;

"(14) 'Commission' and 'Commissioner' means the Federal Power Commission, and a member thereof, respectively;

"(15) 'State commission' means the regulatory body of the State or municipality having jurisdiction to regulate rates and charges for the sale of electric energy to consumers within the State or municipality;

"(16) 'security' means any note, stock, treasury stock, bond, debenture, or other evidence of interest in or indebtedness of a corporation subject to the provisions of this act."

Sec. 202. Section 4 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 4. The Commission is hereby authorized and empowered—

"(a) To make investigations and to collect and record data concerning the utilization of the water resources of any region to be developed, the water-power industry and its relation to other industries and to interstate or foreign commerce, and concerning the location, capacity, development, costs, and relation to markets of power sites, and whether the power from Government dams can be advantageously used by the United States for its public purposes, and what is a fair value of such power, to the extent the Commission may deem necessary or useful for the purposes of this act.

"(b) To determine the actual legitimate original cost of and the net investment in a licensed project, and to aid the Commission in such determinations, each licensee shall, upon oath, within a reasonable period of time to be fixed by the Commission, after the construction of the original project or any addition thereto or betterment thereof, file with the Commission in such detail as the Commission may require, a statement in duplicate showing the actual legitimate original cost of construction of such project, addition, or betterment, and of the price paid for water rights, rights-of-way, lands, or interest in lands. The licensee shall grant to the Commission or to its duly authorized agent or agents, at all reasonable times, free access to such project, addition, or betterment, and to all maps, profiles, contracts, reports of engineers, accounts, books, records, and all other papers and documents relating thereto. The statement of actual legitimate original cost of said project, and revisions thereof as determined by the Commission, shall be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury.

"(c) To cooperate with the executive departments and other agencies of State or National Governments in such investigations; and for such purpose the several departments and agencies of the National Government are authorized and directed upon the request of the Commission to furnish such records, papers, and information in their possession as may be requested by the Commission, and temporarily to detail to the Commission such officers or experts as may be necessary in such investigations.

"(d) To make public from time to time the information secured hereunder and to provide for the publication of its reports and investigations in such form and manner as may be best adapted for public information and use. The Commission, on or before the 3d day of January of each year, shall submit to Congress for the fiscal year preceding a classified report showing the permits and licenses issued under this Part, and in each case the parties thereto, the terms prescribed, and the moneys received, if any, or account thereof. Such report shall contain the names and show the compensation of the persons employed by the Commission.

"(e) To issue licenses to citizens of the United States, or to any association of such citizens, or to any corporation organized under the laws of the United States or any State thereof, or to any State or municipality for the purpose of constructing, operating, and maintaining dams, water conduits, reservoirs, power houses, transmission lines, or other project works necessary or convenient for the development and improvement of navigation and for the development, transmission, and utilization of power across, along, from, or in any of the streams or other bodies of water over which Congress has jurisdiction under its authority to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States, or upon any part of the public lands and reservations of the United States (including the Territories), or for the purpose of utilizing the surplus water or water power from any Government dam, except as herein provided: Provided, That licenses shall be issued within any reservation only after a finding by the Commission that the license will not interfere or be inconsistent with the purpose for which such reservation was created or acquired, and shall be subject to and contain such conditions as the Secretary of the department under whose supervision such reservation falls shall deem necessary for the adequate protection and utilization of such reservation: Provided further, That no license affecting the navigable capacity of any navigable waters of the United States shall be issued until the plans of the dam or other structures affecting navigation have been approved by the Chief of Engineers and the Secretary of War. Whenever the contemplated improvement is, in the judgment of the Commission, desirable and justified in the public interest for the purpose of improving or developing a waterway or waterways for the use or benefit of interstate or foreign commerce, a finding to that effect shall be made by the Commission and shall become a part of the records of the Commission: Provided further, That in case the Commission shall find that any Government dam may be advantageously used by the United States for public purposes in addition to navigation, no license therefor shall be issued until two years after it shall have reported to Congress the facts and conditions relating thereto, except that this provision shall not apply to any Government dam constructed prior to June 10, 1920: And provided further, That upon the filing of any application for a license which has not been preceded by a preliminary permit under subsection (f) of this section, notice shall be given and published as required by the proviso of said subsection.

"(f) To issue preliminary permits for the purpose of enabling applicants for a license hereunder to secure the data and to perform the acts required by section 9 hereof: Provided, however, That upon the filing of any application for a preliminary permit by any person, association, or corporation the Commission, before granting such application, shall at once give notice of such application in writing to any State or municipality likely to be interested in or affected by such application; and shall also publish notice of such application once each week for four weeks in a daily

or weekly newspaper published in the county or counties in which the project or any part thereof or the lands affected thereby are situated.

"(g) Upon its own motion to order an investigtion of any occupancy of, or evidenced intention to occupy, for the purpose of developing electric power, public lands, reservations, or streams or other bodies of water over which Congress has jurisdiction under its authority to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States by any person, corporation, State, or municipality and to issue such order as it may find appropriate, expedient, and in the public interest to conserve and utilize the navigation and water-power resources of the region."

Sec. 203. Section 5 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 5. Each preliminary permit issued under this Part shall be for the sole purpose of maintaining priority of application for a license under the terms of this act for such period or periods, not exceeding a total of three years, as in the discretion of the Commission may be necessary for making examinations and surveys, for preparing maps, plans, specifications, and estimates, and for making financial arrangements. Each such permit shall set forth the conditions under which priority shall be maintained. Such permits shall not be transferable, and may be canceled by order of the Commission upon failure of permittees to comply with the conditions thereof or for other good cause shown after notice and opportunity for hearing."

Sec. 204. Section 6 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. Licenses under this Part shall be issued for a period not exceeding fifty years. Each such license shall be conditioned upon acceptance by the licensee of all the terms and conditions of this act and such further conditions, if any, as the Commission shall prescribe in conformity with this act, which said terms and conditions and the acceptance thereof shall be expressed in said license. Licenses may be revoked only for the reasons and in the manner prescribed under the provisions of this act, and may be altered or surrendered only upon mutual agreement between the licensee and the Commission after thirty days' public notice. Copies of all licenses issued under the provisions of this Part and calling for the payment of annual charges shall be deposited with the General Accounting Office, in compliance with section 3743, Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., title 41, sec. 20)."

Sec. 205. Section 7 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 7. (a). In issuing preliminary permits hereunder or licenses where no preliminary permit has been issued and in issuing licenses to new licensees under section 15 hereof the Commission shall give preference to applications therefor by States and municipalities, provided the plans for the same are deemed by the Commission equally well adapted, or shall within a reasonable time to be fixed by the Commission be made equally well adapted, to conserve and utilize in the public interest the water resources of the region; and as between other applicants, the Commission may give preference to the applicant the plans of which it finds and determines are best adapted to develop, conserve, and utilize in the public interest the water resources of the region, if it be satisfied as to the ability of the applicant to carry out such plans.

"(b) Whenever, in the judgment of the Commission, the development of any water resources for public purposes should be undertaken by the United States itself, the Commission shall not approve any application for any project affecting such development, but shall cause to be made such examinations, surveys, reports, plans, and estimates of the cost of the proposed development as it may find necessary, and shall submit its findings to Congress with such recommendations as it may find appropriate concerning such development."

Sec. 206. Section 10 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 10. All licenses issued under this Part shall be on the following conditions:

"(a) That the project adopted, including the maps, plans, and specifications, shall be such as in the judgment of the Commission will be best adapted to a comprehensive plan for improving or developing a waterway or waterways for the use or benefit of interstate or foreign commerce, for the improvement and utilization of water-power development, and for other beneficial public uses, including recreational purposes; and if necessary in order to secure such plan the Commission shall have authority to require the modification of any project and of the plans and specifications of the project works before approval.

"(b) That except when emergency shall require for the protection of navigation, life, health, or property, no substantial alteration or addition not in conformity with the approved plans shall be made to any dam or other project works constructed hereunder of an installed capacity in excess of one hundred horsepower without the prior approval of the Commission; and any emergency alteration or addition so made shall thereafter be subject to such modification and change as the Commission may direct.

"(c) That the licensee shall maintain the project works in a condition of repair adequate for the purposes of navigation and for the efficient operation of said works in the development and transmission of power, shall make all necessary renewals and replacements, shall establish and maintain adequate depreciation reserves for such purposes, shall so maintain and operate said works as not to impair navigation, and shall conform to such rules and regulations as the Commission may from time to time prescribe for the protection of life, health, and property. Each licensee hereunder shall be liable for all damages occasioned to the property of others by the construction, maintenance, or operation of the project works or of the works appurtenant or accessory thereto, constructed under the license, and in no event shall the United States be liable therefor.

"(d) That after the first twenty years of operation, out of surplus earned thereafter, if any, accumulated in excess of a specified reasonable rate of return upon the net investment of a licensee in any project or projects under license, the licensee shall establish and maintain amortization reserves, which reserves shall, in the discretion of the Commission, be held until the termination of the license or be applied from time to time in reduction of the net investment. Such specified rate of return and the proportion of such surplus earnings to be paid into and held in such reserves shall be set forth in the license.

"(e) That the licensee shall pay to the United States reasonable annual charges in an amount to be fixed by the Commission for the purpose of reimbursing the United States for the costs of the administration of this part; for recompensing it for the use, occupancy, and enjoyment of its lands or other property; and for the expropriation to the Government of excessive profits until the respective States shall make provision for preventing excessive profits or for the expropriation thereof to themselves, or until the period of amortization as herein provided is reached, and in fixing such charges the Commission shall seek to avoid increasing the price to the consumers of power by such charges, and any such charges may be adjusted from time to time by the Commission as conditions may require: Provided, That when licenses are issued involving the use of Government dams or other structures owned by the United States or tribal lands embraced within Indian reservations the Commission shall, subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior in the case of such dams or structures in reclamation projects and, in the case of such tribal lands, subject to the approval of the Indian tribe having jurisdiction of such lands as provided in section 16 of the act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984), fix a reasonable annual charge for the use thereof, and such charges may with like approval be readjusted by the Commission at the end of twenty years after the project is available for service and at periods of not less than ten years thereafter upon notice and opportunity for hearing: Provided further, That licenses for the development, transmission, or distribution of power by States or municipalities shall be issued and enjoyed without charge to the extent such power is sold to the public without profit or is used by such State or municipality for State or municipal purposes, except that as to projects constructed or to be constructed by States or municipalities primarily designed to provide or improve navigation, licenses therefor shall be issued without charge; and that licenses for the development, transmission, or distribution of power for domestic, mining, or other beneficial use in projects of not more than one hundred horsepower installed capacity may be issued without charge, except on tribal lands within Indian reservations; but in no case shall a license be issued free of charge for the development and utilization of power created by any Government dam and that the amount charged therefor in any license shall be such as determined by the Commission. In the event an overpayment of any charge due under this section shall be made by a licensee, the Commission is authorized to allow a credit for such overpayment when charges are due for any subsequent period.

"(f) That whenever any licensee hereunder is directly benefited by the construction work of another licensee, a permittee, or of the United States of a storage reservoir or other headwater improvement, the Commission shall require as a condition of the license that the licensee so benefited shall reimburse the owner of such reservoir or other improvements for such part of the annual charges for interest, maintenance, and depreciation thereon as the Commission may deem equitable. The proportion of such charges to be paid by any licensee shall be determined by the Commission. The licensees or permittees affected shall pay to the United States the cost of making such determination as fixed by the Commission.

"Whenever such reservoir or other improvement is constructed by the United States the Commission shall assess similar charges against any licensee directly benefited thereby, and any amount so assessed shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States, to be reserved and appropriated as a part of the special fund for headwater improvements as provided in section 17 hereof.

"Whenever any power project not under license is benefited by the construction work of a licensee or permittee, the United States or any agency thereof, the Commission, after notice to the owner or owners of such unlicensed project, shall determine and fix a reasonable and equitable annual charge to be paid to the licensee or permittee on account of such benefits, or to the United States if it be the owner of such headwater improvement.

"(g) Such other conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of this act as the Commission may require.

"(h) That combinations, agreements, arrangements, or understandings, express or implied, to limit the output of electrical energy, to restrain trade, or to fix, maintain, or increase prices for electrical energy or service are hereby prohibited.

"(i) In issuing licenses for a minor part only of a complete project, or for a complete project of not more than one hundred horsepower installed capacity, the Commission may in its discretion waive such conditions, provisions, and requirements of this part, except the license period of fifty years, as it may deem to be to the public interest to waive under the circumstances: Provided, That the provisions hereof shall not apply to annual charges for use of lands within Indian reservations."

Sec. 207. Section 14 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 14. Upon not less than two years' notice in writing from the Commission the United States shall have the right upon or after the expiration of any license to take over and thereafter to maintain and operate any project or projects as defined in section 3 hereof, and covered in whole or in part by the license, or the right to take over upon mutual agreement with the licensee all property owned and held by the licensee then valuable and serviceable in the development, transmission, or distribution of power and which is then dependent for its usefulness upon the continuance of the license, together with any lock or locks or other aids to navigation constructed at the expense of the licensee, upon the condition that before taking possession it shall pay the net investment of the licensee in the project or projects taken, not to exceed the fair value of the property taken, plus such reasonable damages, if any, to property of the licensee valuable, serviceable, and dependent as above set forth but not taken, as may be caused by the severance therefrom of property taken, and shall assume all contracts entered into by the licensee with the approval of the Commission. The net investment of the licensee in the project or projects so taken and the amount of such severance damages, if any, shall be determined by the Commission after notice and opportunity for hearing. Such net investment shall not include or be affected by the value of any lands, rights-of-way, or other property of the United States licensed by the Commission under this act, by the license or by good will, going value, or prospective revenues; nor shall the values allowed for water rights, rights-of-way, lands, or interest in lands be in excess of the actual reasonable cost thereof at the time of acquisition by the licensee: Provided, That the right of the United States or any State or municipality to take over, maintain, and operate any project licensed under this act at any time by condemnation proceedings upon payment of just compensation is hereby expressly reserved."

Sec. 208. Section 17 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 17. (a) All proceeds from any Indian reservation shall be placed to the credit of the Indians of such reservation. All other charges arising from licenses hereunder, except charges fixed by the Commission for the purpose of reimbursing the United States for the costs of administration of this Part, shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States, subject to the following distribution: 12½ per centum thereof is hereby appropriated to be paid into the Treasury of the United States and credited to 'Miscellaneous receipts'; 50 per centum of the charges arising from licenses hereunder for the occupancy and use of public lands and national forests shall be paid into, reserved, and appropriated as a part of the reclamation fund created by the Act of Congress known as the Reclamation Act, approved June 17, 1902; and 37½ per centum of the charges arising from licenses hereunder for the occupancy and use of national forests and public lands from development within the boundaries of any State shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury to such State; and 50 per centum of the charges arising from all other licenses hereunder is hereby reserved and appropriated as a special fund in the Treasury to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War in the maintenance and operation of dams and other navigation structures owned by the United States or in the construction, maintenance, or operation of headwater or other improvements of navigable waters of the United States. The proceeds of charges made by the Commission for the purpose of reimbursing the United States for the costs of the administration of this part shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States and credited to miscellaneous receipts.

"(b) In case of delinquency on the part of any licensee in the payment of annual charges a penalty of 5 per centum of the total amount so delinquent may be added to the total charges which shall apply for the first month or part of month so delinquent with an additional penalty of 3 per centum for each subsequent month until the total of the charges and penalties are paid or until the license is canceled and the charges and penalties satisfied in accordance with law."

Sec. 209. Section 18 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 18. The Commission shall require the construction, maintenance, and operation by a licensee at its own expense of such lights and signals as may be directed by the Secretary of War, and such fishways as may be prescribed by the Secretary of Commerce. The operation of any navigation facilities which may be constructed as a part of or in connection with any dam or diversion structure built under the provi-

sions of this act, whether at the expense of a licensee hereunder or of the United States, shall at all times be controlled by such reasonable rules and regulations in the interest of navigation, including the control of the level of the pool caused by such dam or diversion structure as may be made from time to time by the Secretary of War; and for willful failure to comply with any such rule or regulation such licensee shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 316 hereof."

Sec. 210. Section 23 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 23. (a) The provisions of this Part shall not be construed as affecting any permit or valid existing right-of-way heretofore granted or as confirming or otherwise affecting any claim, or as affecting any authority heretofore given pursuant to law, but any person, association, corporation, State, or municipality holding or possessing such permit, right-of-way, or authority may apply for a license hereunder, and upon such application the Commission may issue to any such applicant a license in accordance with the provisions of this Part and in such case the provisions of this act shall apply to such applicant as a licensee hereunder: Provided, That when application is made for a license under this section for a project or projects already constructed the fair value of said project or projects determined as provided in this section, shall for the purposes of this Part and of said license be deemed to be the amount to be allowed as the net investment of the applicant in such project or projects as of the date of such license, or as of the date of such determination, if license has not been issued. Such fair value shall be determined by the Commission after notice and opportunity for hearing.

"(b) It shall be unlawful for any person, State, or municipality, for the purpose of developing electric power, to construct, operate, or maintain any dam, water conduit, reservoir, power house, or other works incidental thereto across, along, or in any of the navigable waters of the United States, or upon any part of the public lands or reservations of the United States (including the Territories), or utilize the surplus water or water power from any Government dam, except under and in accordance with the terms of a permit or valid existing right-of-way granted prior to June 10, 1920, or a license granted pursuant to this act. Any person, association, corporation, State, or municipality intending to construct a dam or other project works across, along, over, or in any stream or part thereof, other than those defined herein as navigable waters, and over which Congress has jurisdiction under its authority to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States shall before such construction file declaration of such intention with the Commission, whereupon the Commission shall cause immediate investigation of such proposed construction to be made, and if upon investigation it shall find that the interests of interstate or foreign commerce would be affected by such proposed construction, such person, association, corporation, State, or municipality shall not construct, maintain, or operate such dam or other project works until it shall have applied for and shall have received a license under the provisions of this act. If the Commission shall not so find, and if no public lands or reservations are affected, permission is hereby granted to construct such dam or other project works in such stream upon compliance with State laws."

Sec. 211. Section 24 of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 24. Any lands of the United States included in any proposed project under the provisions of this Part shall from the date of filing of application therefor be reserved from entry, location, or other disposal under the laws of the United States until otherwise directed by the Commission or by Congress. Notice that such application has been made, together with the date of filing thereof and a description of the lands of the United States affected thereby, shall be filed in the local land office for the district in which such lands are located. Whenever the Commission shall determine that the value of any lands of the United States so applied for, or heretofore or hereafter reserved or classified as power sites, will not be injured or destroyed for the purposes of power development by location, entry, or selection under the public land laws, the Secretary of the Interior, upon notice of such determination, shall declare such lands open to location, entry, or selection, for such purpose or purposes and under such restrictions as the Commission may determine, subject to and with a reservation of the right of the United States or its permittees or licensees to enter upon, occupy, and use any part or all of said lands necessary, in the judgment of the Commission, for the purposes of this Part, which right shall be expressly reserved in every patent issued for such lands; and no claim or right to compensation shall accrue from the occupation or use of any of said lands for said purposes. The United States or any licensee for any such lands hereunder may enter thereupon for the purposes of this Part, upon payment of any damages to crops, buildings, or other improvements caused thereby to the owner thereof, or upon giving a good and sufficient bond to the United States for the use and benefit of the owner to secure the payment of such damages as may be determined and fixed in an action brought upon the bond in a court of competent jurisdiction, said bond to be in the form prescribed by the Commission: Provided, That locations, entries, selections, or filings heretofore made for lands reserved as water-power sites, or in connection with water-power development, or electrical transmission may proceed to approval or patent under and subject to the limitations and conditions in this section contained.

Sec. 212. Sections 1 to 29, inclusive, of the Federal Water Power Act, as amended, shall constitute Part I of that act, and sections 25 and 30 of such act, as amended, are repealed: Provided, That nothing in that act, as amended, shall be construed to repeal or amend the provisions of the amendment to the Federal Water Power Act approved March 3, 1921 (41 Stat. 1353), or the provisions of any other act relating to national parks and national monuments.

Sec. 213. The Federal Water Power Act, as amended, is further amended by adding thereto the following parts:

"PART II—REGULATION OF ELECTRIC UTILITY COMPANIES ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE COMMERCE

"Declaration of policy; application of part; definitions

"Section 201. (a) It is hereby declared that the business of transmitting and selling electric energy for ultimate distribution to the public is affected with a public interest, and that Federal regulation of matters relating to generation to the extent provided in this Part and the Part next following and of that part of such business which consists of the transmission of electric energy in interstate commerce and the sale of such energy at wholesale in interstate commerce is necessary in the public interest, such Federal regulation, however, to extend only to those matters which are not subject to regulation by the States.

"(b) The provisions of this Part shall apply to the transmission of electric energy in interstate commerce and to the sale of electric energy at wholesale in interstate commerce, but shall not apply to any other sale of electric energy or deprive a State or State commission of its lawful authority now exercised over the exportation of hydroelectric energy which is transmitted across a State line. The Commission shall have jurisdiction over all facilities for such transmission or sale of electric energy, but shall not have jurisdiction, except as specifically provided in this Part and the Part next following, over facilities used for the generation of electric energy or over facilities used in local distribution or only for the transmission of electric energy in intrastate commerce, or over facilities for the transmission of electric energy consumed wholly by the transmitter.

"(c) For the purpose of this Part, electric energy shall be held to be transmitted in interstate commerce if transmitted from a State and consumed at any point outside thereof; but only insofar as such transmission takes place within the United States.

"(d) The term 'sale of electric energy at wholesale' when used in this Part means a sale of electric energy to any person for resale.

"(e) The term 'public utility' when used in this Part or in the Part next following means any person who owns or operates facilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission under this Part.

"(f) No provision in this Part shall apply to, or be deemed to include, the United States, a State or any political subdivision of a State, or any agency, authority, or instrumentality of any one or more of the foregoing, or any corporation which is wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by any one or more of the foregoing, or any officer, agent, or employee of any of the foregoing acting as such in the course of his official duty, unless such provision makes specific reference thereto.

"Interconnection and coordination of facilities; emergencies; transmission to foreign countries

"Sec. 202. (a) For the purpose of assuring an abundant supply of electric energy throughout the United States with the greatest possible economy and with regard to the proper utilization and conservation of natural resources, the Commission is empowered and directed to divide the country into regional districts for the voluntary interconnection and coordination of facilities for the generation, transmission, and sale of electric energy, and it may at any time thereafter, upon its own motion or upon application, make such modifications thereof as in its judgment will promote the public interest. Each such district shall embrace an area which, in the judgment of the Commission, can economically be served by such interconnected and coordinated electric facilities. It shall be the duty of the Commisison to promote and encourage such interconnection and coordination within each such district and between such districts. Before establishing any such district and fixing or modifying the boundaries thereof the Commission shall give notice to the State commission of each State situated wholly or in part within such district, and shall afford each such State commission reasonable opportunity to present its views and recommendations, and shall receive and consider such views and recommendations.

"(b) Whenever the Commission, upon application of any State commission or of any person engaged in the transmission or sale of electric energy, and after notice to each State commission and public utility affected and after opportunity for hearing, finds such action necessary or appropriate in the public interest it may by order direct a public utility (if the Commission finds that no undue burden will be placed upon such public utility thereby) to establish physical connection of its transmission facilities with the facilities of one or more other persons engaged in the transmission or sale of electric energy, to sell energy to or exchange energy with such persons: Provided, That the Commission shall have no authority to compel the enlargement of generating facilities for such purposes, nor to compel such public utility to sell or exchange energy when to do so would impair its ability to render adequate service to its customers. The Commission may prescribe the terms and conditions of the arrangement to be made between the persons affected by any such order, including the apportionment of cost between them and the compensation or reimbursement reasonably due to any of them.

"(c) During the continuance of any war in which the United States is engaged, or whenever the Commission determines that an emergency exists by reason of a sudden increase in the demand for electric energy, or a shortage of electric energy or of facilities for the generation or transmission of electric energy, or of fuel or water for generating facilities, or other causes, the Commission shall have authority, either upon its own motion or upon complaint, with or without notice, hearing, or report, to require by order such temporary connections of facilities and such generation, delivery, interchange, or transmission of electric energy as in its judgment will best meet the emergency and serve the public interest. If the parties affected by such order fail to agree upon the terms of any arrangement between them in carrying out such order, the Commission after hearing held either before or after such order takes effect, may prescribe by supplemental order such terms as it finds to be just and reasonable, including the compensation or reimbursement which should be paid to or by any such party.

"(d) During the continuance of any emergency requiring immediate action, any person engaged in the transmission or sale of electric energy and not otherwise subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission may make such temporary connections with any public utility subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission or may construct such temporary facilities for the transmission of electric energy in interstate commerce as may be necessary or appropriate to meet such emergency, and shall not become subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission by reason of such temporary connection or temporary construction: Provided, That such temporary connection shall be discontinued or such temporary construction removed or otherwise disposed of upon the termination of such emergency: Provided further, That upon approval of the Commission permanent connections for emergency use only may be made hereunder.

"(e) After six months from the date on which this Part takes effect, no person shall transmit any electric energy from the United States to a foreign country without first having secured an order of the Commission authorizing it to do so. The Commission shall issue such order upon application unless, after opportunity for hearing, it finds that the proposed transmission would impair the sufficiency of electric supply within the United States or would impede or tend to impede the coordination in the public interest of facilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission. The Commission may by its order grant such application in whole or in part, with such modifications and upon such terms and conditions as the Commission may find necessary or appropriate, and may from time to time, after opportunity for hearing and for good cause shown, make such supplemental orders in the premises as it may find necessary or appropriate.

"Disposition of property; consolidations; purchase of securities

"Sec. 203. (a) No public utility shall sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of the whole of its facilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, or any part thereof of a value in excess of $50,000, or by any means whatsoever, directly or indirectly, merge or consolidate such facilities or any part thereof with those of any other person, or purchase, acquire, or take any security of any other public utility, without first having secured an order of the Commission authorizing it to do so. Upon application for such approval the Commission shall give reasonable notice in writing to the Governor and State commission of each of the States in which the physical property affected, or any part thereof, is situated, and to such other persons as it may deem advisable. After notice and opportunity for hearing, if the Commission finds that the proposed disposition, consolidation, acquisition, or control will be consistent with the public interest, it shall approve the same.

"(b) The Commission may grant any application for an order under this section in whole or in part and upon such terms and conditions as it finds necessary or appropriate to secure the maintenance of adequate service and the coordination in the public interest of facilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission. The Commission may from time to time for good cause shown make such orders supplemental to any order made under this section as it may find necessary or appropriate.

"Issuance of securities; assumption of liabilities

"Sec. 204. (a) No public utility shall issue any security, or assume any obligation or liability as guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person, unless and until, and then only to the extent that, upon application by the public utility, the Commission by order authorizes such issue or assumption of liability. The Commission shall make such order only if it finds that such issue or assumption (a) is for some lawful object, within the cor-

porate purposes of the applicant and compatible with the public interest, which is necessary or appropriate for or consistent with the proper performance by the applicant of service as a public utility and which will not impair its ability to perform that service, and (b) is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes. The provisions of this section shall be effective six months after this Part takes effect.

"(b) The Commission, after opportunity for hearing, may grant any application under this section in whole or in part, and with such modifications and upon such terms and conditions as it may find necessary or appropriate, and may from time to time, after opportunity for hearing and for good cause shown, make such supplemental orders in the premises as it may find necessary or appropriate, and may by any such supplemental order modify the provisions of any previous order as to the particular purposes, uses, and extent to which, or the conditions under which, any security so theretofore authorized or the proceeds thereof may be applied, subject always to the requirements of subsection (a) of this section.

"(c) No public utility shall, without the consent of the Commission, apply any security or any proceeds thereof to any purpose not specified in the Commission's order, or supplemental order, or to any purpose in excess of the amount allowed for such purpose in such order, or otherwise in contravention of such order.

"(d) The Commission shall not authorize the capitalization of the right to be a corporation or of any franchise, permit, or contract for consolidation, merger, or lease in excess of the amount (exclusive of any tax or annual charge) actually paid as the consideration for such right, franchise, permit, or contract.

"(e) Subsection (a) shall not apply to the issue or renewal of, or assumption of liability on, a note or draft maturing not more than one year after the date of such issue, renewal, or assumption of liability, and aggregating (together with all other then outstanding notes and drafts of a maturity of one year or less on which such public utility is primarily or secondarily liable) not more than 5 per centum of the par value of the other securities of the public utility then outstanding. In the case of securities having no par value, the par value for the purpose of this subsection shall be the fair market value as of the date of issue. Within ten days after any such issue, renewal, or assumption of liability, the public utility shall file with the Commission a certificate of notification, in such form as may be prescribed by the Commission, setting forth such matters as the Commission shall by regulation require.

"(f) The provisions of this section shall not extend to a public utility organized and operating in a State under the laws of which its security issues are regulated by a State commission.

"(g) Nothing in this section shall be construed to imply any guaranty or obligation on the part of the United States in respect of any securities to which the provisions of this section relate.

"(h) Any public utility whose security issues are approved by the Commission under this section may file with the Securities and Exchange Commission duplicate copies of reports filed with the Federal Power Commission in lieu of the reports, information, and documents required under section 7 of the Securities Act of 1933 and sections 12 and 13 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934.

"*Rates and charges; Schedules; Suspension of new rates*

"Sec. 205. (a) All rates and charges made, demanded, or received by any public utility for or in connection with the transmission or sale of electric energy subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, and all rules and regulations affecting or pertaining to such rates or charges shall be just and reasonable, and any such rate or charge that is not just and reasonable is hereby declared to be unlawful.

"(b) No public utility shall, with respect to any transmission or sale subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, (1) make or grant any undue preference or advantage to any person or subject any person to any undue prejudice or disadvantage, or (2) maintain any unreasonable difference in rates, charges, service, facilities, or in any other respect, either as between localities or as between classes of service.

"(c) Under such rules and regulations as the Commission may prescribe, every public utility shall file with the Commission, within such time and in such form as the Commission may designate, and shall keep open in convenient form and place for public inspection schedules showing all rates and charges for any transmission or sale subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, and the classifications, practices, and regulations affecting such rates and charges, together with all contracts which in any manner affect or relate to such rates, charges, classifications, and services.

"(d) Unless the Commission otherwise orders, no change shall be made by any public utility in any such rate, charge, classification, or service, or in any rule, regulation, or contract relating thereto, except after thirty days' notice to the Commission and to the public. Such notice shall be given by filing with the Commission and keeping open for public inspection new schedules stating plainly the change or changes to be made in the schedule or schedules then in force and the time when the change or changes will go into effect. The Commission, for good cause shown, may allow changes to take effect without requiring the thirty days' notice herein provided for by an order specifying the changes so to be made and the time when they shall take effect and the manner in which they shall be filed and published.

"(e) Whenever any such new schedule is filed the Commission shall have authority, either upon complaint or upon its own initiative without complaint, at once, and, if it so orders, without answer or formal pleading by the public utility, but upon reasonable notice, to enter upon a hearing concerning the lawfulness of such rate, charge, classification, or service; and, pending such hearing and the decisions thereon, the Commission, upon filing with such schedules and delivering to the public utility affected thereby a statement in writing of its reasons for such suspension, may suspend the operation of such schedule and defer the use of such rate, charge, classification, or service, but not for a longer period than five months beyond the time when it would otherwise go into effect; and after full hearings, either completed before or after the rate, charge, classification, or service goes into effect, the Commission may make such orders with reference thereto as would be proper in a proceeding initiated after it had become effective. If the proceeding has not been concluded and an order made at the expiration of such five months, the proposed change of rate, charge, classification, or service shall go into effect at the end of such period, but in case of a proposed increased rate or charge, the Commission may by order require the interested public utility or public utilities to keep accurate account in detail of all amounts received by reason of such increase, specifying by whom and in whose behalf such amounts are paid, and upon completion of the hearing and decision may by further order require such public utility or public utilities to refund, with interest, to the persons in whose behalf such amounts were paid, such portion of such increased rates or charges as by its decision shall be found not justified. At any hearing involving a rate or charge sought to be increased, the burden of proof to show that the increased rate or charge is just and reasonable shall be upon the public utility, and the Commission shall give to the hearing and decision of such questions preference over other questions pending before it and decide the same as speedily as possible.

"*Fixing rates and charges; determination of cost of production or transmission*

"Sec. 206. (a) Whenever the Commission, after a hearing had upon its own motion or upon complaint, shall find that any rate, charge, or classification, demanded, observed, charged, or collected by any public utility for any transmission or sale subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, or that any rule, regulation, practice, or contract affecting such rate, charge, or classification is unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory or preferential, the Commission shall determine the just and reasonable rate, charge, classification, rule, regulation, practice, or contract to be thereafter observed and in force, and shall fix the same by order.

"(b) The Commission upon its own motion, or upon the request of any State commission whenever it can do so without prejudice to the efficient and proper conduct of its affairs, may investigate and determine the cost of the production or transmission of electric energy by means of facilities under the jurisdiction of the Commission in cases where the Commission has no authority to establish a rate governing the sale of such energy.

"*Furnishing of adequate service*

"Sec. 207. Whenever the Commission, upon complaint of a State commission, after notice to each State commission and public utility affected and after opportunity for hearing, shall find that any interstate service of any public utility is inadequate or insufficient, the Commission shall determine the proper, adequate, or sufficient service to be furnished, and shall fix the same by its order, rule, or regulation: Provided, That the Commission shall have no authority to compel the enlargement of generating facilities for such purposes, nor to compel the public utility to sell or exchange energy when to do so would impair its ability to render adequate service to its customers.

"*Ascertainment of cost of property*

"Sec. 208. (a) The Commission may investigate and ascertain the actual legitimate cost of the property of every public utility, the depreciation therein, and, when found necessary for rate-making purposes, other facts which bear on the determination of such cost or depreciation, and the fair value of such property.

"(b) Every public utility upon request shall file with the Commission an inventory of all or any part of its property and a statement of the original cost thereof, and shall keep the Commission informed regarding the cost of all additions, betterments, extensions, and new construction.

"*Use of joint boards; cooperation with State commissions*

"Sec. 209. (a) The Commission may refer any matter arising in the administration of this Part to a board to be composed of a member or members, as determined by the Commission, from the State or each of the States affected or to be affected by such matter. Any such board shall be vested with the same power and be subject to the same duties and liabilities as in the case of a member of the Commission when designated by the Commission to hold any hearings. The action of such board shall have such force and effect and its proceedings shall be conducted in such manner as the Commission shall by regulations prescribe. The board shall be appropriated by the Commission from persons nominated by the State commission of each State affected, or by the Governor of such State if there is no State commission. Each State affected shall be entitled to the same number of representatives on the board unless the nominating power of such States waives such right. The Commission shall have discretion to reject the nominee from any State, but shall thereupon invite a new nomination from that State. The members of a board shall receive such allowances for expenses as the Commission shall provide. The Commission may, when in its discretion sufficient reason exists therefor, revoke any reference to such a board.

"(b) The Commission may confer with any State commission regarding the relationship between rate structures, costs, accounts, charges, practices, classifications, and regulations of public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of such State commission and of the Commission; and the Commission is authorized, under such rules and regulations as it shall prescribe, to hold joint hearings with any State commission in connection with any matter with respect to which the Commission is authorized to act. The Commission is authorized in the administration of this act to avail itself of such cooperation, services, records, and facilities as may be afforded by any State commission.

"(c) The Commission shall make available to the several State commissions such information and reports as may be of assistance in State regulation of public utilities. Whenever the Commission can do so without prejudice to the efficient and proper conduct of its affairs, it may upon request from a State make available to such State as witnesses any of its trained rate, valuation, or other experts, subject to reimbursement to the Commission by such State of the compensation and traveling expenses of such witnesses. All sums collected hereunder shall be credited to the appropriation from which the amounts were expended in carrying out the provisions of this subsection.

"*PART III—LICENSEES AND PUBLIC UTILITIES; PROCEDURAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*

"*Accounts, Records, and Memoranda*

"Section 301. (a) Every licensee and public utility shall make, keep, and preserve for such periods, such accounts, records of cost-accounting procedures, correspondence, memoranda, papers, books, and other records as the Commission may by rules and regulations prescribe as necessary or appropriate for purposes of the administration of this act, including accounts, records, and memoranda of the generation, transmission, distribution, delivery, or sale of electric energy, the furnishing of services or facilities in connection therewith, and receipts and expenditures with respect to any of the foregoing: Provided, however, That nothing in this act shall relieve any public utility from keeping any accounts, memoranda, or records which such public utility may be required to keep by or under authority of the laws of any State. The Commission may prescribe a system of accounts to be kept by licensees and public utilities and may classify such licensees and public utilities and prescribe a system of accounts for each class. The Commission, after notice and opportunity for hearing, may determine by order the accounts in which particular outlays and receipts shall be entered, charged, or credited. The burden of proof to justify every accounting entry questioned by the Commission shall be on the person making, authorizing, or requiring such entry, and the Commission may suspend a charge or credit pending submission of satisfactory proof in support thereof.

"(b) The Commission shall at all times have access to and the right to inspect and examine all accounts, records, and memoranda of licensees and public utilities, and it shall be the duty of such licensees and public utilities to furnish to the Commission, within such reasonable time as the Commission may order, any information with respect thereto which the Commission may by order require, including copies of maps, contracts, reports of engineers, and other data, records, and papers, and to grant to all agents of the Commission free access to its property and its accounts, records, and memoranda when requested so to do. No member, officer, or employee of the Commission shall divulge any fact or information which may come to his knowledge during the course of examination of books or other accounts, as hereinbefore provided, except insofar as he may be directed by the Commission or by a court.

"(c) The books, accounts, memoranda, and records of any person who controls, directly or indirectly, a licensee or public utility subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, and of any other company controlled by such person, insofar as they relate to transactions with or the business of such licensee or public utility, shall be subject to examination on the order of the Commission.

"*Rates of depreciation*

"Sec. 302. (a) The Commission may, after hearing, require licensees and public utilities to carry a proper and adequate depreciation account in accordance with such rules, regulations, and forms of account as the Commission may prescribe. The Commission may, from time to time, ascertain and determine, and by order fix, the proper and adequate rates of depreciation of the several classes of property of each licensee and public utility. Each licensee and public utility shall conform its depreciation accounts to the rates so ascertained, determined, and fixed. The licensees and public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission shall not charge to operating expenses any depreciation charges

on classes of property other than those prescribed by the Commission, or charge with respect to any class of property a percentage of depreciation other than that prescribed therefor by the Commission. No such licensee or public utility shall in any case include in any form under its operating or other expenses any depreciation or other charge or expenditure included elsewhere as a depreciation charge or otherwise under its operating or other expenses. Nothing in this section shall limit the power of a State commission to determine in the exercise of its jurisdiction, with respect to any public utility, the percentage rate of depreciation to be allowed, as to any class of property of such public utility, or the composite depreciation rate, for the purpose of determining rates or changes.

"(b) The Commission, before prescribing any rules or requirements as to accounts, records, or memoranda, or as to depreciation rates, shall notify each State commission having jurisdiction with respect to any public utility involved, and shall give reasonable opportunity to each such commission to present its views, and shall receive and consider such views and recommendations.

"Requirements applicable to agencies of the United States

"Sec. 303. All agencies of the United States engaged in the generation and sale of electric energy for ultimate distribution to the public shall be subject, as to all facilities used for such generation and sale, and as to the electric energy sold by such agency, to the provisions of sections 301 and 302 hereof, so far as may be practicable, and shall comply with the provisions of such sections and with the rules and regulations of the Commission thereunder to the same extent as may be required in the case of a public utility.

"Periodic and special reports

"Sec. 304. (a) Every licensee and every public utility shall file with the Commission such annual and other periodic or special reports as the Commission may by rules and regulations or order prescribe as necessary or appropriate to assist the Commission in the proper administration of this act. The Commission may prescribe the manner and form in which such reports shall be made, and require from such persons specific answers to all questions upon which the Commission may need information. The Commission may require that such reports shall include, among other things, full information as to assets and liabilities, capitalization, net investment, and reduction thereof, gross receipts, interest due and paid, depreciation, and other reserves, cost of project and other facilities, cost of maintenance and operation of the project and other facilities, cost of renewals and replacement of the project works and other facilities, depreciation, generation, transmission, distribution, delivery, use, and sale of electric energy. The Commission may require any such person to make adequate provision for currently determining such costs and other facts. Such reports shall be made under oath unless the Commission otherwise specifies.

"(b) It shall be unlawful for any person willfully to hinder, delay, or obstruct the making, filing, or keeping of any information, document, report, memorandum, record, or account required to be made, filed, or kept under this act or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder.

"Officials dealing in securities; interlocking directorates

"Sec. 305. (a) It shall be unlawful for any officer or director of any public utility to receive for his own benefit, directly or indirectly, any money or thing of value in respect of the negotiation, hypothecation, or sale by such public utility of any security issued or to be issued by such public utility, or to share in any of the proceeds thereof, or to participate in the making or paying of any dividends of such public utility from any funds properly included in capital account.

"(b) After six months from the date on which this Part takes effect, it shall be unlawful for any person to hold the position of officer or director of more than one public utility or to hold the position of officer or director of a public utility and the position of officer or director of any bank, trust company, banking association, or firm that is authorized by law to underwrite or participate in the marketing of securities of a public utility, or officer or director of any company supplying electrical equipment to such public utility, unless the holding of such positions shall have been authorized by order of the Commission, upon due showing in form and manner prescribed by the Commission, that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected thereby. The Commission shall not grant any such authorization in respect of such positions held on the date on which this Part takes effect, unless application for such authorization is filed with the Commission within sixty days after that date.

"Complaints

"Sec. 306. Any person, State, municipality, or State commission complaining of anything done or omitted to be done by any licensee or public utility in contravention of the provisions of this act may apply to the Commission by petition which shall briefly state the facts, whereupon a statement of the complaint thus made shall be forwarded by the Commission to such licensee or public utility, who shall be called upon to satisfy the complaint or to answer the same in writing within a reasonable time to be specified by the Commission. If such licensee or public utility shall not satisfy the complaint within the time specified or there shall appear to be any reasonable ground for investigating such complaint, it shall be the duty of the Commission to investigate the matters complained of in such manner and by such means as it shall find proper.

"Investigations by Commission; attendance of witnesses; depositions

"Sec. 307. (a) The Commission may investigate any facts, conditions, practices, or matters which it may find necessary or proper in order to determine whether any person has violated or is about to violate any provision of this act or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, or to aid in the enforcement of the provisions of this act or in prescribing rules or regulations thereunder, or in obtaining information to serve as a basis for recommending further legislation concerning the matters to which this act relates. The Commission may permit any person to file with it a statement in writing under oath or otherwise, as it shall determine, as to any or all facts and circumstances concerning a matter which may be the subject of investigation. The Commission, in its discretion, may publish or make available to State commissions information concerning any such subject.

"(b) For the purpose of any investigation or any other proceeding under this act, any member of the Commission, or any officer designated by it, is empowered to administer oaths and affirmations, subpena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, or other records which the Commission finds relevant or material to the inquiry. Such attendance of witnesses and the production of any such records may be required from any place in the United States at any designated place of hearing. Witnesses summoned by the Commission to appear before it shall be paid the same fees and mileage that are paid witnesses in the courts of the United States.

"(c) In case of contumacy by, or refusal to obey a subpena issued to, any person, the Commission may invoke the aid of any court of the United States within the jurisdiction of which such investigation or proceeding is carried on, or where such person resides or carries on business, in requiring the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, and other records. Such court may issue an order requiring such person to appear before the Commission or member or officer designated by the Commission, there to produce records, if so ordered, or to give testimony touching the matter under investigation or in question; and any failure to obey such order of the court may be punished by such court as a contempt thereof. All process in any such case may be served in the judicial district whereof such person is an inhabitant or wherever he may be found or may be doing business. Any person who willfully shall fail or refuse to attend and testify or to answer any lawful inquiry or to produce books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, or other records, if in his or its power so to do, in obedience to the subpena of the Commission, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be subject to a fine of not more than $1,000 or to imprisonment for a term of not more than one year, or both.

"(d) The testimony of any witness may be taken, at the instance of a party, in any proceeding or investigation pending before the Commission, by deposition, at any time after the proceeding is at issue. The Commission may also order testimony to be taken by deposition in any proceeding or investigation pending before it, at any stage of such proceeding or investigation. Such depositions may be taken before any person authorized to administer oaths not being of counsel or attorney to either of the parties, nor interested in the proceeding or investigation. Reasonable notice must first be given in writing by the party or his attorney proposing to take such deposition to the opposite party or his attorney of record, as either may be nearest, which notice shall state the name of the witness and the time and place of the taking of his deposition. Any person may be compelled to appear and depose, and to produce documentary evidence, in the same manner as witnesses may be compelled to appear and testify and produce documentary evidence before the Commission, as hereinbefore provided. Such testimony shall be reduced to writing by the person taking the deposition, or under his direction, and shall, after it has been reduced to writing, be subscribed by the deponent.

"(e) If a witness whose testimony may be desired to be taken by deposition be in a foreign country, the deposition may be taken before an officer or person designated by the Commission, or agreed upon by the parties by stipulation in writing to be filed with the Commission. All depositions must be promptly filed with the Commission.

"(f) Witnesses whose depositions are taken as authorized in this Act, and the person or officer taking the same, shall be entitled to the same fees as are paid for like services in the courts of the United States.

"(g) No person shall be excused from attending and testifying or from producing books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, or other records and documents before the Commission, or in obedience to the subpena of the Commission or any member thereof or any officer designated by it, or in any cause or proceeding instituted by the Commission, on the ground that the testimony or evidence, documentary or otherwise, required of him may tend to incriminate him or subject him to a penalty or forfeiture; but no individual shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for or on account of any transaction, matter, or thing concerning which he is compelled to testify or produce evidence, documentary or otherwise, after having claimed his privilege against self-incrimination, except that such individual so testifying shall not be exempt from prosecution and punishment for perjury committed in so testifying.

"Hearings; rules of procedure

"Sec. 308. (a) Hearings under this act may be held before the Commission, any member or members thereof, or any representative of the Commission designated by it, and appropriate records thereof shall be kept. In any proceeding before it the Commission, in accordance with such rules and regulations as it may prescribe, may admit as a party any interested State, State commission, municipality, or any representative of interested consumers or security holders, or any competitor of a party to such proceeding, or any other person whose participation in the proceeding may be in the public interest.

"(b) All hearings, investigations, and proceedings under this act shall be governed by rules of practice and procedure to be adopted by the Commission, and in the conduct thereof the technical rules of evidence need not be applied. No informality in any hearing, investigation, or proceeding or in the manner of taking testimony shall invalidate any order, decision, rule, or regulation issued under the authority of this act.

"Administrative powers of Commission; rules, regulations, and orders

"Sec. 309. The Commission shall have power to perform any and all acts, and to prescribe, issue, make, amend, and rescind such orders, rules, and regulations as it may find necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of this act. Among other things, such rules and regulations may define accounting, technical, and trade terms used in this act; and may prescribe the form or forms of all statements, declarations, applications, and reports to be filed with the Commission, the information which they shall contain, and the time within which they shall be filed. Unless a different date is specified therein, rules and regulations of the Commission shall be effective thirty days after publication in the manner which the Commission shall prescribe. Orders of the Commission shall be effective on the date and in the manner which the Commission shall prescribe. For the purposes of its rules and regulations, the Commission may classify persons and matters within its jurisdiction and prescribe different requirements for different classes of persons or matters. All rules and regulations of the Commission shall be filed with its secretary and shall be kept open in convenient form for public inspection and examination during reasonable business hours.

"Appointment of officers and employees

"Sec. 310. The Commission is authorized to appoint and fix the compensation of such officers, attorneys, examiners, and experts as may be necessary for carrying out its functions under this act, without regard to the provisions of other laws applicable to the employment and compensation of officers and employees of the United States; and the Commission may, subject to civil-service laws, appoint such other officers and employees as are necessary for carrying out such functions and fix their salaries in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.

"Investigations relating to electric energy

"Sec. 311. In order to secure information necessary or appropriate as a basis for recommending legislation, the Commission is authorized and directed to conduct investigations regarding the generation, transmission, distribution, and sale of electric energy, however produced, throughout the United States and its possessions, whether or not otherwise subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, including the generation, transmission, distribution, and sale of electric energy by any agency, authority, or instrumentality of the United States, or of any State or municipality or other political subdivision of a State. It shall, so far as practicable, secure and keep current information regarding the ownership, operation, management, and control of all facilities for such generation, transmission, distribution, and sale; the capacity and output thereof and the relationship between the two; the cost of generation, transmission, and distribution; the rates, charges, and contracts in respect of the sale of electric energy and its service to residential, rural, commercial, and industrial consumers and other purchasers by private and public agencies; and the relation of any or all such facts to the development of navigation, industry, commerce, and the national defense. The Commission shall report to Congress the results of investigations made under authority of this section.

"Publication and sale of reports

"Sec. 312. The Commission may provide for the publication of its reports and decisions in such form and manner as may be best adapted for public information and use, and is authorized to sell at reasonable prices copies of all maps, atlases, and reports as it may from time to time publish. Such reasonable prices may include the cost of compilation, composition, and reproduction. The Commission is also authorized to make such charges as it deems reasonable for special statistical services and other special or periodic services. The amounts collected under this section shall be deposited in the Treasury to the credit of miscellaneous receipts. All printing for the Federal Power Commission making use of engrav-

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ing, lithography, and photolithography, together with the plates for the same, shall be contracted for and performed under the direction of the Commission, under such limitations and conditions as the Joint Committee on Printing may from time to time prescribe, and all other printing for the Commission shall be done by the Public Printer under such limitations and conditions as the Joint Committee on Printing may from time to time prescribe. The entire work may be done at, or ordered through, the Government Printing Office whenever, in the judgment of the Joint Committee on Printing, the same would be to the interest of the Government: Provided, That when the exigencies of the public service so require, the Joint Committee on Printing may authorize the Commission to make immediate contracts for engraving, lithographing, and photolithographing, without advertisement for proposals: Provided further, That nothing contained in this or any other act shall prevent the Federal Power Commission from placing orders with other departments or establishments for engraving, lithographing, and photolithographing, in accordance with the provisions of sections 601 and 602 of the act of June 30, 1932 (47 Stat. 417), providing for interdepartmental work.

" Rehearings; court review of orders

" Sec. 313. (a) Any person, State, municipality, or State commission aggrieved by an order issued by the Commission in a proceeding under this Act to which such person, State, municipality, or State commission is a party may apply for a rehearing within thirty days after the issuance of such order. The application for rehearing shall set forth specifically the ground or grounds upon which such application is based. Upon such application the Commission shall have power to grant or deny rehearing or to abrogate or modify its order without further hearing. Unless the Commission acts upon the application for rehearing within thirty days after it is filed, such application may be deemed to have been denied. No proceeding to review any order of the Commission shall be brought by any person unless such person shall have made application to the Commission for a rehearing thereon.

"(b) Any party to a proceeding under this Act aggrieved by an order issued by the Commission in such proceeding may obtain a review of such order in the Circuit Court of Appeals of the United States for any circuit wherein the licensee or public utility to which the order relates is located or has its principal place of business, or in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, by filing in such court, within sixty days after the order of the Commission upon the application for rehearing, a written petition praying that the order of the Commission be modified or set aside in whole or in part. A copy of such petition shall forthwith be served upon any member of the Commission and thereupon the Commission shall certify and file with the court a transcript of the record upon which the order complained of was entered. Upon the filing of such transcript such court shall have exclusive jurisdiction to affirm, modify, or set aside such order in whole or in part. No objection to the order of the Commission shall be considered by the court unless such objection shall have been urged before the Commission in the application for rehearing unless there is reasonable ground for failure so to do. The finding of the Commission as to the facts, if supported by substantial evidence, shall be conclusive. If any party shall apply to the court for leave to adduce additional evidence, and shall show to the satisfaction of the court that such additional evidence is material and that there were reasonable grounds for failure to adduce such evidence in the proceedings before the Commission, the court may order such additional evidence to be taken before the Commission and to be adduced upon the hearing in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as to the court may seem proper. The Commission may modify its findings as to the facts by reason of the additional evidence so taken, and it shall file with the court such modified or new findings which, if supported by substantial evidence, shall be conclusive, and its recommendations, if any, for the modification or setting aside of the original order. The judgment and decree of the court, affirming, modifying, or setting aside, in whole or in part, any such order of the Commission, shall be final, subject to review by the Supreme Court of the United States upon certiorari or certification as provided in sections 239 and 240 of the Judicial Code, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, secs. 346 and 347).

"(c) The filing of an application for rehearing under subsection (a) shall not, unless specifically ordered by the Commission, operate as a stay of the Commission's order. The commencement of proceedings under subsection (b) of this section shall not, unless specifically ordered by the court, operate as a stay of the Commission's order.

" Enforcement of act, regulations, and orders

"Sec. 314. (a) Whenever it shall appear to the Commission that any person is engaged or about to engage in any acts or practices which constitute or will constitute a violation of the provisions of this act, or of any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, it may in its discretion bring an action in the proper District Court of the United States, the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, or the United States courts of any Territory or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, to enjoin such acts or practices and to enforce compliance with this act or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, and upon a proper showing a permanent or temporary injunction or decree or restraining order shall be granted without bond. The Commission may transmit such evidence as may be available concerning such acts or practices to the Attorney General, who, in his discretion, may institute the necessary criminal proceedings under this act.

"(b) Upon application of the Commission the district courts of the United States, the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and the United States courts of any Territory or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States shall have jurisdiction to issue writs of mandamus commanding any person to comply with the provisions of this act or any rule, regulation, or order of the Commission thereunder.

"(c) The Commission may employ such attorneys as it finds necessary or proper legal aid and service of the Commission or its members in the conduct of their work, or for proper representation of the public interests in investigations made by it or cases or proceedings pending before it, whether at the Commission's own instance or upon complaint, or to appear for or represent the Commission in any case in court; and the expenses of such employment shall be paid out of the appropriation for the Commission.

"General forfeiture provision

"Sec. 315. (a) Any licensee or public utility which willfully fails, within the time prescribed by the Commission, to comply with any order of the Commission, to file any report required under this act or any rule or regulation of the Commission thereunder, to submit any information or document required by the Commission in the course of an investigation conducted under this act, or to appear by an officer or agent at any hearing or investigation in response to a subpena issued under this act, shall forfeit to the United States an amount not exceeding $1,000 to be fixed by the Commission after notice and opportunity for hearing. The imposition or payment of any such forfeiture shall not bar or affect any penalty prescribed in this act but such forfeiture shall be in addition to any such penalty.

"(b) The forfeitures provided for in this act shall be payable into the Treasury of the United States and shall be recoverable in a civil suit in the name of the United States, brought in the district where the person is an inhabitant or has his principal place of business, or if a licensee or public utility, in any district in which such licensee or public utility transacts business. It shall be the duty of the various district attorneys, under the direction of the Attorney General of the United States, to prosecute for the recovery of forfeitures under this act. The costs and expenses of such prosecution shall be paid from the appropriations for the expenses of the courts of the United States.

" General penalties; venue

" Sec. 316. (a) Any person who willfully and knowingly does or causes or suffers to be done any act, matter, or thing in this act prohibited or declared to be unlawful, or who willfully and knowingly omits or fails to do any act, matter, or thing in this act required to be done, or willfully and knowingly causes or suffers such omission or failure, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than $5,000 or by imprisonment for not more than two years, or both.

"(b) Any person who willfully and knowingly violates any rule, regulation, restriction, condition, or order made or imposed by the Commission under authority of this act, or any rule or regulation imposed by the Secretary of War under authority of Part I of this act shall, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, be punished upon conviction thereof by a fine of not exceeding $500 for each and every day during which such offense occurs.

" Jurisdiction of offenses; enforcement of liabilities and duties

" Sec. 317. The District Court of the United States, the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and the United States courts of any Territory or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States shall have exclusive jurisdiction of violations of this act or the rules, regulations, and orders thereunder, and of all suits in equity and actions at law brought to enforce any liability or duty created by, or to enjoin any violation of, this act or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder. Any criminal proceeding shall be brought in the district wherein any act or transaction constituting the violation occurred. Any suit or action to enforce any liability or duty created by, or to enjoin any violation of, this act or any rule, regulation, or order thereunder may be brought in any such district or in the district wherein the defendant is an inhabitant, and process in such cases may be served wherever the defendant may be found. Judgments and decrees so rendered shall be subject to review as provided in sections 128 and 240 of the Judicial Code, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, secs. 225 and 347). No costs shall be assessed against the Commission in any judicial proceeding by or against the Commission under this act.

" Conflict of jurisdiction

" Sec. 318. If, with respect to the issue, sale, or guaranty of a security, or assumption of obligation or liability in respect of a security, the method of keeping accounts, the filing of reports, or the acquisition or disposition of any security, capital assets, facilities, or any other subject matter, any person is subject both to a requirement of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or of a rule, regulation, or order thereunder and to a requirement of this act or of a rule, regulation, or order thereunder, the requirement of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 shall apply to such person, and such person shall not be subject to the requirement of this Act, or of any rule, regulation, or order thereunder, with respect to the same subject matter, unless the Securities and Exchange Commission has exempted such person from such requirement of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, in which case the requirements of this act shall apply to such person.

" Separability of provisions

" Sec. 319. If any provision of this act, or the application of such provision to any person or circumstance, shall be held invalid, the remainder of the act, and the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby.

" Short title

" Sec. 320. This act may be cited as the 'Federal Power Act'."

And the House agree to the same.

That the title of the bill be amended to read as follows:

"An act to provide for control and regulation of public-utility holding companies, and for other purposes."

B. K. WHEELER,
ALBEN W. BARKLEY,
FRED H. BROWN,
HENRIK SHIPSTEAD,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

SAM RAYBURN,
GEORGE HUDDLESTON,
CLARENCE LEA,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and, After debate,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FEDERAL ALCOHOL CONTROL

Mr. George submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8870) to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages; to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto; to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 74, 76, 77, 78, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 87½, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 100, 101, 102, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 128, 129, 131, 134, 136, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 148, 149, 152, 154, 155, 156, and 157.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 4, 26, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 49, 55, 57, 73, 75, 93, 104, 111, 121, 133, 135, 137, 143, 144, and 147; and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 14: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 14, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

(i) The Administrator shall make a report to Congress, at the beginning of each regular session, of the administration of the functions with which he is charged, and shall include in such report the names and compensation of all persons employed by the Administration.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 20: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 20, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *the date upon which the Administrator first appointed under this act takes office*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *the date upon which the Administrator first appointed under this act takes office*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 28: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 28, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *or has, within three years prior to date of application, been convicted of a misdemeanor under any Fed-*

eral law relating to liquor, including the taxation thereof; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 79: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 79, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

Omit the matter proposed to be inserted and restore the matter proposed to be stricken out by said amendment; and on page 22 of the House bill, after line 23, insert the following:

In the case of malt beverages, the provisions of subsections (a), (b), (c), and (d) shall apply to transactions between a retailer or trade buyer in any State and a brewer, importer, or wholesaler of malt beverages outside such State only to the extent that the law of such State imposes similar requirements with respect to similar transactions between a retailer or trade buyer in such State and a brewer, importer, or wholesaler of malt beverages in such State, as the case may be. In the case of malt beverages, the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) shall apply to the labeling of malt beverages sold or shipped or delivered for shipment or otherwise introduced into or received in any State from any place outside thereof, or the advertising of malt beverages intended to be sold or shipped or delivered for shipment or otherwise introduced into or received in any State from any place outside thereof, only to the extent that the law of such State imposes similar requirements with respect to the labeling or advertising, as the case may be, of malt beverages not sold or shipped or delivered for shipment or otherwise introduced into or received in such State from any place outside thereof.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 99: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 99, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out by said amendment insert the following: *as will require an accurate statement, in the case of distilled spirits (other than cordials, liqueurs, and specialties) produced by blending or rectification, if neutral spirits have been used in the production thereof, informing the consumer of the percentage of neutral spirits so used and of the name of the commodity from which such neutral spirits have been distilled, or in case of neutral spirits or of gin produced by a process of continuous distillation, the name of the commodity from which distilled;* (4); and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 103: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 103, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert a colon and the following: *Provided further, That nothing herein nor any decision, ruling, or regulation of any Department of the Government shall deny the right of any person to use any trade name or brand of foreign origin not presently effectively registered in the United States Patent Office which has been used by such person or predecessors in the United States for a period of at least five years last past, if the use of such name or brand is qualified by the name of the locality in the United States in which the product is produced, and, in the case of the use of such name or brand or any label or in any advertisement, if such qualification is as conspicuous as such name or brand*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 127: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 127, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be stricken out by said amendment insert the following: *as will require an accurate statement, in the case of distilled spirits (other than cordials, liqueurs and specialties) produced by blending or rectification, if neutral spirits have been used in the production thereof, informing the consumer of the percentage of neutral spirits so used and of the name of the commodity from which such neutral spirits have been distilled, or in case of neutral spirits or of gin produced by a process of continuous distillation, the name of the commodity from which distilled;* (4); and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 130: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 130, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *The prohibitions of this subsection and regulations thereunder shall not apply to the publisher of any newspaper, periodical, or other publication, or radio broadcaster, unless such publisher or radio broadcaster is engaged in business as a distiller, brewer, rectifier, or other producer, or as an importer or wholesaler, of distilled spirits, wine, or malt beverages, or as a bottler, or warehouseman and bottler, of distilled spirits, directly or indirectly or through an affiliate*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 132: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 132, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In the fifth line of said amendment strike out "Commission" and insert *Administrator*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 146: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 146, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Disposal of forfeited alcoholic beverages

Sec. 9. (a) All distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages forfeited, summarily or by order of court, under any law of the United States, shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Treasury to be disposed of as hereinafter provided.

(b) The Secretary of the Treasury shall dispose of all distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages which have been delivered to him pursuant to subsection (a)—

(1) By delivery to such Government agencies as, in his opinion, have a need for such distilled spirits, wine, or malt beverages for medicinal, scientific, or mechanical purposes; or

(2) By gift to such eleemosynary institutions as, in his opinion, have a need for such distilled spirits, wine, or malt beverages for medicinal purposes; or

(3) By destruction.

(c) No distilled spirits, wine, or malt beverages which have been seized under any law of the United States, may be disposed of in any manner whatsoever except after forfeiture and as provided in this section.

(d) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to make all rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this section.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 150: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 150, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 11. Section 610 of the Revenue Act of 1918, as amended (U. S. C., Sup. VII, title 26, sec. 1310), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"The provisions of the internal-revenue laws applicable to natural wine shall apply in the same manner and to the same extent to citrus-fruit wines which are the product of normal alcoholic fermentation of the juice of sound ripe citrus fruit (except lemons and limes), with or without the addition of dry cane, beet, or dextrose sugar (containing, respectively, not less than 95 per centum of actual sugar, calculated on a dry basis) for the purpose of perfecting the product according to standards, but without the addition or abstraction of other substances, except as may occur in the usual cellar treatment of clarifying or aging."

Sec. 12. Section 612 of the Revenue Act of 1918, as amended (U. S. C., Sup. VII, title 26, sec. 1301), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 612. That under such regulations and official supervision and upon the giving of such notices, entries, bonds, and other security as the Commissioner, with the approval of the Secretary, may prescribe, any producer of wines defined under the provisions of this title may withdraw from any fruit distillery or special bonded warehouse grape brandy, or wine spirits, for the fortification of such wines on the premises where actually made, and any producer of citrus-fruit wines may similarly withdraw citrus-fruit brandy for the fortification of citrus-fruit wines on the premises where actually made: Provided, That there shall be levied and assessed against the producer of such wines or citrus-fruit wines a tax (in lieu of the internal-revenue tax now imposed thereon by law) of 20 cents per proof gallon of grape brandy, citrus-fruit brandy, or wine spirit whenever withdrawn and hereafter so used by him in the fortification of such wines or citrus-fruit wines during the preceding month, which assessment shall be paid by him within ten months from the date of notice thereof: Provided further, That nothing contained in this section shall be construed as exempting any wines, citrus-fruit wines, cordials, liqueurs, or similar compounds from the payment of any tax provided for in this title.

"Any such wines or citrus-fruit wines may, under such regulations as the Secretary may prescribe, be sold or removed tax free for the manufacture of vinegar, or for the production of dealcoholized wines containing less than one-half of 1 per centum of alcohol by volume.

"The taxes imposed by this section shall not apply to dealcoholized wines containing less than one-half of 1 per centum of alcohol by volume."

Sec. 13. Section 613 of the Revenue Act of 1918, as amended (U. S. C., Sup. VII, title 26, sec. 1300 (a) (2)), is amended by inserting after "grape brandy" a comma and the following: "or containing citrus-fruit wine fortified with citrus-fruit brandy."

Sec. 14. Section 42 of the act entitled "An act to reduce the revenue and equalize duties on imports, and for other purposes", approved October 1, 1890, as amended (U. S. C., Sup. VII, title 26, sec. 1302 (a)), is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"The provisions of this section and section 43 shall apply to the use of citrus-fruit brandy in the preparation of fortified citrus-fruit wines in the same manner and to the same extent as such provisions apply to the use of wine spirits in the fortification of sweet wines, except that no brandy (other than a citrus-fruit brandy) may be used in the fortification of citrus-fruit wine and a citrus-fruit brandy prepared from one kind of citrus fruit may not be used for the fortification of a citrus-fruit wine prepared from another kind of citrus fruit or for the fortification of a wine prepared from any fruit other than citrus fruit."

Sec. 15. Section 3255 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (U. S. C., Sup. VII, title 26, sec. 1176), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3255. The Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may exempt distillers of brandy made exclusively from apples, peaches, grapes, oranges, pears, pineapples, apricots, berries, plums, pawpaws, persimmons, prunes, figs, cherries, dates, or citrus fruits (except lemons and limes) from any provision of the internal-revenue laws relating to the manufacture of spirits, except as to the tax thereon, when in his judgment it may seem expedient to do so: Provided, That where, in the manufacture of wine or citrus-fruit wine, artificial sweetening has been used, the wine, or the fruit pomace residuum thereof, or the citrus-fruit wine may be used in the distillation of brandy or citrus-fruit brandy, as the case may be, and such use shall not prevent the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, from exempting such distiller from any provision of the internal-revenue laws relating to the manufacture of spirits, except as to the tax thereon, when in his judgment it may seem expedient to do so: And provided further, That the distillers mentioned in this section may add to not less than five hundred gallons (ten barrels) of grape cheese not more than five hundred gallons of a sugar solution made from cane, beet, starch, or corn sugar, 95 per centum pure, such solution to have a saccharine strength of not to exceed 10 per centum, and may ferment the resultant mixture on a winery or distillery premises, and such fermented product shall be regarded as distilling material."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 151: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 151, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

Sec. 16. (a) Section 1 of the act of March 3, 1877, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, sec. 1250), is amended by striking out "not exceeding ten in numbers in any one collection district," and by inserting at the end of such section the following new paragraph:

"The Commissioner of Internal Revenue, under such regulations as he may promulgate from time to time with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may, in his discretion, establish such warehouses adjacent to distilleries, and may, in his discretion, permit the removal of brandy directly from the distillery to such warehouses, and from such warehouses to the distillery warehouse of the producing distiller."

(b) Section 51 of the act of August 27, 1894, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, sec. 1265), is amended by striking out "not exceeding ten in number in any one collection district," and by inserting at the end of such section the following new paragraph:

"The Commissioner of Internal Revenue, under such regulations as he may promulgate from time to time with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may, in his discretion, establish such warehouses adjacent to distilleries, and may, in his discretion, permit the removal of spirits directly from the distillery to such warehouses, and from such warehouses to the distillery warehouse of the producing distiller."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 153: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 153, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert *17*; and the Senate agree to the same.

That the Senate recede from its amendment to the title.

PAT HARRISON,
WILLIAM H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
JESSE H. METCALFF,
Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAMUEL B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
ALLEN T. TREADWAY,
ISAAC BACHARACH,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and,

After debate,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

The bill was further amended on the motion of Mr. Russell and the motion of Mr. Bankhead.

Ordered, That the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

On motion by Mr. Adams,

Resolved, That the Senate insist upon its amendments to the said bill and ask a conference with the House of Representatives thereon.

Ordered, That the conferees on the part of the Senate be appointed by the Vice President; and

The Vice President appointed Mr. Adams, Mr. Glass, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Keyes.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CLAIMS FOR EXTRA LABOR AT NAVY YARDS AND SHORE STATIONS

Mr. Walsh submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 872), an act for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House numbered 1, and agree to the same.

Amendments numbered 2, 3, 4, and 5: That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the House numbered 2, 3, 4, and 5, and agree to the same with amendments as follows: Restore the numerals stricken out by the said House amendments, and on page 5, line 14, of the engrossed bill, after the word "pay", insert the following: *one-half of*; on page 5, line 17, after the word "aforesaid", insert the following: *, and pay the other one-half of the same to the attorney or attorneys who performed services toward securing provision for the payment herein of the amounts so found*; on page 5, line 17, after the words "death of", insert the following: *any of*; on page 5, lines 21 and 22, strike out the words "of such fee" and insert the following: *for such services*; and the House agree to the same.

DAVID I. WALSH,
WM. E. BORAH,
ROYAL S. COPELAND,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
AMBROSE J. KENNEDY,
U. S. GUYER,
ROBERT RAMSPECK,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REVENUE ACT OF 1935

Mr. Harrison submitted the following conference report:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 8974) to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 1, 8, 12, and 25.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 3, 10, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24; and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 2: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

"Upon net incomes not in excess of $2,000, 12½ per centum.

"$250 upon net incomes of $2,200; and upon net incomes in excess of $2,000 and not in excess of $15,000, 13 per centum in addition of such excess.

"$1,940 upon net incomes of $15,000; and upon net incomes in excess of $15,000 and not in excess of $40,000, 14 per centum in addition of such excess,

"$5,440 upon net incomes of $40,000; and upon net incomes in excess of $40,000, 15 per centum in addition of such excess."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 4: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 4, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "15½" and insert *15*, and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 5: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "15½" and insert *15*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 6: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 6, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment strike out "85 per centum" and insert *90 per centum*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 7: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 7, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

(i) Section 144 of the Revenue Act of 1934, is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting a colon and the following: "Provided further, That in the case of the payment, after December 31, 1935, of dividends of the class with respect to which a deduction is allowed by section 23 (p), the deduction and withholding provided for in this section shall also apply to 10 per centum of the amount of the payment: Provided further, That the Commissioner, under rules and regulations prescribed by him with the approval of the Secretary, may authorize withholding under this section and section 143 (a) (1) (B), in cases where the taxpayer has a taxable year ending on any other date than December 31, at the rate of 13¾ per centum (and, in the case of payments of dividends with respect to which withholding is required, may authorize such payments to be made without withholding) until the beginning of the taxpayer's first taxable year which begins after December 31, 1935."

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 9: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 9, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

On page 6 of the Senate engrossed amendments, in line 1 and in line 7, strike out "$1.50" and insert *$1.40*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following: *(except subsections (f), (g), and (i) thereof)*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

SEC. 109. PERSONAL HOLDING COMPANIES

(a) Section 351(a) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended to read as follows:

"(a) Imposition of Tax.—There shall be levied, collected, and paid, for each taxable year, upon the undistributed adjusted net income of every personal holding company a surtax equal to the sum of the following:

"(1) 20 per centum of the amount thereof not in excess of $2,000; plus

"(2) 30 per centum of the amount thereof in excess of $2,000 and not in excess of $100,000; plus

"(3) 40 per centum of the amount thereof in excess of $100,000 and not in excess of $500,000; plus

"(4) 50 per centum of the amount thereof in excess of $500,000 and not in excess of $1,000,000; plus

"(5) 60 per centum of the amount thereof in excess of $1,000,000."

(b) Section 351(b)(2)(C) of such Act is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and distributions (not in complete or partial liquidation and not a 'dividend' as defined in section 115) made during the taxable year out of earnings or profits of such year."

(c) The amendments made by this section shall apply only in the case of taxable years beginning after December 31, 1935.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 16: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 16, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows: In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment insert the following:

SEC. 110. CORPORATE LIQUIDATIONS

(a) Section 112 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended by adding after paragraph (5) a new paragraph reading as follows:

"(6) Exchange in Liquidation.—No gain or loss shall be recognized upon the receipt by a corporation of property (other than money) distributed in complete liquidation of another corporation, if the corporation receiving such property on such exchange was on the date of the enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935 and has continued to be at all times until the exchange, in control of such other corporation. As used in this paragraph 'complete liquidation' includes any one of a series of distributions by a corporation in complete cancellation or redemption of all its stock in accordance with a plan of liquidation under which the transfer of the property under the liquidation is to be completed within a time specified in the plan, not exceeding five years from the close of the taxable year during which is made the first of the series of distributions under the plan. If such transfer of property is not completed within the taxable year the Commissioner may require of the taxpayer, as a condition to the non-recognition of gain under this paragraph, such bond, or waiver of the statute of limitations on assessment and collection, or both, as he may deem necessary to insure the assessment and collection of the tax if the transfer of the property is not completed in accordance with the plan. This paragraph shall not apply to any liquidation if any distribution in pursuance thereof has been made before the date of the enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935."

(b) Section 112 (c) (1) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended by striking out "or (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(5), or (6)".

(c) Section 112 (e) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended by striking out "subsection (b) (1) to (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "subsection (b) (1) to (6)".

(d) Section 112 (i) of the Revenue Act of 1934 is amended by striking out "(4), or (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(4), (5), or (6)", and by striking out "(3) or (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(3), (5), or (6)".

(e) The amendments made by this section shall apply only in the case of taxable years beginning after December 31, 1935.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 17: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 17, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

On page 20 of the Senate engrossed amendments, strike out lines 6 to 25, both inclusive, and lines 1 to 16, both inclusive, on page 21, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

SEC. 202. ESTATE TAX—VALUATION

(a) Section 302 of the Revenue Act of 1926, as amended, is amended by adding a new subdivision as follows:

"(j) If the executor so elects upon his return (if filed within the time prescribed by law or prescribed by the Commissioner in pursuance of law), the value of the gross estate shall be determined by valuing all the property included therein on the date of the decedent's death as of the date one year after the decedent's death, except that (1) property included in the gross estate on the date of death and, within one year after the decedent's death, distributed by the executor (or, in the case of property included in the gross estate under subdivision (c), (d), or (f) of this section, distributed by the trustee under the instrument of transfer), or sold, exchanged, or otherwise disposed of, shall be included at its value as of the time of such distribution, sale, exchange, or other disposition, whichever first occurs, instead of its value as of the date one year after the decedent's death, and (2) any interest or estate which is affected by mere lapse of time shall be included at its value as of the time of death (instead of the later date) with adjustment for any difference in its value as of the later date not due to mere lapse of time. No deduction under this title of any item shall be allowed if allowance for such item is in effect given by the valuation under this subdivision. Wherever in any other subdivision or section of this title or in Title II of the Revenue Act of 1932 reference is made to the value of property at the time of the decedent's death, such reference shall be deemed to refer to the value of such property used in determining the value of the gross estate. In case of an election made by the executor under this subdivision, then for the purposes of the deduction under section 303 (a) (3) or section 303 (b) (3), any bequest, legacy, devise, or transfer numerated therein shall be valued as of the date of decedent's death with adjustment for any difference in value (not due to mere lapse of time or the occurrence or nonoccurrence of a contingency) of the property as of the date one year after the decedent's death (substituting the date of sale or exchange in the case of property sold or exchanged during such one-year period)."

(b) The amendment made by this section shall be effective only with respect to transfers of estates of decedents dying after the date of the enactment of this act.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 19: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 19, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

On page 27 of the Senate engrossed amendments, lines 7 and 8, strike out "after the date this amendment takes effect" and insert *on or after the first day of the second month following the date of the enactment of the Revenue Act of 1935*; and on page 29 of the Senate engrossed amendments, line 3, strike out "fifteenth" and insert *thirtieth*; and on page 31 of the Senate engrossed amendments, strike out lines 13 to 17, both inclusive; and on page 32 of the Senate engrossed amendments, strike out lines 1 to 6, both inclusive.

And the Senate agree to the same.

PAT HARRISON,
WILLIAM H. KING,
WALTER F. GEORGE,
ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, JR.,
Managers on the part of the Senate.
R. L. DOUGHTON,
SAMUEL B. HILL,
THOS. H. CULLEN,
Managers on the part of the House.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said report; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AMENDMENT OF SILVER PURCHASE ACT OF 1934

On motion by Mr. McCarran, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3260) to amend Public Law No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver, issue silver certificates, and for other purposes"; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein,

INTERSTATE OIL COMPACT

The joint resolution (H. J. Res. 407) consenting to an interstate oil compact to conserve oil and gas, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and considered; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said joint resolution was read the third time by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

AUTHORIZATION TO SIGN BILLS AFTER ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 39) authorizing the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to sign bills and joint resolutions after the adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT OF THE PRESENT SESSION OF CONGRESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 38) providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and,

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

FELICITATIONS FROM THE PRESIDENT TO THE SENATE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following letter addressed to him by the President of the United States, which was read:

THE WHITE HOUSE,
Washington, August 24, 1935.

The honorable the PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE,
Washington, D. C.

MY DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: If the opportunity presents itself, will you be good enough to extend my greetings to the Members of the Senate and to express to them my deep and sincere congratulations upon the work which they have accomplished? When a calm and fair review of the work of this Congress is made it will be called a historic session. It has dealt, in a spirit of statesmanship, with matters of vital interest to the lives of our people. Much has been accomplished for the permanent well-being of the Nation as a whole.

I am grateful for, and happy in, the cooperation between us, and I extend to each and every one of you my good wishes for a well-earned rest.

Faithfully yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

Ordered, That the letter lie on the table.

LOAD LINES FOR AMERICAN VESSELS IN COASTWISE TRADE

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendments this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 2002) to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendments; and,

On motion by Mr. Copeland,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT INVESTIGATION COMMISSION

The Vice President appointed Mr. Brown, Mr. Murray, and Mr. Capper as the members on the part of the Senate of the Railroad Retirement Investigation Commission, established under section 8 of the bill (H. R. 8651) to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CONTRACTORS AND EMPLOYEES

Mr. Walsh, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Education and Labor, who were authorized by Senate Resolution No. 228, Seventy-third Congress, to investigate the relationship existing between certain contractors and their employees in the United States, submitted a supplemental report, which was ordered to be printed as part 3 of Report No. 332.

WILLIAM J. RYAN, CHAPLAIN, UNITED STATES ARMY

On motion by Mr. Robinson (for Mr. Moore), and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 1912) for the relief of William J. Ryan, chaplain, United States Army; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom were referred the following resolutions, reported them each without amendment:

S. Res. 114. Resolution to investigate the desirability of establishing a National Economic Council;

S. Res. 173. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Immigration to employ temporarily an assistant clerk;

S. Res. 175. Resolution authorizing the inspection of United States navy yards, air stations, and other naval activities;

S. Res. 180. Resolution to reimburse the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections for necessary expenses incurred in connection with certain election contests;

S. Res. 185. Resolution concerning expenditures by the Federal Government for cotton cooperatives, etc.;

S. Res. 189. Resolution authorizing the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to employ an assistant clerk;

S. Res. 192. Resolution to pay a gratuity to Hattie L. Butler; and

S. Res. 199. Resolution increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the proposed enlargement of Yellowstone Park.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolutions; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 157) increasing the limit of expenditures of the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and

The reported amendment striking out on line 4 the sum "$15,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the sum *$5,000* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Byrnes, by unanimous consent, from the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 182) continuing certain resolutions for an investigation of the cause of the decline of cotton prices, and increasing the limit of expenditures, reported it with an amendment.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and the reported amendment adding at the end of the resolution the following: *: Provided, The investigation shall not cover transactions beyond July 31, 1935,* having been agreed to,

The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

GRIER-LOWRANCE CONSTRUCTION CO.

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Connally in the chair) laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, which was read:

To the Senate:

I return herewith, without my approval, Senate bill 2808, entitled "An act for the relief of Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc."

The bill proposes to confer on the Court of Claims jurisdiction over the claim of the Grier-Lowrance Construction Co., Inc., for losses and damages alleged to have been sustained in connection with the performance of a contract made by the company with the United States for the construction of the foundation for the bridge and water-gate features of the Arlington Memorial Bridge project. The court is, however, empowered to take cognizance of such matters under the general jurisdiction reposed in it by section 145 of the Judicial Code, and consequently no special legislation is needed to that end.

The present measure seeks to enlarge the claimant's right to recover by providing that the claim should be adjudicated on the basis of all losses and damages attributable to any act of the Government. The general law limits the recovery to losses and damages due to wrongful acts of the Government. No reason appears why an exception should be made in favor of this claimant to the extent of granting to it rights not accorded to other claimants in similar circumstances. The bill further proposes to deprive the Government of certain defenses to the projected suit, namely, that the claimant failed to file timely protests as provided by the contract; that a finding made under the usual arbitration clause contained in the contract is final and binding; and "any other technical defense." While the claimant should perhaps be accorded its day in court, the Government should naturally be permitted, as it is in all cases, to interpose and present such proper defenses as its counsel deem wise and appropriate to advance. No reason appears why the Government should be denied such right in this instance.

For the foregoing reasons, I am constrained to withhold my approval from the bill.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 24, 1935.*

Ordered, That the message, with the accompanying bill, be referred to the Committee on Claims and printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 9070) to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed 13 enrolled bills, viz, S. 2215, S. 2632, S. 2652, S. 3002, S. 3210, S. 3286, S. 3303, S. 3327, S. 3414, S. 3446, H. R. 3003, H. R. 8974, and H. R. 9070, and 5 enrolled joint resolutions, viz, S. J. Res. 9, S. J. Res. 159, S. J. Res. 173, H. J. Res 265, and H J. Res. 348, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolutions:

S. 2215. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended;

S. 2632. An act to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work;

S. 2652. An act to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes;

S. 3002. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

S. 3210. An act to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States;

S. 3286. An act to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes;

S. 3303. An act to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings;

S. 3327. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes;

S. 3414. An act to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York;

S. 3446. An act relative to limitation of shipowners' liability;

H. R. 3003. An act to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Mississippi, and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8974. An act to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes;

H. R. 9070. An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and/or completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States, and for other purposes;

S. J. Res. 9. Joint resolution authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally;

S. J. Res. 159. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission;

S. J. Res. 173. Joint resolution providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war;

H. J. Res. 265. Joint resolution pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; and

H. J. Res. 348. Joint resolution authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States thereon; limiting the use of certain appropriations, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On motion by Mr. Robinson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business; and, after the consideration of executive business,

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 7 o'clock and 20 minutes p. m.,

The Senate, as in legislative session, took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

At 9 o'clock and 42 minutes p. m.,

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Byrnes entered a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 38) providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

On motion by Mr. Byrnes that the House of Representatives be requested to return the said concurrent resolution to the Senate,

Pending debate,

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed, each without amendment, the following bills and joint resolution of the Senate:

S. 1878. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.;

S. 2364. An act relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees;

S. 3085. An act authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriation for that purpose;

S. 3204. An act to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes;

S. 3433. An act limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases; and

S. J. Res. 175. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1 and 2 to the bill (H. R. 6776) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, and it has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3 to the said bill.

The House has agreed to the amendment of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 3109. An act for the relief of Herman W. Bensel;

H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry;

H. R. 4567. An act for the relief of Robert E. Callen;

H. R. 5097. An act for the relief of Mary E. Lord;

H. R. 5521. An act for the relief of Frank Williams;

H. R. 5750. An act for the relief of Mary Brown Raley;

H. R. 6250. An act to amend the National Defense Act;

H. R. 7140. An act for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.;

H. R. 7858. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankrupty throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and

H. R. 8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior.

The House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H. R. 1575. An act to correct the military record of John S. Cannell, deceased;

H. R. 4770. An act for the relief of Elinora Fareira; and

H. R. 8133. An act to authorize certain homestead settlers or entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed three enrolled bills, viz, S. 872, S. 2002, and S. 2796, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, H. J. Res. 407, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 872. An act for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims;

S. 2002. An act to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes;

S. 2796. An act to provide for control and regulation of public-utility holding companies, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 407. Joint resolution consenting to an interstate oil compact to conserve oil and gas.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

AMENDMENT OF EMERGENCY FARM MORTGAGE ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the message received from the House of Representatives, announcing its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3 to the bill (H. R. 6776) to amend section 36 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended.

On motion by Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That the Senate recede from its amendment.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

MEMBER OF SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

On motion by Mr. Fletcher, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate, as in executive session, proceeded to consider the nomination of J. D. Ross, of Washington, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

Mr. Hayden, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Printing, reported the following resolutions, which were considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

SENATE RESOLUTION 202

Resolved, That there be printed 20,000 copies of Public Law No. 320 of the current session entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes", for the use of the Senate document room.

SENATE RESOLUTION 203

Resolved, That 20,000 copies of Public Law No. 305 of the current session entitled "An act to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes", be printed for the use of the Senate document room.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of Mr. Byrnes that the House of Representatives be requested to return to the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 38) providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress; and

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. La Follette moved to reconsider the vote agreeing to Mr. Byrnes' motion to reconsider; when,

On motion by Mr. Byrnes,

Mr. La Follette's motion was laid on the table.

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES FOR INDIAN CHILDREN IN NORTH DAKOTA

Mr. Frazier, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment:

H. R. 8511. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Cannon Ball School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8512. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8513. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; and

H. R. 8516. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Porcupine School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children.

The Senate proceeded by unanimous consent, to consider the said bills; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That they pass to a third reading.

The said bills were severally read the third time.

Resolved, That they pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion by Mr. Frazier, and by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the bill (S. 3091) to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children, be postponed indefinitely.

CONVENTION FOR REGULATION OF WHALING

On motion by Mr. Norbeck, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3413) to give effect to the convention between the United States and certain other countries for the regulation of whaling, concluded at Geneva, March 31, 1932, and for other purposes; and the reported amendments to the text of the bill having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be amended so as to read: "A bill to give effect to the convention between the United States and certain other countries for the regulation of whaling, concluded at Geneva, September 24, 1931, signed on the part of the United States, March 31, 1932, and for other purposes."

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

VENUE OF CIVIL SUITS

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 2524) amending section 112 of the United States Code, annotated (title 28; subtitle "Civil Suits; where to be brought"); and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

GEORGE W. RHINE

On motion by Mr. Glass, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 3783) for the relief of George W. Rhine, doing business under the name of Rhine & Co.; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

RESTORATION OF HAWAIIAN HOMES LANDS

On motion by Mr. Tydings, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 7974) to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

OTTO MISCH CO.

On motion by Mr. Schwellenbach, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 6137) for the relief of the Otto Misch Co.; and the reported amendment having been agreed to,

Ordered, That the amendment be engrossed and the bill read a third time.

The said bill, as amended, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in the amendment.

AMENDMENT OF LAW WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN COUNSEL

On motion by Mr. Barkley, and by unanimous consent,

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 3453) limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to certain counsel; and no amendment being made,

Ordered, That it be engrossed and read a third time.

The said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title thereof be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Secretary request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: I am directed to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 38) providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion of Mr. Byrnes to reconsider the vote of the Senate agreeing to the foregoing concurrent resolution; and

The motion was agreed to.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 11 o'clock and 55 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 12 o'clock m. on Monday next.

AT 12 O'CLOCK M. (CALENDAR DAY, MONDAY, AUGUST 26, 1935)

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed without amendment the bill (S. 2324) to incorporate the Military Order of the Purple Heart.

The Speaker of the House having signed 14 enrolled bills, viz, H. R. 1575, H. R. 1912, H. R. 3109, H. R. 3149, H. R. 4567, H. R. 4770, H. R. 5097, H. R. 5521, H. R. 5750, H. R. 6250, H. R. 7140, H. R. 8133, H. R. 8444, and H. R. 8870, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills:

H. R. 1575. An act for the relief of John S. Cannell, deceased;

H. R. 1912. An act for the relief of William J. Ryan, chaplain, United States Army;

H. R. 3109. An act for the relief of Herman W. Bensel;

H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry;

H. R. 4567. An act for the relief of Robert E. Callen;

H. R. 4770. An act for the relief of Elinora Fareira and Mearon Perkins;
H. R. 5097. An act for the relief of Mary E. Lord;
H. R. 5521. An act for the relief of Frank Williams;
H. R. 5750. An act for the relief of Mary Brown Raley;
H. R. 6250. An act to amend the National Defense Act;
H. R. 7140. An act for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.;
H. R. 8133. An act to authorize certain homestead entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior; and
H. R. 8870. An act to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same, and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 12 o'clock and 1 minute p. m.,

The Senate took a recess until 5 o'clock p. m.

AT 5 O'CLOCK P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: The House of Representatives has passed the bill (S. 1994) to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

The House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 40), in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the two Houses of Congress shall adjourn on Monday, the 26th day of August 1935, and that when they adjourn on said day they stand adjourned sine die.

The Speaker of the House having signed 14 enrolled bills, viz, S. 1878, S. 2324, S. 2364, S. 3085, S. 3204, S. 3433, H. R. 3783, H. R. 6776, H. R. 7858, H. R. 7974, H. R. 8511, H. R. 8512, H. R. 8513, and H. R. 8516, and an enrolled joint resolution, viz, S. J. Res. 175, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the following bills and joint resolution:

S. 1878. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.;
S. 2324. An act to incorporate the Military Order of the Purple Heart;
S. 2364. An act relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees;
S. 3085. An act authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization projects and authorizing appropriation for that purpose;
S. 3204. An act to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes;
S. 3433. An act limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases;
H. R. 3783. An act for the relief of George W. Rhine, doing business under the name of Rhine & Co.;
H. R. 6776. An act to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, and for other purposes;
H. R. 7858. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;
H. R. 7974. An act to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field;
H. R. 8511. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Cannon Ball School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school builings to be available for Indian children;
H. R. 8512. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;
H. R. 8513. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;
H. R. 8516. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Porcupine School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children; and
S. J. Res. 175. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

The Vice President thereupon signed the same and they were delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the present of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-four Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Connally, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR CELEBRATION OF HERNANDO DE SOTO EXPEDITION

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year 1936, amounting to $5,000, required by the Department of State for the expenses of a commission to make a study pertaining to the celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR THIRD WORLD POWER CONFERENCE EXPENSES

The Vice President laid before the Senate a communication from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying letter from the Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitting, pursuant to law, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the fiscal years 1936 and 1937, amounting to $75,000, required by the Department of State for expenses of organizing and holding the Third World Power Conference in the United States; which, with the accompanying paper, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

PETITION AND MEMORIAL

The Vice President laid before the Senate the following petition and memorial, which were referred as indicated:

A petition of citizens of Shelbyville, Ind., praying an investigation of charges filed against Senators Long and Overton by the Women's Committee of Louisiana; to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

A memorial of Utica Centre, of Brooklyn, N. Y., remonstrating against the actions of the State Department in reference to the arrest of anti-Nazi demonstrators on board the steamship *Bremen* on July 26 last and the retention of Lawrence B. Simpson, an American seaman, by the Nazi Government in Germany; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills were introduced by unanimous consent, severally read the first and second times, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Norbeck:

A bill (S. 3470) for the relief of Axel J. Beck; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Copeland:

A bill (S. 3471) for the relief of George Jacobson as father and natural guardian of Harold Jacobson, a minor, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; to the Committee on Claims.

A bill (S. 3472) to provide a preliminary examination of Onondaga Creek, in Onondaga County, State of New York, with a view to the control of its floods; to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill (S. 3473) to amend section 601 (c) (2), title IV of the Revenue Act of 1932, as amended; to the Committee on Finance.

AIR-MAIL AND OCEAN-MAIL CONTRACTS

Mr. McCarran, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 204), which was referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate:

Resolved, That the limit of expenditures authorized by Senate Resolution 349, Seventy-second Congress, second session, agreed to February 25, 1933, and supplemental resolutions relating thereto, is hereby increased by $5,000.

PAPERS REFERRED

Papers accompanying the bill for the relief of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., heretofore introduced, were taken from the files and referred, under the rule, to the Committee on Claims.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that on August 24, 1935, they presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 872. An act for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims;
S. 2002. An act to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes;
S. 2215. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended;
S. 2632. An act to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work;
S. 2652. An act to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purposes of collecting processing taxes;
S. 2796. An act to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes;
S. 3002. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;
S. 3210. An act to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States;
S. 3286. An act to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes;
S. 3303. An act to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings;
S. 3327. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes;
S. 3414. An act to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York;
S. 3446. An act relative to limitation of shipowners' liability;
S. J. Res. 9. Joint resolution authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally;
S. J. Res. 159. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission; and
S. J. Res. 173. Joint resolution providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war.

PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

Mr. President: The President of the United States approved and signed the following bills and joint resolutions:

On August 21, 1935:

S. 3311. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended.

On August 23, 1935:

S. 634. An act to authorize the sale of a portion of the Fort Smith National Cemetery Reservation, Ark., and for other purposes;
S. 985. An act for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.;
S. 1988. An act to extend the time for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr.;
S. 2312. An act for the relief of the Western Construction Co.;
S. 3050. An act granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across Lake Champlain between Rouses Point, N. Y., and Alburg, Vt.;
S. 3060. An act to amend section 6 of title I of the act entitled "An act to maintain the credit of the United States Government", approved March 20, 1933, as amended; to extend the time within which applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, may be filed; and for other purposes;
S. 3105. An act to amend the act approved June 12, 1934, relating to the granting of the consent of Congress to certain bridge construction across the Tennessee River at a point between the city of Sheffield, Ala., and the city of Florence, Ala.;
S. J. Res. 59. Joint resolution providing for the preparation and completion of plans for a comprehensive observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the formation of the Constitution of the United States; and
S. J. Res. 122. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter

into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission.

On August 24, 1935:

S. 2743. An act to authorize the erection of a suitable memorial to Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals within the Canal Zone;

S. 3135. An act to authorize the purchase of the *Winnie Mae* by the Smithsonian Institution;

S. 3123. An act to provide for the relief of public-school districts and other public-school authorities, and for other purposes; and

S. J. Res. 69. Joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

On August 26, 1935:

S. 414. An act to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.;

S. 946. An act to amend sections 3 and 4 of the act of July 3, 1930, entitled "An act for the rehabilitation of the Bitter Root irrigation project, Montana";

S. 1483. An act for the relief of William E. Williams;

S. 1787. An act to add certain lands to the Pisgah National Forest in the State of North Carolina;

S. 1817. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island;

S. 2608. An act to authorize an appropriation to pay non-Indian claimants whose claims have been extinguished under the act of June 7, 1924, but who have been found entitled to awards under said act as supplemented by the act of May 31, 1933;

S. 2626. An act to authorize the sale of Federal buildings;

S. 2652. An act to authorize the President to attach certain possessions of the United States to internal-revenue collection districts for the purpose of collecting processing taxes;

S. 2761. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine claims of certain bands or tribes of Indians residing in the State of Oregon;

S. 2796. An act to provide for control and regulation of public-utility holding companies, and for other purposes;

S. 2867. An act to reenact section 463 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to define and punish crime in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district", approved March 3, 1899, and for other purposes;

S. 3286. An act to abolish the oath required of customs and internal-revenue employees prior to the receipt of compensation, and for other purposes;

S. 3374. An act for the relief of the State of Indiana; and

S. 3386. An act for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

Mr. Robinson entered a motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes, and ask unanimous consent that the Secretary request the House of Representatives to return the bill to the Senate.

Mr. Long objected to the request.

On motion by Mr. Robinson that the House of Representatives be requested to return the said bill to the Senate,

Mr. Long addressed the Chair; whereupon

The Vice President stated that the motion was not debatable under the rule.

Mr. Robinson's motion was then agreed to.

AMENDMENT OF INLAND WATERWAYS CORPORATION ACT

The Vice President laid before the Senate the amendment this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence to the bill (S. 1994) to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said amendment; and,

On motion by Mr. Johnson,

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

CONFIRMATION OF POSTMASTERS

On motion by Mr. McKellar, and by unanimous consent,

The Vice President, as in executive session, laid before the Senate the nomination of Alton N. Runyans to be postmaster at Ashville, Ala., and seven other nominations for postmasters.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said nominations; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent thereto.

RECESS

On motion by Mr. Robinson, at 5 o'clock and 50 minutes p. m.,

The Senate took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

AT 6 O'CLOCK AND 12 MINUTES P. M.

The Vice President called the Senate to order.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Haltigan, one of its clerks:

Mr. President: I am directed by the House of Representatives to return to the Senate, in compliance with its request, the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

The Speaker of the House having signed an enrolled bill, S. 1994, I am directed to bring the same to the Senate for the signature of its President.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mrs. Caraway, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled the bill (S. 1994) to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended.

The President pro tempore thereupon signed the same and it was delivered to the committee to be presented to the President of the United States.

QUESTION OF QUORUM

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Vice President directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Donahey, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

On motion by Mr. Robinson to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes,

Pending debate,

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Mr. Robinson, and by unanimous consent,

The Vice President laid before the Senate the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 40) providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, this day received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, which was read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said concurrent resolution; and

Resolved, That the Senate agree thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

THIRD DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL

The Senate resumed the consideration of Mr. Robinson's motion to reconsider the vote on the passage of the bill (H. R. 9215) making appropriations to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

Pending debate,

Mr. Robinson raised a question as to the presence of a quorum;

Whereupon

The Presiding Officer (Mr. Hayden in the chair) directed the roll to be called;

When

Seventy-three Senators answered to their names, as follows:

Adams, Ashurst, Austin, Bachman, Bailey, Barkley, Black, Bone, Borah, Brown, Bulkley, Bulow, Burke, Byrd, Byrnes, Capper, Caraway, Chavez, Clark, Copeland, Costigan, Davis, Dickinson, Fletcher, Frazier, George, Gerry, Gibson, Glass, Gore, Guffey, Hale, Harrison, Hatch, Hayden, Holt, Johnson, King, La Follette, Lewis, Logan, Lonergan, Long, McAdoo, McCarran, McGill, McKellar, Maloney, Minton, Murray, Norbeck, Norris, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson, Russell, Schall, Schwellenbach, Sheppard, Shipstead, Smith, Steiwer, Thomas of Oklahoma, Thomas of Utah, Townsend, Trammell, Truman, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh, Wheeler, and White.

A quorum being present,

Mr. Long, while addressing the Senate, referred to an individual Member of the House of Representatives, Mr. Buchanan, by name, in connection with the consideration in the House of Representatives of the pending bill, using the following language:

"Now, will somebody get up and say, 'Mr. Buchanan told me he would let it come up'? If he should, it would be the same as saying that Mr. Buchanan is running the legislative machinery."

Mr. Schwellenbach raised a question of order, viz, that Mr. Long had transgressed the rules of the Senate in his reference to a Member of another body, and under section 4 of rule XIX he asked the Chair to rule that Mr. Long should take his seat and permit the Senate to vote on the question as to whether he should proceed.

The Vice President sustained the point of order, and asked Mr. Long to take his seat.

On motion by Mr. Minton,

Mr. Long was given leave to proceed in order.

During the further delivery of Mr. Long's address,

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

The hour of 12 o'clock p. m. having arrived,

The Vice President, under authority of House Concurrent Resolution 40, declared the Senate adjourned sine die.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED

The following enrolled bills and joint resolution, heretofore duly signed by the Presiding Officers of the two Houses, were presented to the President of the United States by the Committee on Enrolled Bills:

On August 26, 1935:

S. 1878. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.;

S. 2324. An act to incorporate The Military Order of the Purple Heart;

S. 2364. An act relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees;

S. 3085. An act authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriation for that purpose;

S. 3204. An act to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes;

S. 3433. An act limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases; and

S. J. Res. 175. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934.

On August 27, 1935:

S. 1994. An act to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended.

APPROVALS OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The President of the United States, subsequent to the final adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, informed the Secretary of the Senate that he had approved acts and joint resolutions, as follows:

On August 22, 1935:

H. R. 2476. An act to grant a patent to Albert M. Johnson and Walter Scott;

H. R. 7955. An act to establish a new division of the northern district of Georgia with terms of court to be held at Newnan, Ga.;

H. R. 8580. An act to amend the law with respect to the time for jury service in the police court of the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8581. An act to amend the law providing for exemptions from jury service in the District of Columbia;

H. R. 8668. An act providing for the establishment of a term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida at Fort Pierce, Fla.; and

H. R. 8710. An act to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans 3,000 blankets, olive-drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935.

On August 23, 1935:

H. R. 1880. An act for the relief of Ivan H. McCormack;

H. R. 3509. An act for the relief of the legal guardian of Nick Vasilzevic;

H. R. 3546. An act for the relief of Sarah Elizabeth Ballentyne;

H. R. 3967. An act for the relief of Raymond Parramore;

H. R. 4513. An act to authorize payment of claims for unauthorized emergency treatment of World War veterans;

H. R. 4827. An act for the relief of Don C. Fees;

H. R. 4860. An act for the relief of Judson Stokes;

H. R. 5375. An act relating to the compensation of certain charwomen;

H. R. 5492. An act for the relief of Henry Scipper;

H. R. 7099. An act for the relief of Rocco D'Amato;

H. R. 7617. An act to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8026. An act to establish and promote the use of standards of classification for tobacco, to provide and maintain an official tobacco inspection service, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8991. An act to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested

in the United States at Veterans' Administration facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity.

On August 24, 1935:

H. R. 258. An act for the relief of Emma B. Hine;
H. R. 607. An act for the relief of Florence Overly;
H. R. 704. An act for the relief of Thelbert Davis;
H. R. 760. An act for the relief of John L. Hoffman;
H. R. 830. An act for the relief of Sanford Madison Strange;
H. R. 1437. An act for the relief of August A. Carminati;
H. R. 2118. An act for the relief of John P. Seabrook;
H. R. 2126. An act for the relief of Hugh G. Lisk;
H. R. 2319. An act for the relief of Oswald Orlando;
H. R. 2411. An act for the relief of E. F. Purvis;
H. R. 2432. An act for the relief of the Weis-Patterson Lumber Co., Inc.;
H. R. 2443. An act for the relief of Milton Hatch;
H. R. 2555. An act to extend to Sgt. Maj. Edmund S. Sayer, United States Marine Corps (retired), the benefits of the act of May 7, 1932, providing highest World War rank to retired enlisted men;
H. R. 2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson;
H. R. 2970. An act for the relief of Jose Munden;
H. R. 3147. An act for the relief of Will A. Helmer;
H. R. 3202. An act for the relief of W. H. Greene;
H. R. 3282. An act for the relief of Nina Drips;
H. R. 3759. An act for the relief of E. H. Jennings;
H. R. 4568. An act for the relief of Forrest D. Stout;
H. R. 4923. An act for the relief of Maj. E. Leslie Medford, United States property and disbursing officer for Maryland;
H. R. 5099. An act for the relief of Albert Henry George;
H. R. 5159. An act to authorize the Postmaster General to contract for air-mail service in Alaska;
H. R. 5347. An act for the relief of Bertha Moseley Bottoms;
H. R. 5550. An act for the relief of Malachy Ryan;
H. R. 5711. An act to provide aid for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia and authorizing appropriations therefor;
H. R. 5816. An act for the relief of May C. Gustin;
H. R. 6177. An act for the relief of Brooker T. Wilkins;
H. R. 6267. An act for the relief of Wint Rowland;
H. R. 6268. An act for the relief of W. C. Wright;
H. R. 6269. An act for the relief of W. H. Keyes;
H. R. 6623. An act to amend the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia in relation to providing assistance against old-age want;
H. R. 7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale;
H. R. 7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith;
H. R. 7938. An act to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station on Mount Desert Island in the State of Maine as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8345. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida;
H. R. 8492. An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes;
H. R. 8519. An act requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public buildings or public work;
H. R. 8790. An act to amend section 6 of the act of February 28, 1925; and
H. J. Res. 276. Joint resolution authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson without cost title to section 16, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes.

On August 26, 1935:

S. 1374. An act relative to the proposed survey, location, and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska;
H. R. 531. An act granting compensation to Walter F. Northrop;
H. R. 921. An act for the relief of Edgar Sampson;
H. R. 996. An act for the relief of Joe Reno;
H. R. 1871. An act for the relief of the Medical College of Virginia, and others, of Richmond, Va.;
H. R. 1965. An act for the relief of William E. Fossett;
H. R. 2325. An act for the relief of James P. Whalen;
H. R. 2620. An act for the relief of Sadie Wilkinson;
H. R. 2621. An act for the relief of Tom L. Griffith;
H. R. 2702. An act for the relief of Emanuel Lieberman;
H. R. 2730. An act for the relief of Thomas Harris McLaughlin;
H. R. 3408. An act for the relief of Rufus Jones, a minor;
H. R. 3965. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Prince Royal, Sr., Kathleen Royal Hayes, Victor A. Royal, Lucile Royal, Prince Royal, Jr., Maggie Fields Ramsey, and R. J. Ramsey;
H. R. 4339. An act to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah;
H. R. 4428. An act for the relief of Caroline (Stever) Dykstra;
H. R. 4570. An act for the relief of Amy McLaurin;
H. R. 4601. An act for the relief of the heirs of Gladys Picklesimer;
H. R. 4784. An act for the relief of J. T. Slayback;
H. R. 4848. An act for the relief of Charles E. Molster, disbursing clerk, Department of Commerce, and Dr. Louis H. Bauer, a former employee:
H. R. 5049. An act providing punishment for forging or counterfeiting any post-marking stamp;
H. R. 5162. An act providing for punishment for attempts to obtain mail by fraud or by deception;
H. R. 5245. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding;
H. R. 5351. An act for the relief of Rose Teiermeyer;
H. R. 5360. An act providing for punishment for the crime of robbing or attempting to rob custodians of Government moneys or property;
H. R. 5475. An act for the relief of Henry Irving Riley;
H. R. 5540. An act extending the period during which no demurrage is charged on collect-on-delivery parcels and excepting the imposition of demurrage charged on collect-on-delivery parcels exchanged between the continental and island possessions;
H. R. 5634. An act for the relief of the Baltimore Renovating Co.;
H. R. 5654. An act to authorize the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claim of Samuel W. Carter;
H. R. 5781. An act for the relief of the widow and next of kin of James J. Curran;
H. R. 5790. An act for the relief of certain creditors of J. R. and J. A. Whelan, Inc.;
H. R. 5811. An act for the relief of Michael A. McHugh;
H. R. 5905. An act for the relief of Cal Settles and Rhoda Settles;
H. R. 6057. An act for the relief of Joe Brumit;
H. R. 6168. An act for the relief of Charles K. Shade;
H. R. 6394. An act for the relief of William K. Caley;
H. R. 6889. An act for the relief of A. Zappone and W. R. Fuchs;
H. R. 6892. An act for the relief of certain Indians on the Cheyenne River Reservation;
H. R. 7076. An act for the relief of the heirs of John Schrodl;
H. R. 7137. An act for the relief of Cassie M. Lyne;
H. R. 7678. An act to authorize the Director of the Mint to supplement the approved design of the 50-cent piece commemorating the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone, the coinage of which was authorized by act of the Seventy-third Congress (Public, No. 258, S. 3355);
H. R. 8020. An act for the relief of Jose R. Redhammer;

H. R. 8598. An act to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States;
H. R. 9116. An act to extend the provisions of veterans' laws and regulations to persons who served in Russia during the World War, and their dependents;
H. J. Res. 265. Joint resolution pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto; and
H. J. Res. 350. Joint resolution to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the World Power Conference to hold the Third World Power Conference in the United States.

On August 27, 1935:

S. 491. An act for the relief of Fred Herrick;
S. 1448. An act for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918;
S. 1832. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Rio Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years;
S. 1864. An act for the relief of the State of Nebraska;
S. 2002. An act to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes;
S. 2203. An act to promote the development of Indian arts and crafts and to create a board to assist therein, and for other purposes;
S. 2215. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of tobacco by the Department of Agriculture", approved January 14, 1929, as amended;
S. 2578. An act authorizing distribution of funds to the credit of the Wyandotte Indians, Oklahoma;
S. 2649. An act to provide for a recreation area within the Prescott National Forest, Ariz.;
S. 2681. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Lake Champlain at or near West Swanton, Vt.;
S. 2888. An act to provide for the disposition, control, and use of surplus real property acquired by Federal agencies, and for other purposes;
S. 3194. An act to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended;
S. 3270. An act to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia;
S. 3327. An act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain portions of Anastasia Island Lighthouse Reservation, Fla., and for other purposes;
S. 3336. An act to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes;
S. 3353. An act providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes;
S. J. Res. 9. Joint resolution authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to make an investigation with respect to agricultural income and the financial and economic condition of agricultural producers generally; and
S. J. Res. 159. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission.
H. R. 1912. An act for the relief of William J. Ryan, United States Army;
H. R. 3003. An act to provide for the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Ackia, Miss., and the establishment of the Ackia Battleground National Monument, and for other purposes;
H. R. 3462. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes;
H. R. 4831. An act for the relief of L. E. Geary;
H. R. 4852. An act to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army;
H. R. 5415. An act to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States;
H. R. 5516. An act authorizing the President to issue a posthumous commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, to Archie Joseph Evans, deceased, and to present the same to Maj. Argess M. Evans, father of the said Archie Joseph Evans, deceased;
H. R. 5750. An act for the relief of Mary Brown Raley;
H. R. 6361. An act to amend the Filled Milk Act;
H. R. 6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;
H. R. 6602. An act for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap;
H. R. 7380. An act authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes;
H. R. 7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va.;
H. R. 7709. An act to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the post office when appointed as regular laborers;
H. R. 7740. An act granting the consent of Congress to the State Highway Commission of Missouri to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Black River at or near the north line of section 2, township 24 north, range 6 east, near Poplar Bluff, Mo.;
H. R. 7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River, at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;
H. R. 7924. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Port Allegany, in the County of McKean, State of Pennsylvania;
H. R. 7927. An act to authorize the Secretary of State to lease to citizens of the United States any land heretofore or hereafter acquired under any act, Executive order or treaty in connection with projects, in whole or in part constructed or administered by the Secretary of State through the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, American section;
H. R. 7928. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Ford City, Pa.;
H. R. 7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River, at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;
H. R. 7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows" in the State of Washington;
H. R. 7998. An act to exempt from taxation official compensation of certain foreign representatives and to provide for the deductibility from income of certain dividends on

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preferred stock owned by the United States or instrumentalities thereof;

H. R. 8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky.:

H. R. 8133. An act to authorize certain homestead entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8187. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Tionesta, in Tionesta Township, and in the county of Forest, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

H. R. 8587. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

H. R. 8977. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire a site for the erection of a post-office building at Columbus, Miss.;

H. J. Res. 129. Joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, to permit an adjudication with respect to liens of the United States arising by virtue of loans under such joint resolution;

H. J. Res. 257. Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the relief of Porto Rico", approved December 21, 1928, as amended by the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1929, approved March 4, 1929;

H. J. Res. 348. Joint resolution authorizing exchange of coins and currencies and immediate payment of gold-clause securities by the United States, withdrawing the right to sue the United States thereon, limiting the use of certain appropriations, and for other purposes; and

H. J. Res. 407. Joint resolution consenting to an interstate oil compact to conserve oil and gas.

On August 28, 1935:

S. 2364. An act relative to the retirement of certain officers and employees;

S. 3002. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

S. 3414. An act to provide for the appointment of an additional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York;

H. R. 3149. An act to confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi division, to determine the claim of Mrs. L. B. Gentry;

H. R. 4567. An act for the relief of Robert E. Callen;

H. R. 4770. An act for the relief of Elinora Fareira and Mearon Perkins;

H. R. 5097. An act for the relief of Mary E. Lord;

H. R. 5521. An act for the relief of Frank Williams;

H. R. 7167. An act to provide for unemployment compensation in the District of Columbia, authorize appropriations, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8473. An act to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States.

On August 29, 1935:

S. 872. An act for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims;

S. 1994. An act to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended;

S. 2521. An act amending section 5 of Public Law No. 264, Seventy-third Congress, approved May 29, 1934, relative to the appointment of Naval Academy graduates as ensigns in the Navy;

S. 3085. An act authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of Rio Grande canalization project and authorizing appropriations for that purpose;

S. 3204. An act to provide additional funds for the completion of Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes;

S. 3433. An act limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases;

S. 3446. An act relative to limitation of shipowners' liability;

S. J. Res. 163. Joint resolution to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition;

S. J. Res. 175. Joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934;

H. R. 1368. An act for the relief of Virden Thompson;

H. R. 1420. An act to provide for the Andrew Johnson Homestead National Monument;

H. R. 1575. An act for the relief of John S. Cannell, deceased;

H. R. 3109. An act for the relief of Herman W. Bensel;

H. R. 5558. An act for the relief of Clarence F. Jobson;

H. R. 5971. An act for the relief of Charles Pine;

H. R. 6275. An act for the relief of John Livingston and Mrs. John Livingston;

H. R. 6914. An act to authorize cooperation with the several States for the purpose of stimulating the acquisition, development, and proper administration and management of State forests and coordinating Federal and State activities in carrying out a national program of forest-land management, and for other purposes;

H. R. 7858. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

H. R. 7974. An act to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field;

H. R. 8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior;

H. R. 8651. An act to establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes;

H. R. 8652. An act to levy an excise tax upon carriers and an income tax upon their employees, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 8870. An act to further protect the revenue derived from distilled spirits, wine, and malt beverages, to regulate interstate and foreign commerce and enforce the postal laws with respect thereto, to enforce the twenty-first amendment, and for other purposes.

On August 30, 1935:

S. 3303. An act to amend the act approved March 3, 1931, relating to the rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public buildings;

H. R. 3783. An act for the relief of George W. Rhine, doing business under the name of Rhine & Co.;

H. R. 6250. An act to amend the National Defense Act;

H. R. 6732. An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes;

H. R. 6869. An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin to submit claims to the Court of Claims;

H. R. 7140. An act for the relief of the Bell Oil & Gas Co.;

H. R. 7199. An act to provide for the donation of certain Army equipment to posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars;

H. R. 8511. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Cannon Ball School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8512. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children;

H. R. 8974. An act to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes;

H. R. 9070. An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and/or completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States, and for other purposes; and

H. R. 9100. An act to stabilize the bituminous-coal mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to be affected with a national public interest; to conserve the bituminous-coal resources of the United States; to provide for the general welfare, and for other purposes; and providing penalties.

On August 31, 1935:

S. 2644. An act for the relief of the estate of Harry F. Stern;

S. J. Res. 173. Joint resolution providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war; and

H. R. 8632. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Tennessee River; to provide for reforestation and the proper use of marginal lands in the Tennessee Valley; to provide for the agricultural and industrial development of said valley; to provide for the national defense by the creation of a corporation for the operation of Government properties at and near Muscle Shoals, in the State of Alabama, and for other purposes", approved May 18, 1933.

On September 3, 1935:

S. 3210. An act to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States.

On September 4, 1935:

S. 3184. An act to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation.

PRESIDENTIAL DISAPPROVALS

The President of the United States, subsequent to the final adjournment of the first session of the Seventy-fourth Congress, transmitted to the Secretary of the Senate lists of bills and joint resolutions disapproved by him, with his reasons for such action, as follows:

SEPTEMBER 2, 1935.

H. R. 616. An act for the relief of Homer J. Williamson.

"This bill authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Homer J. Williamson the sum of $1,045.81 in full settlement of all claims against the United States for a refund of income tax paid by Homer J. Williamson for the year 1918, notwithstanding the fact that a claim for refund thereof was not filed within the statutory period prescribed for filing such claim.

"It is alleged that there was an overpayment of tax because of an error made by a deputy collector at Indianapolis, Ind., in preparing the taxpayer's income-tax return for 1918; that the error was discovered on July 5, 1924, by another Government agent who checked the return; but that the statutory period for the filing of a claim for refund had expired at that time. It is therefore asserted that the taxpayer should not be injured because of the negligence of the deputy collector who prepared his return.

"With respect to this matter, I have been informed that when the taxpayer filed a claim for refund immediately after the discovery of the error in computing the tax he asserted, under oath, that he had supplied the deputy collector with the items to be used in computing the tax. From that version of the transaction it would seem that the error was the fault of the taxpayer. It was later stated by the taxpayer that the error should be attributed to the deputy collector who prepared the tax return. Irrespective of where the fault lies, however, such ground for affording special relief is of no greater force than those presented in countless other instances of failure to file claims for refund on time, as for example, where the overpayment of tax is brought to the knowledge of the taxpayer as a result of rulings rendered by the Treasury Department, or as a result of court decisions which in effect reverse or modify rulings and regulations issued by that Department on the basis of which prior determinations and assessments have been made. In all such instances the fundamental issue involved is whether a refund of tax should be permitted where the claim for refund was filed after the expiration of the statutory period for filing such claim.

"Recently there have been submitted to me other bills which proposed to except certain taxpayers from the operation of the statutes of limitations pertaining to the revenue laws by extending the time for the refunding of certain taxes to such taxpayers. On those occasions I expressed my accord with the enacted policy of Congress that it is sound to include in all revenue acts, statutes of limitations, by the operation of which, after a fixed period of time, it becomes impossible for the Government to collect additional taxes or for the taxpayer to obtain a refund of an overpayment of taxes. I pointed out in each instance that legislation such as the proposed bill selects a small class of taxpayers for special treatment by excepting them from that policy. Such legislation thus discriminates against the whole body of Federal taxpayers and establishes a precedent which would open the door to relief in all cases in which the statute operates to the prejudice of a particular taxpayer, while leaving the door closed to the Government in those cases in which the statute operates to the disadvantage of the Government.

"In this regard the instant measure, H. R. 616, does not differ in principle from S. 279 and S. 694, which were under consideration on those prior occasions. I know of no circumstances which would justify the exception made by H. R. 616 to the long-continued policy of Congress. Again I must express my belief that the field of special legislation should not be opened to relieve special classes of taxpayers from the consequences of their failure to file claims for the refund of taxes within the period fixed by law."

H. R. 1714. An act for the relief of Russell H. Lindsay.

"Bills have been introduced in the Seventieth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, and Seventy-third Congresses with a view of having Lindsay placed on the retired list of the Regular Navy with the pay provided by law for ensigns retired by reason of physical disability. The Navy Department has consistently opposed the enactment of such bills on the ground that Lindsay's disability was not incurred in the line of duty and that special legislation which contemplated placing him on the retired list of the Navy was not justified."

H. R. 2024. An act for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service

in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace April 11, 1899.

"The effect of this bill is that the beneficiaries thereof 'shall be entitled to the travel pay and allowance for subsistence provided in sections 1289 and 1290, Revised Statutes, as then amended and in effect, as though discharged April 11, 1899, by reason of expiration of enlistment, and appointed or reenlisted April 12, 1899, without deduction of travel pay and subsistence paid such officers or soldiers on final muster out subsequent to April 11, 1899.'

"I am advised by the Secretary of War that there were approximately 15,000 officers and soldiers of the volunteer forces of the United States in the Philippine Islands at the conclusion of peace with the Kingdom of Spain who would become beneficiaries of this act.

"The Comptroller General in his report of February 23, 1935, advises that the enactment of this bill would authorize payment of travel pay at the rate of 1 day's pay and 1 ration for each 20 miles, inclusive of the distance by water from the Philippine Islands to San Francisco, approximately 8,000 miles, and that such payments for the water travel alone will exceed 1 year's pay plus 1 day's ration for each day of such period. It is estimated the cost of the legislation will approximate $7,000,000.

"Congress has heretofore recognized the service of these officers and men by the award of a special medal, and there was also an allowance by the act of Congress approved January 12, 1899, of 2 months' extra pay to all volunteers who served honestly and faithfully beyond the continental limits of the United States. I join most heartily in recognizing and appreciating the patriotic service of these men.

"However, approval of this bill would result in the payment of a gratuity to each of the officers and men concerned, in an amount exceeding his pay for a full year, plus the value of rations for the period involved in sea travel from the Philippines to the United States, a benefit utterly without warrant, since each individual concerned has already received transportation and subsistence at Government expense for the journey performed in addition to full pay for the entire time.

"I have recently signed an act restoring pensioners of the War with Spain and the Philippine Insurrection to their full rate of pension. I feel that no breach of trust has been committed by the Government as regards the men who served their country in the War with Spain and Philippine Insurrection, and from the facts in this case general legislation upon this subject as provided in H. R. 2024 is not deemed advisable."

H. R. 2130. An act for the relief of John M. McNulty.

"This bill would authorize and direct the President to appoint John M. McNulty a lieutenant commander on the Naval Reserve officers' retired list of the United States Navy, with retired pay provided by law for regular officers of that rank retired by reason of physical disability incident to service.

"This bill involves an expenditure of $2,812.50 per annum.

"I am advised by the Veterans' Administration that Mr. McNulty was granted a pension of $60 per month, effective August 1, 1931, for total disability under the pension laws pertaining to service in the Spanish-American War, etc.; that under the provisions of the act of March 20, 1933 (Public, No. 2, 73d Cong.), such pension was reduced to $45 per month, effective July 1, 1933, and that under the act approved August 13, 1935, restoring Spanish-American War pensions to the rates in effect on March 19, 1933, this man's pension will automatically be increased to $60 per month, effective August 13, 1935.

"Therefore, there appears no sound reason for singling him out for preferential treatment to the exclusion of many other officers and men of the auxiliary services of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps whose cases under similar circumstances have equal or greater merit."

H. R. 5122. An act for the relief of R. C. McCoy, J. L. Garner, C. G. Kauffman, W. G. Smiley, R. A. Burks, C. W. Brazzelton, R. F. Brazzelton, Dave Cash, Mrs. A. W. Dykes, Jim Thereldkeld, R. R. Crain, J. B. Tolson, J. C. Rogers, S. K. Broach, Albert Easterling, J. L. Rivers, F. C. Wilson, E. C. Finley, W. W. Mitchell, J. G. Carey, Carl Graves, Jerome Dupree, J. R. Mitchell, J. L. Mitchell, and J. C. Russell.

"This bill seeks to provide an appropriation of $3,078.40 as reimbursement to 25 cotton producers who stored cotton in a warehouse in advance of their negotiating for loans thereon from the Commodity Credit Corporation. The following morning the cotton, uninsured, was destroyed by a fire in the warehouse.

"The regulations concerning cotton loans from the Corporation require the advance presentation to the Corporation of a properly executed note and warehouse receipt, issued by an approved warehouseman, representing cotton in existence and undamaged at the time of the tender of the note for acceptance by the Corporation, but do not require the warehouseman in the interim to insure the cotton. The argument is advanced that because this particular warehouseman had been approved as one whose receipts would be accepted for loans from the Corporation, their cotton, in effect, was in the custody of an agent of the Corporation, and the Government, represented by the Corporation, is liable for their loss.

"This argument is unsound in that the Government acquires no interest in the cotton until the loan has been negotiated. Otherwise there would be fully as much justification for the Government reimbursing them for their loss if the cotton had been destroyed on their respective premises without insurance coverage. As pointed out in a letter of the treasurer of the Corporation, there have been numerous instances of losses of this identical character, and the approval of this bill would not only encourage the presentment of claims by these producers but would establish a precedent for subsequent legislative approval."

H. R. 5325. An act for the relief of Ira L. Reeves.

"This bill authorizes me to summon Ira L. Reeves, formerly major of Infantry, Regular Army, before a retiring board to inquire whether at the time of his resignation from the Army, March 7, 1920, he was incapacitated for active service and whether such incapacity was the result of an incident of service, and upon the result of such inquiry to take the necessary action to have him placed on the retired list of the Army.

"From the facts in this case of record in the War Department it appears that Ira L. Reeves served in the Regular Army for more than 10 years, including 3 years as an enlisted man and the remainder as a commissioned officer. He was retired with the rank of captain November 11, 1901, for disability in line of duty resulting from wounds received in action, having been wounded in the right foot July 11, 1899, in action against Filipino insurgents. He remained on the retired list until August 23, 1917, when, at his own request, he was restored to the active list as a major of Infantry. The board of officers which examined him at the time of his transfer to the active list found that he was not physically incapacitated for active service. He subsequently held temporary commissions during the World War as lieutenant colonel and colonel, and was gassed in action November 11, 1918, while serving overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces.

"Colonel Reeves voluntarily resigned from the service, effective March 7, 1920. In tendering his resignation he gave the following reasons for such request: '(a) The termination of the emergency for which I reentered active service, and (b) to return to civil life and enter business.' The medical officer who examined him at that time certified that he was physically and mentally sound and had no percent disability. Before resigning from the service he requested to be ordered before a retiring board with a view of returning to the retired list if found physically disqualified for active field duty. His request was approved and on December 2, 1919, he appeared before a retiring board, which found that he was not incapacitated for active service. In view of the foregoing, it appears that he voluntarily left the regular service when he could have remained on the active list had he so desired, and is therefore not now entitled to be placed on the retired list of the Army.

"There has been provided by law a special means whereby former members of our military forces may obtain relief for disability incident to their active service in the Army. Such relief has been granted in this case by the United States Veterans' Administration, which, I am advised, is now paying Colonel Reeves compensation of $100 per month."

H. R. 5838. An act to place David J. Fitzgerald on the retired list of the United States Army as a first lieutenant.

"From the facts in this case of record in the War Department, it appears that David J. Fitzgerald served as a second lieutenant, Field Artillery Section, Officers' Reserve Corps, from August 15, 1917, to November 13, 1917, and as a provisional second lieutenant of Field Artillery, and temporary first lieutenant, Regular Army, from the latter date to April 2, 1919, when he voluntarily resigned from the service. In tendering his resignation he stated that such action was prompted by his desire to continue his college education.

"I am further advised by the War Department that Lieutenant Fitzgerald received a gunshot wound, right great toe, on July 21, 1918, while serving overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces during the World War, and that he was under treatment in hospital or on sick leave during the remainder of his service. At the time of Lieutenant Fitzgerald's resignation, the ward surgeon in the Army hospital where he was then a patient stated that his wound had entirely healed and that he had reached the maximum of improvement. The medical officer who examined him at the time of his separation from the service certified that he was physically and mentally sound with the following exceptions: 'Wound, plantar surface of right great toe, scar resulting from gunshot wound. Ankylosis of metatarsal—phlangeal joint of great toe.' The medical examiner also expressed the opinion that in view of occupation this officer was 15 percent disabled. At no time prior to his resignation did he apply for retirement.

"With respect to the disability incurred by Lieutenant Fitzgerald in the military service, there has been provided by law a special means whereby former members of our military forces may obtain relief. I refer to the United States Veterans' Administration, and have been informed that he is now receiving compensation of $10 per month from that Administration. By his voluntary resignation for his own convenience, Lieutenant Fitzgerald forfeited all rights to retirement as a Regular Army officer, and I can see no justification for singling him out for preferential treatment at this time when others in the same category are not similarly treated.

"The retirement system of the Regular Army has been provided for the twofold purpose of attracting desirable permanent personnel to the service and of vitalizing the active list. Its maintenance for such purpose is vital to the national defense and should not be jeopardized by utilizing it as a means of relief or for placing upon the retired list persons other than the permanent personnel of the Military Establishment."

SEPTEMBER 3, 1935.

S. J. Res. 168. Joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive.

"In all recent legislation of this character the Treasury Department has been successful in securing the incorporation of provisions for the reimbursement, to the appropriations from which paid, of the expenses necessarily incurred by the Customs Service in connection with the entry and custody of articles for which a special exemption from duty is authorized. On August 6, 1935, the Department wrote to the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations recommending the incorporation of a similar provision in Senate Joint Resolution 168, but none appears in the bill presented for my approval.

"The Treasury Department believes that the provision for reimbursement of expenses is an essential feature of legislation of the character of Senate Joint Resolution 168, and that its omission is inconsistent with the provision of section 3 of the bill providing that the Government of the United States is not by the resolution obligated to any expense in connection with the holding of the exposition in favor of which the bill is drawn."

H. R. 8421. An act granting pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant pensions to 463 widows of Civil War veterans who—with one exception, which case is now being considered under the general pension law—have no title to pension under existing general legislation for these reasons: 388 are barred because they were not married to the veteran prior to June 27, 1905, as required by existing law; 53 because the husband was not mustered into the service of the United States but served with a State organization or in civilian capacity; 1 because the widow's marriage was illegal; 8 because the veteran did not serve the requisite period of 90 days or receive discharge for service-incurred disability, which is acceptable in lieu of 90 days' service; while 9 are barred because of desertion of the husband from military service or lack of an honorable discharge. Three of the beneficiaries have died since the passage of the bill.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8421 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 463 widows of the Civil War referred to in H. R. 8421 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by this bill are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in this manner. The recently enacted security bill will undoubtedly cover many of the cases of the type referred to herein.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated, I do not feel I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'It is estimated that the annual cost of the proposed measure would be $157,890.'"

H. R. 8422. An act granting pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant pensions to 32 former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War who have no title to pension under general legislation. Twenty-six are barred because they were not married to the veteran prior to June 27, 1905, as required by statute; 4 are barred because the husband was not mustered into the Service of the United States but served with a State organization; 1 because the veteran did not serve the requisite 90 days; and 1 because the veteran was not honorably discharged from all contracts of service.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8422 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 32 widows of the Civil War referred to in H. R. 8422 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by this bill are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in this manner. The recently enacted security bill will undoubtedly cover many of the cases of the type referred to herein.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated, I do not feel I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'The annual cost of H. R. 8422 is estimated at $11,040. Three of the widows included in the bill are under 60 years of age and their rates would be increased by $120 per year when each attains that age, thereby increasing the annual cost by $2,520 and making the gross cost $11,440.'"

H. R. 8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant increased pensions to 33 remarried widows of veterans of the Civil War who are said to be so disabled as to be in need of the aid and attendance of another person. It is proposed to increase 4 awards from $30 to $40 a month and 29 from $40 to $50 a month. An increase in pension rate on account of helplessness such as to require aid and attendance of another person has heretofore been restricted to claims of veterans.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8423 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 33 widows of the Civil War referred to in H. R. 8423 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by this bill are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in this manner. It would seem that others in similar circumstances should have equal consideration.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated, I do not feel I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'The total amount now being paid the widows included in the bill under existing pension laws is $15,360 annually. The bill would increase this cost by $3,960, making the total cost to the Government $19,320 annually, or an average of $585.45 each.'"

H. R. 8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant increases in the pensions now being paid to 516 widows of veterans of the Civil War who are said to be so disabled as to be in need of the aid and attendance of another person. In the great majority of cases it is proposed to authorize an increase from $40 to $50 a month. An increase in pension rate on account of helplessness such as to require aid and attendance of another person has heretofore been restricted to claims of veterans.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8424 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 516 widows of the Civil War referred to in H. R. 8424 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by this bill are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in this manner. It would seem that others in similar circumstances should have equal consideration.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated I do not feel I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'It is estimated that the net annual cost of the proposed measure would be $68,340.'"

H. R. 8425. An act granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain helpless and dependent children of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant pensions at the rate of $20 per month to 184 helpless children of Civil War veterans and increased pensions from $12 to $20 per month to six such children. One of the 184 persons has been granted a pension under general legislation since the introduction of the bill. The ages of the beneficiaries vary from 19 to 85 years. In the great majority of cases there is no title to pension under general laws because the children were over 16 years of age at the time of the veteran's death, there being 167 cases in this category. The reason why title does not exist is not shown in 15 cases; in 2 the child was over 16 years of age June 27, 1905; in 4 death of the veteran was not due to service; and in 1 the child was not helpless within the meaning of the law.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8425 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 190 children of Civil War veterans referred to in H. R. 8425 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by H. R. 8425 are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in the manner proposed. The recently enacted security bill will undoubtedly cover many of the cases of the type referred to herein.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated I do not feel that I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'The cost of H. R. 8425 would be $44,736 per annum.'"

H. R. 8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War.

"In relation to this bill the following report was made to the President by the Veterans' Administration:

"'The purpose of this bill is to grant pensions to 20 Civil War veterans who have no title to pension under general legislation. Nineteen of the twenty were members of irregular State military organizations which were never mustered into the military service of the United States. There were many such companies operating in several States during the Civil War in a semiofficial capacity. Some of these rendered effective assistance to the Federal forces in their immediate localities, and their services have heretofore been recognized by Congress by special legislation, but not including any of the companies cited in H. R. 8426.

"'In the case of the other veteran, Leander Simonson, it is shown that he had previously been pensioned under the act of May 11, 1912, but a later report from the War Department disclosed that his first period of service was not honorably terminated, and his name was then dropped from the pension rolls.

"'From the foregoing it will be seen that H. R. 8426 in effect establishes special eligibility to pensions for those persons covered in the bill. Manifestly this creates an inequality and discriminates against those not included in this bill who would be entitled to the same special eligibility. If the special eligibility given to the 20 veterans of the Civil War referred to in H. R. 8426 is sound, it would appear that general legislation providing eligibility for all should be enacted. The Veterans' Administration was not called upon for any report on this bill.

"'Many of the cases covered by this bill are entitled to sympathy and help. It is not felt, however, that aid should be given in this manner. The recently enacted security bill will undoubtedly cover many of the cases of the type referred to herein.

"'In view of the discrimination indicated, I do not feel that I can recommend that the measure receive the approval of the President.

"'The cost of H. R. 8426 would be $12,000 per annum.'"

SEPTEMBER 5, 1935.

S. 1763. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930.

"The bill involves estimated annual expenditures of $400,000 to $425,000.

"It appears this bill seeks only to put customs inspectors and station inspectors on a plane of equality with immigration inspectors with respect to the single feature of automatic pay increases in the two lower grades. The bill does not attempt complete uniformity of pay as to comparable employments within the two services. More significantly, it ignores other groups of customs employees who will no doubt seek legislation in their own behalf at an early date. Thus the area of unscientific classification will be further extended."

S. 2621. An act to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Devils Lake, N. Dak., in the construction, extension, and betterment of the high-school building at Devils Lake, N. Dak., to be available to Indian children.

"There are no nontaxable Indian lands within this school district; and out of a total number of 1,403 pupils attending the public schools of this district only 53 are Indian pupils, for whom tuition is paid to the district by the Federal Government. It is apparent, therefore, that the responsibility for providing adequate school facilities for this district is an obligation of the district and not of the Federal Government."

S. 3092. An act to provide funds for cooperation with White Bird School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children.

"With a total school population in this district of 53 children, of whom 13 are Indians, there were enrolled in the school during the last school year 24 white children and no Indian children. I am advised, moreover, by the Indian Service that the interests of the small number of Indian children in this district will be best served by their continuance as pupils of a Government Indian school. Under these circumstances I feel obliged to withhold approval of this bill."

S. J. Res. 65. Joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended.

"Apparently the main purpose of this resolution is to afford further opportunity for persons to sue on their war-risk insurance where such action was not taken because of the passage of Public, No. 2, or, because of failure to file claim at an earlier date, very little time remained for filing suit after final denial by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs. Any meritorious claim can be filed and allowed by the Veterans' Administration without recourse to the courts.

"The Government's policy in permitting suits upon war-risk insurance has been one of great liberality. It appears to me, in the absence of clear and satisfactory evidence explaining or justifying the long delay before bringing suit, that the very delay would be an indication of the weakness of the claim. These situations only arise because of the failure of the claimant to file his claim more promptly, and is in no sense the fault of the Government.

"The Government's liability over and above all premiums received on war-risk insurance now exceeds a billion and three-quarters. This legislation potentially would add greatly to the final cost. I do not feel that a valid reason exists for this additional expenditure."

H. R. 3019. An act to amend "An act to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1934 (48 Stat. 1269).

"Some of the changes effected by this legislation were proposed to the Congress by the Department of the Interior. These changes, however, were relatively simple in scope and did not involve radical alterations in the principles of the original law.

"Other changes effected by the provisions of this bill are not sound. They would nullify in large measure the benefits of the Taylor Grazing Act and would make the administration of that act along sound conservation lines virtually unattainable.

"I append hereto copy of memorandum furnished me by the Department of the Interior, and I note also the recommendation of the Department of Agriculture that the bill be not approved.

"I am confident that at another session of the Congress the matter can be reconsidered and more suitable legislation passed."

SEPTEMBER 6, 1935.

S. 2632. An act to provide for the construction of 10 vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice breaking and assistance work.

"While it is true that the additional shallow-draft ice breakers could be used advantageously by the Coast Guard, it is my conclusion, and that of the Treasury Department, that the present needs are not such as to justify the expenditure required to provide them at this time."

H. R. 1286. An act for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell).

"Appended hereto letter of the Secretary of War to the Director of the Budget."

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 24, 1935.

Hon. DANIEL W. BELL,
Acting Director Bureau of the Budget,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR MR. BELL: This is in response to your request of August 24, 1935, for my comments on H. R. 1286, Seventy-fourth Congress, first session, an enrolled bill entitled "An act for the relief of James H. Bell (or James Bell), formerly a member of Troop C, First Tennessee Volunteer Cavalry, Civil War."

The official records show that James Bell (name not found as James H. Bell), aged 18 years, born in Jefferson, Tenn., and by occupation a farmer, was enrolled and mustered in April 1, 1862, at Flatlick, Ky., for 3 years as a private of Company C, Fourth Tennessee Infantry, which organization subsequently became Company C, First Tennessee Cavalry. The place of his enrollment is also shown as Cumberland Gap, Tenn. The company muster-out roll, dated Nashville, Tenn., April 1, 1865, bears his name with remark: "Prisoner of war, captured September 20/62 on the march from Cumberland Gap and is not since heard of."

The prisoner of war records show that one J. Bell, private, Company E, First Tennessee Cavalry, who appears to be identical with the above-named James Bell, inasmuch as no record is found of a man named J. Bell in Company E of that regiment, was captured at Rome, Ga., May 3, 1863; was confined at Richmond, Va., May 9, 1863; was paroled at City Point, Va., May 15, 1863; reported at Camp Parole, Md., May 18, 1863; reported at Camp Chase, Ohio, May 22, 1863; and sent to his regiment June 9, 1863.

A careful search of the records fails to reveal any later record in this case, and nothing has been found of record to show that James Bell ever joined his company after September 20, 1862. Nor do the records furnish any information as to his whereabouts between September 20, 1862, and May 3, 1863.

No medical record has been found in the case of this soldier.

It has been ascertained from the General Accounting Office, Washington, D. C., that this soldier received no pay on account of his service; that under date of January 9, 1902, and March 12, 1902, at his request, claim blanks for pay were forwarded to him at Morristown, Tenn., but that said blanks were never received back in that office.

In support of Mr. Bell's application for a discharge and settlement of pay there was submitted to this Department

in January 1934 a sworn statement dated October 9, 1933, in which he testified that he enlisted in the Federal Army on April 1, 1862, and served until after the Battle of Crab Orchard, Ky., when he was captured; that he was paroled with the understanding that he could go back to Tennessee, but not the route taken by the Federal Army, and set at liberty; that he felt he could not get home, and being hungry decided to obtain employment, and that not knowing the location of his regiment he never reported. He further stated that he was not seeking a pension but only the pay for his services.

The Battle of Crab Orchard, Ky., took place September 10, 1862.

The bill under consideration, H. R. 1286, proposes by its terms that in the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges, and benefits upon honorably discharged soldiers James H. Bell (or James Bell), who was a member of Troop C, First Regiment Tennessee Volunteer Cavalry, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been honorably discharged from the military service of the United States as a member of that organization on September 20, 1862; and notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in the act relating to pensions approved April 26, 1898, as amended by the act approved May 11, 1908.

In view of the facts of record in this case and of the sworn statement of Mr. Bell that he never reported to his regiment, this Department holds that he became a deserter on or about June 9, 1863. As heretofore stated, his company was not mustered out of service until April 1, 1865.

The only law in force governing the subject of removal of charges of desertion against soldiers of the Civil War is the act of Congress approved March 2, 1889 (25 Stat. L. 869). This case is not covered by any of the provisions of that act, and the War Department does not look with favor upon special legislation for the purpose of granting relief in individual cases, such as the one now under discussion, not covered by the general laws.

The approval of this bill would in effect constitute a legislative pardon for a man whose status is now that of a deserter and would single out for preferential treatment one individual of a large but undetermined number of former soldiers whose status is identical with that of the man now under discussion. Moreover, the enactment would place a man with an unsavory military record on a par with those who, during a period of war, rendered service of a character which warranted an honorable discharge.

The bill seemingly has for its object the granting of certain benefits and privileges now denied the man by existing law; and the enactment of the bill into law would establish an undesirable precedent under which many other persons similarly situated could demand with equal justice that legislation be enacted in their behalf and would cause added expenditure to the Government. So far as this Department is able to ascertain, there is no justification for the legislation and no merit in the claim of this former soldier for special favors or consideration.

The War Department strongly recommends that this act be not approved.

Sincerely yours,

GEORGE H. DERN,
Secretary of War.

H. R. 4226. An act for the relief of Floyd Hull.

"From the facts in this case of record in the War Department it appears that Floyd Hull was a private in Battery C, One Hundred and Thirteenth Field Artillery, North Carolina National Guard. He participated in the field training encampment with his organization from August 5 to 19, 1934, inclusive, pursuant to the provisions of section 94, National Defense Act. While cleaning a field gun on August 6, 1934, the trail spade fell, catching his right thumb, which was badly mangled. He was treated at the regimental infirmary, and subsequently his thumb was amputated. The injury was incurred in line of duty, and under the act of June 3, 1924, as amended by the act of April 26, 1928 (45 Stat. 461; U. S. C., Supp. VII, 32, 161), the expenses of the amputation were paid from Federal funds. There is no provision of existing law under which any further compensation may be paid in this case or in similar cases of injury to members of the National Guard. At the time of the injury the organization of which Private Hull was a member was not in the Federal service but was in the service of its State, participating in field training as provided by law.

"In view of the foregoing, I do not consider that this individual is entitled to the benefits carried in this bill; further, it singles out an individual of a class for preferential treatment not accorded to others of that class."

H. R. 4324. An act to carry out certain obligations under certain tribal agreements.

"This bill provides in substance for the refunding of Federal inheritance and income taxes illegally or erroneously collected from any person duly enrolled as a member of an Indian tribe who received, in pursuance of a tribal treaty, agreement with the United States, or act of Congress, an allotment of land, which by the terms of such treaty or agreement was exempt from taxation if refund claim therefor is filed within 2 years after the enactment of this act. The bill also provides for the payment of interest on refunds which were previously paid but upon which no interest was received. The bill further provides that any such person who has been erroneously or illegally taxed by reason of not having claimed or received the benefit of any deduction or exemption permitted by law may likewise obtain a refund if a claim therefor is filed within 2 years after the enactment of this act. In substance, therefore, the purpose of this bill is to extend the period of limitations in which claims for refund may be filed by certain specially designated persons.

"On two prior occasions liberal statutory extensions of the period of limitations for filing refund claims by the very persons sought to be benefited by the present bill were granted. See House Joint Resolution 163, Seventy-first Congress, second session (46 Stat. 370), and Senate Joint Resolution 167, Seventy-second Congress, second session (47 Stat. 807). However, those extensions were limited to claims for refunds of Federal taxes paid on gains derived from lands which were received pursuant to, and exempted from taxes by virtue of, a tribal treaty or agreement with the United States. Under this bill tribal Indians would be granted the privilege of filing claims for refunds as to exemptions and deductions in no way associated with the tax-exempt lands, and not at all contemplated or covered in the prior statutory extensions.

"In this latter regard the present measure, H. R. 4324, does not differ in principle from the numerous bills presented to me for consideration, which proposed to except certain taxpayers from the operation of the statutes of limitations pertaining to the revenue laws by extending the time for refunding of certain taxes to such taxpayers. On those occasions I expressed my accord with the established policy of Congress that it is sound to include in all revenue acts statutes of limitations by the operation of which, after a fixed time, it becomes impossible for the Government to collect additional taxes or for the taxpayer to obtain a refund of an overpayment of taxes. I pointed out in each instance that legislation such as the proposed bill selects a small class of taxpayers for special treatment by excepting them from that policy. Such legislation thus discriminates against the whole body of Federal taxpayers and establishes a precedent which would open the door to relief in all cases in which the statute operates to the prejudice of a particular taxpayer, while leaving the door closed to the Government in those cases in which the statute operates to the disadvantage of the Government.

"I am not aware of any circumstances in this case, with regard to claims for refunds not arising out of taxes paid on gains from tax-exempt lands, which would justify an exception to be made to this long-established policy of Congress. I must reiterate my belief that the field of special legislation of this character should not now be opened to relieve special classes of taxpayers from the consequences of their failure to file refund claims within the period fixed by law.

"In addition to the foregoing, I note that the bill does not provide for any limitation upon the fees to be paid to any person acting as agent or attorney for any claimant to whom this bill is applicable."

H. R. 6776. An act to amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended, and for other purposes.

"The second provision of this bill extends Government lending into a new field which might be construed to commit the Federal Government to a policy entirely too far-reaching—that of lending to counties, districts, or municipalities to enable them to take care of already existing bonded indebtedness."

SEPTEMBER 7, 1935.

S. 1878. An act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co.

"Appended hereto letter of the Acting Attorney General."

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR GENERAL,
Washington, D. C., August 30, 1935.

The PRESIDENT,
The White House.

SIR: Reference is made to S. 1878, introduced by Senator Johnson, of California, an act conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of the Mack Copper Co. The attached file includes a letter of August 29, 1935, from General MacArthur. The Acting Secretary of War objects to the approval of the bill on the basis of two approved opinions of the Judge Advocate General rendered in reports on similar bills in the Seventieth and Seventy-second Congresses, respectively.

The beneficiary of this legislation did file a claim in the Court of Claims for the taking, use, and damages to this property and was awarded $229,500, with interest on $150,000 thereof from June 1, 1922, to date of payment.

This award was entered on June 6, 1927, and thereafter, I am advised by the letter of the War Department and by the Claims Division of the Department of Justice, which handled the suit in the Court of Claims, a stipulation was entered into that no petition for certiorari would be filed to review the award. Upon the execution of this stipulation the award was paid.

It is true that the Court of Claims refused to consider the claim for waste upon the ground that as the Government was not a lessee no covenant for waste could be implied.

The bill as drawn confers upon the Court of Claims jurisdiction to hear "the claim of the Mack Copper Company against the United States for just compensation for the taking and use, and the damages and waste inflicted by the taking and use, of certain real property owned by the Mack Copper Company * * * ." The right to litigate is limited by the phrase "not heretofore paid by the United States to the Mack Copper Company." It would appear from this language that all claims of the type authorized in the act may be relitigated subject to a credit for the amount heretofore paid.

If this bill is approved, it will authorize the relitigation of issues already settled and, in addition to that, inject the question of waste into the proceedings.

It would furthermore appear from the file that the Mack Copper Co. has been adequately compensated for the use and damage to the property, since it acquired the property by a contract of purchase originating in 1912 and concluding in 1917 for $338,684.82.

The letter of Congressman Burnham to you of August 29, 1935, states that—

"All other landowners whose lands were taken for this camp, Camp Kearny, have already been compensated by acts of Congress for use and similar damages to their lands."

I have not been able to determine whether the phrase "similar damages" applies to waste alone or to damages for which this beneficiary was compensated. Whatever may be the facts as to that, other claimants apparently received certain sums appropriated by Congress while this claimant has been granted the special advantage of a private act.

Under all the circumstances, I recommended the veto of the act.

Respectfully,

STANLEY REED,
Acting Attorney General.

S. 2324. An act to incorporate The Military Order of the Purple Heart.

"The reasons set forth in letter of Acting Secretary of War appended hereto."

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 29, 1935.

The PRESIDENT,
The White House.

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I am returning herewith S. 2324, "An act to incorporate The Military Order of the Purple Heart", transmitted to me by your direction for a statement as to whether or not there is any objection on the part of the War Department to its approval.

In reply, I desire to state that the War Department objects to the approval of this act for the following reasons:

The Purple Heart was created by Gen. George Washington in daily orders to the troops on August 7, 1782. The orders directed:

"The general, ever desirous to cherish a virtuous ambition in his soldiers, as well as to foster and encourage every species of military merit, direct that whenever any singularly meritorious action is performed, the author of it shall be permitted to wear on his facings, over the left breast, the figure of a heart in purple cloth, or silk, edged with narrow lace or binding."

The orders further provided that acts of extraordinary fidelity and essential service, as well as acts of unusual gallantry, should be rewarded.

The award of the Purple Heart lapsed, but by order of the President it was revived in General Orders of the War Department, No. 3, dated February 22, 1932. The Army Regulations now contain in detail the provisions for the award of the medal, and the design of the medal has been carefully defined.

While the War Department can have no objection to the formation of associations among the recipients of this medal, it believes that caution must be observed in placing in the hands of a minority of the holders of the medal the authority of Federal laws to make rules and regulations which might jeopardize the honor intended to be bestowed upon each of the thousands of persons to whom the Government has awarded the medal, or which might interfere with the rights of the War Department in the bestowal of the medal and the design of the insignia symbolic of the award.

Section 1 of the bill designates certain persons by name and such other persons as may be chosen, who are holders of the Purple Heart, duly chosen, to constitute the body corporate to be known as "the Military Order of the Purple Heart." Into whose hands the control of this body may at some time fall cannot now be known. Whether or not the charter always will be conscientiously adhered to in the interests of all holders of the medal cannot be known. All holders of the medal may not be admitted to membership; or they may in effect be denied membership because of dues, assessments, or for other reasons. Clearly there is an opportunity for a selected few to draw to themselves honor and benefits which should be bestowed equally upon all holders of the medal.

Section 4 defines the powers of the corporation. It may adopt a constitution, bylaws, and regulations to carry out its purpose. Many holders of the medal may not be members of, or may not even be aware of the existence of, the corporation. Yet the corporation, with the sanction of an act of Congress, might take actions which, before the public, would affect adversely the nonmember holders of the medal.

The corporation may adopt for the purposes of the corporation emblems and badges. In the case of the Purple Heart, as with the Distinguished Service Cross and other medals, the War Department has adopted a definite design for the medal, in order that it may become generally known

and recognized by all persons. Such a medal has a definite significance. The above provision would permit the supplying to members of the corporation additional emblems and badges to supplement the medal, thus multiplying the number of badges or medals for a single act or service, and thereby tend to destroy the significance of the War Department award. The provision, as a part of an approved act of Congress, might even be construed as taking out of the hands of the War Department the right to prescribe the Purple Heart Medal.

Section 6 provides that the corporation, and its local chapters, shall have the sole and exclusive right to have and to use, for its purposes, the name of The Military Order of the Purple Heart. This emphasizes the fact that an order is being created within an order, which would discriminate against the holders of the medal who are not members of the corporation.

The incorporation of this body would also be a precedent for the incorporation of groups holding other military decorations, which might seriously alter the whole scheme of military decorations.

To sum up, the award of the Purple Heart is an act, complete in itself, to indicate the recognition by the Government of a meritorious act or service for one's country. No obligation should attach to the holder of the award to join any organization to secure for himself the full honor of the award, and no organization should be set up under the authority of the Government which in any way may interfere with or reduce the prestige of any holder of the award, or give any group of holders special rights and privileges not held by all holders of the award. Ample laws are already in existence enabling the War Department to administer the award of military decorations, and it is strongly felt that no corporation should be authorized by law to have a voice in or influence in the administering and award of any of the various authorized medals, badges, and decorations.

It is accordingly recommended that the act referred to be not approved.

Respectfully yours,

DOUGLAS MACARTHUR,
Acting Secretary of War.

H. R. 8513. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children.

"On the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior and the Director of the Budget, who state that the nontaxable land in the school district amounts to only 1 percent of the total taxable area of the district; that the school district is in good financial condition; and that the Federal Government makes adequate payment for the Indian school children on a tuition basis."

H. R. 8516. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Porcupine School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children.

"On the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior and the Director of the Budget in view of the probability of a decreased attendance of Indian school children and the fact that tuition payments for Indian children adequately compensates the district for the cost of their education."

APPENDIX

SENATORS OF THE UNITED STATES WHOSE SEATS WILL BECOME VACANT IN—

1937. Class 2	1939. Class 3	1941. Class 1
Mr. Bachman of Tennessee.	Mr. Adams of Colorado.	Mr. Ashurst of Arizona.
Bailey of North Carolina.	Barkley of Kentucky.	Austin of Vermont.
Bankhead of Alabama.	Black of Alabama.	Bilbo of Mississippi.
Barbour of New Jersey.	Bone of Washington.	Burke of Nebraska.
Borah of Idaho.	Brown of New Hampshire.	Byrd of Virginia.
Bulow of South Dakota.	Bulkley of Ohio.	Chavez of New Mexico.[1]
Byrnes of South Carolina.	Mrs. Caraway of Arkansas.	Connally of Texas.
Capper of Kansas.	Mr. Clark of Missouri.	Copeland of New York.
Carey of Wyoming.	Davis of Pennsylvania.	Donahey of Ohio.
Coolidge of Massachusetts.	Dieterich of Illinois.	Frazier of North Dakota.
Costigan of Colorado.	Duffy of Wisconsin.	Gerry of Rhode Island.
Couzens of Michigan.	Fletcher of Florida.	Guffey of Pennsylvania.
Dickinson of Iowa.	George of Georgia.	Hale of Maine.
Glass of Virginia.	Gibson of Vermont.	Holt of West Virginia.
Gore of Oklahoma.	Hayden of Arizona.	Johnson of California.
Harrison of Mississippi.	Lonergan of Connecticut.	King of Utah.
Hastings of Delaware.	McAdoo of California.	La Follette of Wisconsin.
Hatch of New Mexico.	McCarran of Nevada.	McKellar of Tennessee.
Keyes of New Hampshire.	McGill of Kansas.	Maloney of Connecticut.
Lewis of Illinois.	Murphy of Iowa.	Minton of Indiana.
Logan of Kentucky.	Norbeck of South Dakota.	Moore of New Jersey.
Long of Louisiana.	Nye of North Dakota.	O'Mahoney of Wyoming.
McNary of Oregon.	Overton of Louisiana.	Pittman of Nevada.
Metcalf of Rhode Island.	Pope of Idaho.	Radcliffe of Maryland.
Murray of Montana.	Reynolds of North Carolina.	Schwellenbach of Washington.
Neely of West Virginia.	Smith of South Carolina.	Shipstead of Minnesota.
Norris of Nebraska.	Steiwer of Oregon.	Townsend of Delaware.
Robinson of Arkansas.	Thomas of Oklahoma.	Trammell of Florida.
Russell of Georgia.	Thomas of Utah.	Truman of Missouri.
Schall of Minnesota.	Tydings of Maryland.	Vandenberg of Michigan.
Sheppard of Texas.	Van Nuys of Indiana.	Walsh of Massachusetts.
White of Maine.	Wagner of New York.	Wheeler of Montana.

[1]Appointed by the Governor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Bronson M. Cutting.

HISTORY OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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1. A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a procedure for cost accounting and cost reporting for Federal agencies—	
read twice and referred	12
2. A bill to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates and for controlled expansion of the currency—	
read twice and referred	12
3. A bill to regulate commerce in firearms—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 997)	492
considered	554
4. A bill to prevent the promotion of frauds through interstate communication—	
read twice and referred	12
5. A bill [to prevent the manufacture, shipment, and sale of adulterated or misbranded food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics, and to regulate traffic therein; to prevent the false advertisement of food, drink, drugs, and cosmetics; and for other purposes] *to prevent the adulteration, misbranding, and false advertising of food, drugs, devices, and cosmetics in interstate, foreign, and other commerce subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, for the purposes of safeguarding the public health, preventing deceit upon the purchasing public, and for other purposes*—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 361)	213
minority views submitted (Rept. No. 361)	247
revised report submitted (Rept. No. 646)	366
additional amendments reported	382
considered	238, 239, 242, 245, 248, 250, 252, 255, 256
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	394
6. A bill to prohibit the transportation in interstate or foreign commerce and carriage through the mails of certain gambling devices, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
7. A bill to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
8. A bill to permit the appointment of special agents of the Division of Investigation as State officers—	
read twice and referred	12
9. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to extend the provisions of the National Motor Vehicle Theft Act to other stolen property", approved May 22, 1934 (U. S. C., title 18, secs. 413–419)—	
read twice and referred	12
10. A bill to amend the penal laws of the United States—	
read twice and referred	12
committee discharged	49
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11. A bill to [repeal] *amend* section 389, *title 18*, of the United States Code, being section 239 of the United States Criminal Code—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 726)	386
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	392
title amended	392
12. A bill to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 487)	271
considered, read the third time, and passed	390
passed the House	577
examined and signed	582
presented	584
approved [Public Law No. 272]	621
13. A bill to abolish the right of appeal in certain habeas corpus proceedings—	
read twice and referred	12
14. A bill authorizing the introduction in evidence in criminal cases of testimony taken at a preliminary hearing, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
15. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act making it unlawful for any person to flee from one State to another for the purpose of avoiding prosecution or the giving of testimony in certain cases", approved May 18, 1934—	
read twice and referred	12
16. A bill to establish a confidential relationship between guidance workers and pupils—	
read twice and referred	12
17. A bill making it a felony to willfully fail to appear after having been admitted to bail—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 350)	208
recommitted	272
18. A bill to amend section 1015 of the Revised Statutes—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 351)	208
recommitted	272
19. A bill to amend section 1016 of the Revised Statutes—	
read twice and referred	12
20. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to make persons charged with crimes and offenses competent witnesses in United States and Territorial courts", approved March 16, 1878—	
read twice and referred	12
21. A bill to regulate the defense of alibi in criminal cases—	
read twice and referred	12
22. A bill to provide for the deportation of aliens convicted of certain crimes—	
read twice and referred	12

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23. A bill to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates—	
read twice and referred	12
24. A bill to assure to persons within the jurisdiction of every State the equal protection of the laws by discouraging, preventing, and punishing the crime of lynching—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 340)	201
considered	294, 296, 299, 301, 302, 303, 305, 306, 308
25. A bill to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting during the year 1935, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
26. A bill to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
27. A bill to limit the car length of trains which may be operated upon railroads by common carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce—	
read twice and referred	12
28. A bill for the relief of R. B. Miller—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 244)	164
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	188
29. A bill granting a pension to Jane Bollinger—	
read twice and referred	12
30. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the United States Shipping Board to sell certain property of the United States situated in the city of Hoboken, N. J.", approved April 19, 1930—	
read twice and referred	12
31. To provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Chester C. Groff—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 75)	104
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
passed the House	148
examined and signed	152
presented	156
approved [Private Law No. 1]	169
32. A bill [to establish a national military park to commemorate the campaign and Battles of Saratoga, in the State of New York] *to provide for the creation of the Saratoga National Historical Park in the State of New York, and for other purposes*—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1154)	544
considered, amended, read the third time, passed; title amended	561
33. A bill to encourage travel to and within the United States by citizens of foreign countries, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 999)	492
considered, read the third time, and passed	625
34. A bill to amend section 2 of the act of February 13, 1893—	
read twice and referred	12
35. A bill for the relief of the Sachs Mercantile Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	12
36. A bill authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and materialmen for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office building at Hempstead, N. Y.—	
read twice and referred	12
37. A bill authorizing the Comptroller General of the United States to settle and adjust the claims of subcontractors and materialmen for material and labor furnished in the construction of a post-office and courthouse building at Rutland, Vt.	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 285)	174
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
38. A bill for the relief of Winifred Meagher—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 166)	138
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	410
examined and signed	412
presented	415
approved [Private Law No. 80]	443
39. A bill for the relief of the estate of William Bardel—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 151)	135
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	577
examined and signed	582
presented	584
approved [Private Law No. 206]	605
40. A bill for the relief of the Telescope Folding Furniture Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	12
41. A bill for the relief of the Germania Catering Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 156)	136
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House with amendments	410
Senate agrees to House amendments	412
examined and signed	415
presented	422
approved [Private Law No. 68]	440
42. A bill for the relief of Emmett C. Noxon—	
read twice and referred	12
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 137)	135
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House with an amendment	410
Senate agrees to House amendment	412
examined and signed	415
presented	422
approved [Private Law No. 69]	440
43. A bill for the relief of Lucile A. Abbey—	
read twice and referred	12
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 261)	167
considered, read the third time, and passed	187
passed the House	441
examined and signed	448
presented	452
approved [Private Law No. 98]	475
44. A bill granting a pension to Elia Rodde—	
read twice and referred	12
45. A bill granting a pension to George S. Ward—	
read twice and referred	12
46. A bill granting an increase of pension to Helen K. Snowden.	
read twice and referred	12
47. A bill granting a pension to Joseph F. Sourek—	
read twice and referred	12
48. A bill granting a pension to Carl M. Toepper—	
read twice and referred	12
49. A bill for the relief of Harriet DeLarm—	
read twice and referred	12

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50. A bill for the relief of William D. Grush—	
read twice and referred	13
51. A bill for the relief of Frank Kroegel, alias Francis Kroegel—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 195)	145
considered, read the third time, and passed	151
passed the House	328
examined and signed	330
presented	333
approved [Private Law No. 52]	361
52. A bill for the relief of Albrecht Nest, apothecary of the Navy—	
read twice and referred	13
53. A bill for the relief of Victor Oscar Gokey—	
read twice and referred	13
54. A bill to amend section 25 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended—	
read twice and referred	13
55. A bill authorizing loans by Federal land banks to incorporated associations and corporations in certain cases, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
56. A bill for the relief of Patrick J. Mulcahey—	
read twice and referred	13
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 39)	90
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	99
57. A bill authorizing an increase in the amount of bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
58. A bill for the relief of James Gillespie—	
read twice and referred	13
59. A bill to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad engaged in interstate and foreign commerce to man locomotives, trains, and other self-propelled engines or machines with competent employees, to provide the least number of men that may be employed on locomotives, trains, and other self-propelled engines or machines, to provide qualifications for certain employees, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof—	
read twice and referred	13
60. A bill requiring national banks to obtain indemnity bonds from State-qualified bonding companies—	
read twice and referred	13
61. A bill for the relief of John B. Canter—	
read twice and referred	13
62. A bill for the relief of James Evans Monroe—	
read twice and referred	13
63. A bill granting a pension to Fred Hodgkiss—	
read twice and referred	13
64. A bill granting a pension to Anna Marie Flautt—	
read twice and referred	13
65. A bill granting an increase of pension to Blanche Welker—	
read twice and referred	13
66. A bill granting a pension to Joseph Wilfong—	
read twice and referred	13
67. A bill granting an increase of pension to Jess Musgrave—	
read twice and referred	13
68. A bill granting a pension to William Nire Metz—	
read twice and referred	13
69. A bill granting a pension to Sarah A. Martin—	
read twice and referred	13
reported (see bill H. R. 8421).	
70. A bill for the relief of agriculture, the producers of livestock, and the producers of raw materials generally, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
71. A bill granting a pension to Columbus R. Fulks—	
read twice and referred	13
72. A bill granting an increase of pension to Anthony R. Backus—	
read twice and referred	13
73. A bill granting a pension to Ella A. Barker—	
read twice and referred	13
reported (see bill H. R. 8421).	
74. A bill granting a pension to Earl E. Bayles—	
read twice and referred	13
75. A bill granting a pension to James C. Blackwell—	
read twice and referred	13
76. A bill granting a pension to Clarence R. Boyles—	
read twice and referred	13
77. A bill to protect labor in its old age—	
read twice and referred	13
78. A bill relating to the qualifications of directors and other officials of the Federal land banks and other agricultural credit agencies—	
read twice and referred	13
79. A bill for the reinstatement of Harding Palmer in the United States Army—	
read twice and referred	13
80. A bill authorizing an appropriation for the eradication and control of the screw worm—	
read twice and referred	13
81. A bill to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of peanuts by the Department of Agriculture—	
read twice and referred	13
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 395)	232
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	259
82. A bill to authorize the disposal of surplus personal property, including buildings, of the Emergency Conservation Work—	
read twice and referred	13
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 286)	174
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	233
passed the House	359
examined and signed	372
presented	379
approved [Public Law No. 82]	440
83. A bill to provide for the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Georgia, at or near Sea Island Beach—	
read twice and referred	13
84. A bill to amend section 61 of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, relating to depositories for money of bankrupt estates—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment	128
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
85. A bill for the relief of Homer H. Adams—	
read twice and referred	13
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 1066)	509
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	552
86. A bill for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga.—	
read twice and referred	13
87. A bill to prevent the shipment in interstate commerce of certain articles and commodities, in connection with which persons are employed more than 5 days per week or 6 hours per day, and prescribing certain conditions	

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with respect to purchases and loans by the United States, and codes, agreements, and licenses under the National Industrial Recovery Act—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 367)	216
minority report (Rept. No. 367)	231
motion for consideration	256
88. A bill to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933—	
read twice and referred	13
89. A bill to increase the authorized bond issue of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation—	
read twice and referred	13
90. A bill to provide for increasing the capital and bonds of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation for the purpose of making cash advances to home owners, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
91. A bill authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to municipalities and political subdivisions of States to aid in refinancing their outstanding indebtedness—	
read twice and referred	13
92. A bill to prohibit the making of photographs, sketches, or maps of vital military and naval defensive installations and equipment, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 20)	65
considered, read the third time, and passed	82
93. A bill to authorize certain officers of the Navy and Marine Corps to administer oaths—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 304)	184
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	287
examined and signed	291
presented	296
approved [Public Law No. 42]	301
94. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with certain public works at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.—	
read twice and referred	13
95. A bill to provide for the carrying at reduced rates of officers and enlisted men of the military and naval forces while on leave of absence or furlough at their own expense—	
read twice and referred	13
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 344)	204
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
96. A bill to provide for loans to farmers for crop production and harvesting until June 30, 1936, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
97. A bill to provide for a customs examination building at Tampa, Fla.—	
read twice and referred	13
98. A bill to improve the navigability and to provide for the flood control of the Upper Mississippi River; to provide for reforestation and the use of marginal lands in, and for the agricultural and industrial development of, the Upper Mississippi River Basin; to provide for the restoration and preservation of the water level, and for the development of electrical power, in the Upper Mississippi Basin, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	13
99. A bill for the relief of William Schick—	
read twice and referred	13
100. A bill granting a pension to Belle McGary—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8421)	14
101. A bill granting a pension to Lucy W. Farwell—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8421)	14
102. A bill granting a pension to Lottie Flint—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8421)	14
103. A bill granting a pension to Sarah Hagar Lewis—	
read twice and referred	14
104. A bill granting a pension to Mary A. Beck—	
read twice and referred	14
105. A bill granting a pension to Mary E. Bordwell—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8421)	14
106. A bill granting an increase of pension to Lena Bradshaw—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8424)	14
107. A bill granting a pension to Earl Cline—	
read twice and referred	14
108. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mattie F. Colebaugh—	
read twice and referred	14
109. A bill granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth B. Craig—	
read twice and referred	14
110. A bill granting an increase of pension to John C. Denbo—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8425)	14
111. A bill granting a pension to Hulda Dodds—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8425)	14
112. A bill granting a pension to Eliza Ellis—	
read twice and referred	14
113. A bill granting a pension to William Edward Fugatt—	
read twice and referred (See bill H. R. 8425)	14
114. A bill granting a pension to George G. Gribben—	
read twice and referred	14
115. A bill granting a pension to Everett Goodwin—	
read twice and referred	14
116. A bill granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Henderson—	
read twice and referred	14
117. A bill granting a pension to Allison J. Little—	
read twice and referred	14
118. A bill granting an increase of pension to Minnie Mahler—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
119. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary A. McNeil—	
read twice and referred	14
120. A bill granting an increase of pension to Jane A. McNelly—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
121. A bill granting an increase of pension to Martha J. Morgan—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
122. A bill granting an increase of pension to Hannah Morrison—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
123. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary L. Parker—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14

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124. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary A. Phillippi—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
125. A bill granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Pitts—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8423.)	14
126. A bill granting a pension to Charles O. Puckett—	
read twice and referred	14
127. A bill granting a pension to Nancy Jane Ruffin—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8422.)	14
128. A bill granting a pension to Hannah A. Smith—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8422.)	14
129. A bill granting an increase of pension to Alice M. Strine—	
read twice and referred	14
130. A bill granting an increase of pension to Ellen M. Thomas—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
131. A bill granting an increase of pension to Nancy J. Walker—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
132. A bill granting a pension to Frank L. Wilkinson—	
read twice and referred	14
133. A bill granting an increase of pension to Teressa Willoughby—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
134. A bill granting an increase of pension to Drusilla Wright—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	14
135. A bill granting a pension to Alma Blanche Shipman—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8425.)	14
136. A bill granting a pension to Clarence Edward Shipman—	
read twice and referred	
reported—(See bill H. R. 8425.)	14
137. A bill granting a pension to Lydia C. Wark—	
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294. A bill granting a pension to Fannie S. Greene—	
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334. A bill for the relief of Leon Frederick Ruggles—	
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335. A bill authorizing the coinage of a 3-cent nickel piece—	
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337. A bill to extend certain benefits of the Public Health Service to certain seamen, and for other purposes—	
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338. A bill providing for the examination and survey of a proposed deep-waterway canal connecting Grand River with Lake Michigan—	
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342. A bill for the relief of Edward H. Cotcher—	
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344. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate commerce", approved February 4, 1887, as amended and supplemented—	
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345. A bill to repeal Government wage cuts as of January 1, 1935, and for other purposes—	
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346. A bill to restore the basic rate of compensation of Federal officers and employees—	
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347. A bill for the relief of James J. Jordan—	
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348. A bill for the relief of Berle C. Palmer—	
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349. A bill granting a pension to Narcissa Hussey—	
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351. A bill granting a pension to Wilbern Alonzo Hussey	26
352. A bill granting a pension to James N. Davis—	
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353. A bill granting an increase of pension to Tennessee F. Maynard—	
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354. A bill granting a pension to Ida H. McCullough—	
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355. A bill granting a pension to Hanna White—	
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356. A bill granting an increase of pension to Truman H. Wilkinson—	
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357. A bill granting a pension to Taylor C. Lyon—	
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358. A bill granting a pension to Stephen D. Jones—	
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359. A bill granting a pension to John Bivens—	
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360. A bill granting a pension to Olive A. Lewis—	
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364. A bill to exempt from taxation certain property of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War in the District of Columbia—	
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365. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Elmer E. Miller—	
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366. A bill for the relief of Lyda F. Foster—	
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367. A bill to provide old-age compensation for the citizens of the United States—	
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372. A bill for the relief of Edward L. Gockeler—	
read twice and referred	26
373. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Robert A. Watson—	
read twice and referred	26
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374. A bill for the relief of certain officers of the Army whose household and other effects were damaged or destroyed by the flooding of a warehouse at Fort Myer, Va.—	
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375. A bill to establish a commission for the settlement of the special claims covered by the Convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States concluded April 24, 1934—	
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376. A bill to facilitate the control of soil erosion and/or flood damage originating upon lands within the exterior boundaries of the Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah—	
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379. A bill to provide for the deportation of certain alien seamen, and for other purposes—	
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380. A bill to reserve 80 acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah—	
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382. A bill to provide for the purchase of a certain lot of land in Cedar City, Utah—	
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383. A bill to provide compulsory licenses for unused patents—	
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384. A bill relating to the classified civil service—	
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385. A bill granting a pension to Eliza Beagley—	
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386. A bill granting a pension to Susan Turner—	
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387. A bill to amend the act approved March 3, 1927, entitled "An act granting pensions to certain soldiers who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898, and for other purposes"—	
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388. A bill to establish a Department of National Defense, and for other purposes—	
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390. A bill for the relief of Orson Thomas—	
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391. A bill for the relief of Ralph E. Woolley—	
read twice and referred	27
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395. A bill relative to the qualifications of practitioners of law in the District of Columbia—	
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396. A bill to amend section 1180 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia with respect to usury—	
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397. A bill to provide for recording of deeds of trust and mortgages secured on real estate in the District of Columbia, and for the releasing thereof, and for other purposes—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	42
398. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia", approved March 3, 1901, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto—	
read twice and referred	27
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399. A bill to amend sections 416 and 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	27
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400. A bill to permit the step-children of certain officers and employees of the United States to be admitted to the public schools of the District of Columbia without payment of tuition.	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	42
401. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the healing art to protect the public health in the District of Columbia", approved February 27, 1929—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 7)	33
considered, read the third time, and passed	42
402. A bill to amend section 824 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 8)	33
considered, read the third time, and passed	42
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403. A bill to amend the act of Congress approved March 1, 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to remove dangerous and unsafe buildings and parts thereof, and for other purposes", and to further amend said act by adding at the end thereof new sections nos. 5 and 6—	
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404. A bill to provide for the acquisition of land in the District of Columbia in excess of that required for public projects and improvements, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 9)	33
considered, read the third time, and passed	42
passed the House with an amendment	231
Senate agrees to House amendment	235
examined and signed	239
presented	241
approved [Public Law No. 321]	269
405. A bill for the suppression of prostitution in the District of Columbia—	
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Senate agrees to report of conference	588
examined and signed	600
presented	603
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406. A bill to amend an act approved May 1, 1906, entitled "An act to create a board for the condemnation of insanitary buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes"—	
read twice and referred	27
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	82
passed the House	231
examined and signed	235
presented	236
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407. A bill to amend section 115a of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to lunacy proceedings—	
read twice and referred	27
408. A bill to promote safety on the public highways of the District of Columbia by providing for the financial responsibility of owners and operators of motor vehicles for damages caused by motor vehicles on the public highways in the District of Columbia; to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 10)	33
considered, read the third time, and passed	42
passed the House with an amendment	231
Senate disagrees to House amendment and agrees asks conference	235
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410. A bill to provide fees to be charged by the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes—	
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reported with amendments (Rept. No. 132)	132
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	147
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411. A bill to authorize an annual appropriation of $10,000 to pay the pro rata share of the United States of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History at Mexico City—	
read twice and referred	27
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considered, read the third time, and passed	82
412. A bill granting a pension to Earnest G. Harvey—	
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413. Granting a pension to Roy E. Donnelly—	
read twice and referred	27
414. A bill to convey certain lands and buildings to the city of Reno, Nev.—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	626
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415. A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relating to direct loans for industrial purposes by Federal Reserve banks, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1934 (Public, No. 417, 73d Cong.)—	
read twice and referred	27
416. A bill for the relief of Las Vegas Hospital Association, Las Vegas, Nev.—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 140)	135
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House with an amendment	410
Senate agrees to House amendment	412
examined and signed	415
presented	422
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417. A bill for the relief of Fred M. Munn—	
read twice and referred	27
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 44)	96
considered, read the third time, and passed	102
418. A bill providing import duties on coal and coke imported into the United States from foreign countries—	
read twice and referred	27
419. A bill to correct the naval record of Robert Nelson Campbell—	
read twice and referred	27
420. A bill to amend section 3 of Public Law No. 393, Seventy-third Congress—	
read twice and referred	27
421. A bill granting a pension to Earl J. Stark—	
read twice and referred	27
422. A bill granting a pension to Dudley C. Tribble—	
read twice and referred	27
423. A bill for the relief of Lynn Brothers' Benevolent Hospital—	
read twice and referred	27
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424. A bill authorizing the adjustment of contracts for the sale of timber on the national forests, and for other purposes—	
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425. A bill for the relief of Robert Rayl—	
read twice and referred	27
426. A bill to provide for adjusting the compensation of post-office inspectors and inspectors in charge to correspond to the rates established by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended—	
read twice and referred	27
427. A bill authorizing the reimbursement of Edward B. Wheeler and the State Investment Co. for the loss of certain lands in the Mora Grant, N. Mex.—	
read twice and referred	27
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428. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Korber Realty, Inc.—	
read twice and referred	27
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 215)	145
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	161
passed the House	516
examined and signed	517
presented	518
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429. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico to hear, determine, and render judgment upon certain claims against the United States—	
read twice and referred	27
430. A bill for the relief of Anna Hathaway—	
read twice and referred	27
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431. A bill granting compensation to Reuben R. Hunter—	
read twice and referred	27
432. A bill for the relief of John J. Doyle—	
read twice and referred	27
433. A bill to provide for the taking over by the Government of the outstanding capital stock of all Federal Reserve banks; to create a Federal Reserve bank and a Federal Reserve Bank Board; to provide an adequate and stable monetary system; to prevent both uncontrolled deflation and inflation; to provide a system to control the price of commodities through control of the purchasing power of money; to substitute Federal Reserve bank notes for outstanding gold certificates, silver certificates, Treasury notes of 1890, United States notes, Federal Reserve notes, national currency, and national-bank notes; and to coin and regulate the value of money in pursuance of article I, section 8, paragraph 5, of the Constitution of the United States; and for other purposes—	
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434. A bill for the relief of Joseph Thompson—	
read twice and referred	28
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437. A bill for the relief of Cooper E. Davis—	
read twice and referred	28
438. A bill for the relief of Roy Chandler—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 237)	158
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439. A bill to secure to the farmers a price for agricultural products of not less than the cost of production thereof, including a reasonable profit, and for other purposes—	
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440. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the State of Oklahoma for constructing a bridge across the Arkansas River south of the town of Sallisaw in Sequoyah and Le Flore Counties at a point approximately 15 miles north of Keota in the State of Oklahoma—	
read twice and referred	28
441. A bill granting a pension to Carrie L. Warner—	
read twice and referred	28
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442. A bill granting a pension to Sarah E. Wilkerson—	
read twice and referred	28
443. A bill granting a pension to Joseph K. Sullivan—	
read twice and referred	28
444. A bill granting a pension to Wilber T. Lardie—	
read twice and referred	28
445. A bill granting an increase of pension to Alma H. Aultman—	
read twice and referred	28
446. A bill for the relief of Elva Rhea Speck—	
read twice and referred	28
447. A bill conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the District of Oregon to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the suit in equity of Rakha Singh Gherwal against the United States—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment	145
considered, read the third time, and passed	151
passed the House	589
examined and signed	600
presented	603
approved [Private Law No. 227]	669
448. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of Coquille River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 378)	227
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	403
examined and signed	411
presented	415
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449. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination of Umpqua River and its tributaries in the State of Oregon with a view to the control of its floods—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 379)	227
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	403
examined and signed	411
presented	415
approved [Public Law No. 122]	440
450. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Westport Slough, Oreg.—	
read twice and referred	28
451. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Brookings Harbor, Oreg.—	
read twice and referred	28
452. A bill to extend the provisions of the Forest Exchange Act to lands adjacent to the national forests in the State of Oregon—	
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454. To amend section 3 of the act of July 13, 1926 (44 Stat. 915), entitled "An act for the relief of certain counties in the States of Oregon and Washington, within whose boundaries the revested Oregon and California Railroad Co. grant lands are located"—	
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455. A bill for the relief of Oliver Victor Riessbeck—	
read twice and referred	28
456. A bill authorizing an appropriation for the further development of the submarine and destroyed base at Tongue Point, Oreg.—	
read twice and referred	28
457. A bill for the relief of John W. Beck—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 200)	145
considered, read the third time, and passed	151
passed the House	589
examined and signed	600
presented	603
returned without approval	673
458. A bill for the relief of Noah C. Dugan—	
read twice and referred	28
459. A bill for the relief of Allan W. Hartmann—	
read twice and referred	28
460. A bill for the relief of Marinius M. Londahl—	
read twice and referred	28
461. A bill for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the treaty of peace, April 11, 1899—	
read twice and referred	28
462. A bill to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State of Oregon—	
read twice and referred	28
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considered, read the third time, and passed	82
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Senate agrees to House amendment	408
examined and signed	412
presented	415
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463. A bill to facilitate the use and occupancy of national-forest lands for purposes of residence, recreation, education, industry, and commerce—	
read twice and referred	28
464. A bill to add certain lands to the Malheur National Forest in the State of Oregon—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 29)	77
considered, read the third time, and passed	82
465. A bill for the relief of the estates of Edwin G. Scott, Clyde R. Dindinger, and Ralph R. Fraley—	
read twice and referred	28
466. A bill for the relief of William J. Ewing—	
read twice and referred	28
467. A bill for the relief of Kate Hatton—	
read twice and referred	28
468. A bill for the relief of Theodor Knudson—	
read twice and referred	28

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470. A bill for the relief of the Hauser Construction Co.—	
read twice and referred	28
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	552
passed the House	577
examined and signed	582
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471. A bill for the relief of the Columbia Boat and Barge System, Inc.—	
read twice and referred	28
472. A bill to authorize the distribution to persons admitted to citizenship of the patriotic poster entitled "Look the Truth in the Face"—	
read twice and referred	28
473. A bill relating to information to be furnished to stockholders of corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce—	
read twice and referred	28
474. A bill to increase the lump-sum payment made under the Workmen's Compensation Act in cases of death or of permanent total or permanent partial disability suffered prior to February 12, 1927—	
read twice and referred	28
475. A bill for the relief of Mrs. George F. Freeman—	
read twice and referred	28
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 149)	135
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	516
examined and signed	517
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 150]	544
476. A bill relating to promotions of civil-service employees—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 638)	355
477. A bill to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the Southern District of New York and two additional judges for the Southern District of California—	
read twice and referred	28
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 405)	244
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478. A bill to amend a part of section 1 of the act of May 27, 1908, chapter 200, as amended (U. S. C., title 28, sec. 592)—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1023)	501
considered, read the third time, and passed	553
479. A bill to amend section 126 of the Judicial Code, as amended—	
read twice and referred	28
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1024)	501
considered, read the third time, and passed	553
480. A bill to amend the act approved May 14, 1930, entitled "An act to reorganize the administration of Federal prisons; to authorize the Attorney General to contract for the care of United States prisoners; to establish Federal jails, and for other purposes"—	
read twice and referred	28
481. A bill authorizing the filling of vacancies in certain judgeships—	
read twice and referred	28
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considered, read the third time, and passed	151
482. A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 2, title 45, of the Code of Laws of the United States of America—	
read twice and referred	28
483. A bill for the relief of Stanley A. Jerman, receiver for A. J. Peters Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	28
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considered, read the third time, and passed	147
484. A bill for the relief of James Vallandingham—	
read twice and referred	28
485. A bill for the relief of Daniel Connell Flynn—	
read twice and referred	28
486. A bill for the relief of Joseph A. Frayne—	
read twice and referred	28
487. A bill to provide for the purchase of the surplus copper, heretofore mined and processed in the United States—	
read twice and referred	28
488. A bill for the relief of Michael Ilitz—	
read twice and referred	29
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 43)	96
considered, read the third time, and passed	102
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examined and signed	239
presented	241
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489. A bill for the relief of the Coast Fir & Cedar Products Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	29
490. A bill for the relief of F. T. Wade, M. L. Dearing, E. D. Wagner, and G. M. Judd—	
read twice and referred	29
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 660)	375
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	389
passed the House	589
examined and signed	600
presented	603
approved [Private Law No. 240]	669
491. A bill for the relief of Fred Herrick—	
read twice and referred	29
reference changed	257
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 919)	459
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	552
passed the House	632
examined	659
signed	666
presented	674
approved [Private Law No. 335]	737
492. A bill for the relief of the estates of Nicholas Ownby and Jesse Ownby—	
read twice and referred	29
493. A bill for the relief of Walter S. Chiene and Annie H. Chiene (widow, guardian of minors, and administratrix of estate of Lyon Playfair Chiene)—	
read twice and referred	29
494. A bill authorizing an appropriation for the further development of the submarine and destroyer base at Tongue Point, Oreg.—	
read twice and referred	29
495. A bill to correct the naval record of John B. Dolan—	
read twice and referred	29
496. A bill for the relief of Fred M. Smith—	
read twice and referred	29
497. A bill for the relief of Harry J. Kennedy—	
read twice and referred	29
498. A bill for the relief of William Kelley—	
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read twice and referred	29
500. A bill for the relief of Elijah L. Gum—	
read twice and referred	29
501. A bill [to provide for] *authorizing* the establishment of a Coast Guard station on the coast of Oregon, at or near Taft, Oreg.—	
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505. A bill to credit the Klamath Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore covered into the Treasury for reimbursement of appropriations—	
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510. A bill authorizing and directing the Secretary of Agriculture to investigate all phases of taxation in relation to agriculture—	
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518. A bill granting a pension to John L. Hammack—	
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519. A bill granting a pension to Lillian S. Blackwell—	
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520. A bill granting a pension to Myrtle J. Buzan—	
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521. A bill granting a pension to Mark Baldwin—	
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523. A bill granting a pension to J. B. Stanfield—	
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524. A bill granting a pension to Mary Nightingale—	
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525. A bill granting a pension to Arminta Sullivan—	
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527. A bill granting pensions to certain persons who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898—	
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530. A bill granting a pension to John R. Liles—	
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537. A bill for the relief of C. O. Meyer—	
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538. A bill for the relief of H. Kaminski & Co., Kaminski Hardware Co., and the Carolina Hardware Co.—	
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548. A bill for the relief of H. L. Roberts & Co.—	
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549. A bill for the relief of Augusta Burkett, widow of Alexander Burkett—	
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550. A bill for the relief of Lota Tidwell, the widow of Chambliss L. Tidwell—	
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551. A bill to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army—	
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552. A bill to authorize the settlement of individual claims of military personnel for damages to and loss of private property incident to the training, practice, operation, or maintenance of the Army—	
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556. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of individual claims approved by the War Department—	
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558. A bill for the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States and for the settlement of an individual claim approved by the War Department—	
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559. A bill to authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims—	
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560. A bill for the relief of the Western Electric Co., Inc.—	
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566. A bill for the relief of George Yusko—	
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567. A bill for the relief of Sarah Lloyd—	
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568. A bill granting a pension to George W. Criss—	
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570. A bill granting a pension to Frederick L. Knicely—	
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586. A bill granting an increase of pension to Josie M. Smart—	
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587. A bill granting a pension to Warren A. Small—	
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588. A bill granting an increase of pension to Joanna A. Small—	
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591. A bill granting a pension to Roy M. Osborne—	
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595. A bill granting a pension to Angie L. Moulton—	
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603. A bill granting a pension to William M. Forrest—	
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604. A bill granting a pension to Nellie Fredericks—	
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605. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary Coles—	
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608. A bill granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Burrell—	
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609. A bill granting a pension to Mary L. Bryant—	
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610. A bill granting a pension to Alice L. Preston—	
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611. A bill granting a pension to Rachel A. Bosworth—	
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616. A bill authorizing the removal of rock from the submarine and destroyer base reservation at Astoria (Tongue Point), Oreg.—	
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640. A bill granting an increase of pension to Roy E. George—	
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677. A bill for the relief of Mary E. Roney—	
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678. A bill for the relief of Louis E. LeBrun—	
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684. A bill for the relief of Brown & Cunningham, of Port Deposit, Md.—	
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688. A bill for the relief of Lucretia Norris—	
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689. A bill for the relief of Mary Kress, Myer Toor, and Theresa Toor—	
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690. A bill to extend the benefits of the United States Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Anna S. Matthews—	
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691. A bill for the relief of Herbert J. Myers—	
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692. A bill for the relief of Emma Gregory—	
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693. A bill to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Lillian Stecher Waldecker, formerly Lillian A. Stecher—	
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696. A bill for the relief of Sylvan M. Levy—	
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697. A bill for the relief of George J. Hannigan—	
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698. A bill granting a pension to John Doane Gardiner—	
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699. A bill granting a pension to Mary Amanda Jones—	
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700. A bill granting an increase of pension to George W. King—	
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701. A bill granting an increase of pension to Catherine Merritt—	
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703. A bill granting a pension to Annie J. Maddox—	
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704. A bill granting a pension to Annie Cantwell—	
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705. A bill granting a pension to Abbie V. Hull—	
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708. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Velie Motors Corporation—	
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710. A bill authorizing the State of Illinois to abandon the Illinois and Michigan Canal in Illinois, and to grant to the State of Illinois all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the land comprising the right-of-way of the Illinois and Michigan Canal as the same was routed and constructed through the public lands of the United States, in the State of Illinois, pursuant to the act of Congress of the United States of March 2, 1827, and in and to the 90 feet of land on each side of said canal, vested in the State of Illinois, pursuant to the act of Congress of the United States of March 30, 1822—	
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719. A bill granting an increase of pension to Emily Semple Wood—	
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720. A bill granting a pension to Barbara Oertel—	
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721. A bill granting a pension to Neva Dobbins—	
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722. A bill granting a pension to Daniel Pierce—	
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723. A bill granting a pension to Grace A. Coates—	
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726. A bill for the relief of Robbie Coates—	
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727. A bill for the relief of James E. Haynes—	
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728. A bill for the relief of Elton Firth—	
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729. A bill for the relief of A. F. Amory—	
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732. A bill for the relief of Zinsser & Co.—	
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733. A bill for the relief of William Burke—	
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734. A bill to amend sections 5136 and 5153 of the Revised Statutes, as respectively amended—	
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736. A bill for the relief of Louise Fox—	
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737. A bill to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, as amended—	
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741. A bill for the relief of the Union Shipping & Trading Co., Ltd.—	
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742. A bill for the relief of Charles A. Lewis—	
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743. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the claim of the Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co.—	
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744. A bill for the relief of Harriet V. Schindler—	
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746. A bill for the relief of Joseph M. Thomas, alias Joseph Thomas, alias Thomas O'Donnell—	
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747. A bill for the relief of Joe G. Baker—	
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755. A bill for the adjudication and determination of the claims arising under the extension by the Commissioner of Patents of the patent granted to Frederick G. Ransford and Peter Low as assignees of Marcus P. Norton, no. 25036, August 9, 1859—	
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758. A bill for the relief of Jacob G. Ackerman—	
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759. A bill for the relief of Joseph Schoenbach—	
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760. A bill for the relief of Harry P. Hollidge—	
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761. A bill for the relief of Marion Von Bruning (nee Marion Hubbard Treat)—	
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762. A bill for the relief of Marion Von Bruning (nee Marion Hubbard Treat)—	
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764. A bill for the relief of the Globe Shipping Co., Inc., of New York, N. Y. (successors of the Globe Shipping Co.)—	
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765. A bill for the relief of M. T. Stark, Inc.—	
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766. A bill for the relief of Messieurs M. Aronin & Sons—	
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767. A bill for the relief of Cowtan & Tout, Inc.—	
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768. A bill for the relief of Louis Godick—	
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769. A bill for the relief of Valle & Co., Inc.—	
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770. A bill for the relief of A. & M. Karagheusian, Inc.—	
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771. A bill for the relief of Schapiro Bros.—	
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772. A bill for the relief of B. Lindner & Bro., Inc.—	
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773. A bill for the relief of Sorenson & Co., Inc.—	
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784. A bill for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co., now Frederick Snare Corporation—	
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786. A bill for the relief of the North American Dredging Co.—	
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787. A bill for the relief of J. Henry Miller, Inc.—	
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788. A bill for the relief of the International Mercantile Marine Co.—	
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790. A bill for the relief of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique—	
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791. A bill for the relief of the city of New York—	
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792. A bill authorizing the Court of Claims of the United States to hear and determine the claims of the estate of George Chorpenning, deceased—	
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793. A bill for the relief of Charles F. Bond, receiver of the partnership of Thorp & Bond, New York, N. Y.—	
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799. A bill for the relief of Yvonne Hale—	
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804. A bill for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service to include employees in the legislative branch—	
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826. A bill for the relief of James Rowland—	
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827. A bill for the relief of Samuel H. McAlexander—	
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828. A bill for the relief of Clarence Winborn—	
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829. A bill for the relief of William F. Slatton—	
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830. A bill for the relief of Claude L. Pyle—	
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836. A bill for the relief of C. F. Cooley, administrator of the estate of Charles F. Cooley, Jr.—	
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847. A bill granting a pension to Anna J. Darby—	
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851. A bill granting a pension to E. Corinne Miller—	
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856. A bill granting a pension to Ella W. Cleveland—	
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867. A bill providing for the establishment of the General John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede, in Linn County, Mo.—	
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868. A bill granting a pension to Mary A. Phillips—	
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872. A bill for the allowance of certain claims for extra labor above the legal day of 8 hours at the several navy yards and shore stations certified by the Court of Claims—	
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874. A bill to amend paragraph (1) of section 3, as amended February 28, 1920, and March 4, 1927 (U. S. C., title 49, sec. 3), of the Interstate Commerce Act (U. S. C., title 49, ch. 1)—	
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876. A bill for the relief of Edgar Joseph Casey—	
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877. A bill to place William H. Clinton on the retired list of the Navy—	
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878. A bill for the relief of Ray Funcannon—	
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881. A bill for the relief of Leo James McCoy—	
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882. A bill for the relief of Albert Lawrence Sliney—	
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884. A bill for the relief of Lt. Comdr. G. C. Manning—	
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885. A bill to correct the naval record of Joseph Horace Albion Normandin—	
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886. A bill for the relief of Marino Ambrogi—	
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888. A bill for the relief of Joseph Gorman—	
read twice and referred	45
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 67)	100
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
889. A bill for the relief of Albert A. Marquardt—	
read twice and referred	45
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 68)	100
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
890. A bill for the relief of Michael J. Moran—	
read twice and referred	45
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 65)	100
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
891. A bill for the relief of Hector H. Perry—	
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 66)	100
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892. A bill providing for the promotion of certain officers and enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps when transferred from the active to the retired list—	
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893. A bill for the relief of Patrick J. Sullivan—	
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894. A bill for the relief of Robert H. Wilder—	
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895. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Atlantic Works, of Boston, Mass.—	
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896. A bill for the relief of Anna W. Ayer, widow of Capt. Asa G. Ayer, deceased—	
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897. A bill for the relief of the estate of Milton L. Baxter—	
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898. A bill for the relief of the Central Dredging Co.—	
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899. A bill for the relief of John J. Corcoran—	
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900. A bill for the relief of Arthur K. Finney—	
read twice and referred	45
901. A bill for the relief of Manuel Gonsalves—	
read twice and referred	45
902. A bill for the relief of William Hensley—	
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903. A bill for the relief of the Holyoke Ice Co.—	
read twice and referred	45
904. A bill for the relief of the International Manufacturers' Sales Co. of America, Inc., A. S. Postnikoff, trustee—	
read twice and referred	45
905. A bill for the relief of Edith N. Lindquist—	
read twice and referred	45
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906. A bill for the relief of Chellis T. Mooers—	
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907. A bill for the relief of M. Grace Murphy—	
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908. A bill for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.—	
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reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 282)	174
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909. A bill for the relief of Edwin C. Jenney, receiver of the First National Bank of Newton, Mass.—	
read twice and referred	45
910. A bill for the relief of Bertram Rich—	
read twice and referred	45
911. A bill for the relief of Thelma Lucy Rounds—	
read twice and referred	45
912. A bill for the relief of Louise St. Gez, executrix of Auguste Ferre, deceased, surviving partner of Lapene & Ferre—	
read twice and referred	45
913. A bill for the relief of Dean Scott—	
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914. A bill for the relief of Tom Small—	
read twice and referred	45
915. A bill for the relief of William R. Smith—	
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916. A bill to carry into effect the decisions of the Court of Claims in favor of claimants in French spoliation cases not heretofore paid—	
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917. A bill for the relief of the estate of John Stewart, deceased—	
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918. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of the Union Iron Works—	
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919. A bill for the relief of James P. Whalen—	
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920. A bill for the relief of Ruth J. Barnes—	
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921. A bill for the relief of C. J. Mast—	
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925. A bill to carry into effect the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of William W. Danenhower—	
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926. A bill to repeal title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act—	
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927. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to give war-time rank to retired officers and former officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and/or Coast Guard of the United States", approved June 21, 1930, so as to give class B officers of the Army benefits of such Act—	
read twice and referred	45
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considered, read the third time, and passed	147
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928. A bill for the relief of Rene Hooge—	
read twice and referred	45
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	380
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examined and signed	583
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929. A bill for the relief of the Southern Products Co.—	
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930. A bill for the relief of First Lt. Francis H. Kuhn—	
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931. A bill for the relief of the Concrete Engineering Co.—	
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932. A bill [authorizing the Postmaster General to extend certain air-mail contracts for a further period not exceeding 6 months] *to postpone the effective date of certain restrictions respecting air-mail contracts*—	
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933. A bill to provide for an investigation and report of losses resulting from the campaign for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruit fly by the Department of Agriculture—	
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934. A bill for the relief of Bertram Lee Schoonmaker—	
read twice and referred	45
935. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to lend Army and Navy equipment for use at the national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America—	
read twice and referred	45
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936. A bill for the relief of Bertram Lee Schoonmaker—	
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937. A bill for the relief of the J. M. Dooley Fireproof Warehouse Corporation, of Brooklyn, N. Y.—	
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938. A bill creating the World War Memorial Commission and providing for the erection, in Washington, of a memorial to the soldiers, sailors, and marines of the United States who lost their lives in the World War—	
read twice and referred	45
939. A bill making an appropriation to carry out the national memorial construction program of the Veterans' Memorial Grove Association of Orange County, N. Y—	
read twice and referred	45
940. A bill to provide for the further carrying out of the award of the National War Labor Board of July 31, 1918, in favor of certain employees of the Bethlehem Steel Co., Bethlehem, Pa.—	
read twice and referred	45
941. A bill for the relief of William J. Cocke—	
read twice and referred	45
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942. A bill granting a pension to Wilbur N. Fisher—	
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943. A bill to amend section 21 of the Interstate Commerce Act—	
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944. A bill to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act—	
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945. A bill to amend sections 11 and 24 of the Interstate Commerce Act—	
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947. A bill for the relief of James A. Boone—	
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948. A bill for the relief of Halvor H. Groven—	
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949. A bill for the relief of R. R. Purcell—	
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950. A bill authorizing the Court of Claims to investigate and determine the facts in connection with the claim of the First National Bank of Billings, Mont.—	
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951. A bill for the relief of Mrs. Guy A. McConoha—	
read twice and referred	46
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952. A bill for the relief of Zelma Halverson—	
read twice and referred	46
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953. A bill granting an increase of pension to Catherine A. Riley—	
read twice and referred	46
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	
954. A bill granting a pension to Jerry M. Humphrey—	
read twice and referred	46
955. A bill granting a pension to Clara Stuart—	
read twice and referred	46
956. A bill granting a pension to Waumdi Duba (Red Eagle)—	
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957. A bill granting a pension to James A. Boone—	
read twice and referred	46
958. A bill granting a pension to Joseph E. Williams—	
read twice and referred	46
959. A bill granting a pension to Marie Taylor—	
read twice and referred	46
960. A bill granting a pension to John Ransom—	
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961. A bill granting a pension to Daniel S. J. Leif—	
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962. A bill granting a pension to Jens A. Jepsen—	
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963. A bill granting a pension to Caroline Henkel—	
read twice and referred	46
964. A bill granting an increase of pension to Dora White—	
read twice and referred	46
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965. A bill granting an increase of pension to Louise Hatch—	
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966. A bill granting a pension to Carl A. Grant—	
read twice and referred	46
967. A bill granting a pension to certain Indians on the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation—	
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968. A bill granting a pension to certain Indians, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	46
969. A bill granting a pension to Emma L. Long—	
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970. A bill granting a pension to Louis E. Supernant—	
read twice and referred	46
971. A bill granting a pension to Henry Archdale, Sr.—	
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972. A bill granting a pension to Mary Lange—	
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973. A bill for the relief of Emma Susan McMurdo—	
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974. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Bryant—	
read twice and referred	46
975. A bill granting a pension to James C. Neff—	
read twice and referred	46
976. A bill granting a pension to Golda Stump Darr—	
read twice and referred	46
977. A bill to deprive persons hereafter naturalized under the laws of the United States of their citizenship upon commission of a felony, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	46
978. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to convey to the University of Oregon certain lands forming a part of the Coos Head River and Harbor Reservation—	
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979. A bill authorizing the appointment and retirement of Terrell W. Hill as a second lieutenant, United States Army—	
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980. A bill to provide for the selection of members of county and community committees under the Cotton Act of 1934—	
read twice and referred	46
981. A bill granting a pension to Harmon C. Harris—	
read twice and referred	46
982. A bill granting a pension to Dorothy G. Johnson—	
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983. A bill for the relief of Grady D. Coleman—	
read twice and referred	46
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considered, read the third time, and passed	234
984. A bill for the relief of the James River Bridge Corporation—	
read twice and referred	46
985. A bill for the relief of Hudson Bros., of Norfolk, Va.—	
read twice and referred	46
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 524)	280
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	310
passed the House with an amendment	590
Senate agrees to House amendment	606
examined and signed	620
presented	656
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986. A bill to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Emma A. Quillin—	
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987. A bill for the relief of Howard Lewter—	
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988. A bill to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Mary Cato—	
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989. A bill for the relief of James N. Hudson—	
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992. A bill for the relief of Albert Ralphaiel Anastasio—	
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993. A bill directing the Comptroller General to adjust the account between the United States and the State of Connecticut—	
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994. A bill to regulate sales in interstate commerce—	
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995. A bill to amend section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, and for other purposes—	
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996. A bill for the relief of the legal representatives of the estate of Henry H. Sibley, deceased—	
read twice and referred	49
997. A bill [to provide for the acquisition by the United States of Red Hill, the estate of Patrick Henry.] *to provide for the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, estate of Patrick Henry.*	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	555
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examined and signed	583
presented	584
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998. A bill to carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of George Lawley & Son Corporation, of Boston, Mass.—	
read twice and referred	49
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 217)	145
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	161
999. A bill for the relief of Judson B. Isbester—	
read twice and referred	49
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 105)	109
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
1000. A bill for the relief of Anton C. Miller—	
read twice and referred	49
1001. A bill for the relief of Frederick H. Pollman—	
read twice and referred	49
1002. A bill granting a pension to William H. Owen—	
read twice and referred	49
1003. A bill granting a pension to Mary Webb—	
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1004. A bill granting a pension to [Bessie] *Beesie* Kirkman—	
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reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1005. A bill granting a pension to Josephine Morton—	
read twice and referred	49
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1006. A bill granting a pension to Lottie Rumrill—	
read twice and referred	49
reported—(See bill H. R. 8425.)	
1007. A bill for the relief of Charles Murphy—	
read twice and referred	49
1008. A bill for the relief of the Fairmont Creamery, of Omaha, Nebr.—	
read twice and referred	49
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 205)	145
considered, read the third time, and passed	151
1009. A bill for the relief of George W. Baker—	
read twice and referred	49
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 96)	109
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	115
1010. A bill for the relief of Fred Edward Nordstrom—	
read twice and referred	49
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 735)	387
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1011. A bill granting a pension to Benjamin C. Reeve—	
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1012. A bill for the relief of Ed Symes and wife, Elizabeth Symes, and certain other citizens of the State of Texas—	
read twice and referred	49
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 201)	145
considered, read the third time, and passed	151
1013. A bill for the relief of Benjamin F. Hazlett—	
read twice and referred	49
1014. A bill granting a pension to Elizabeth Jane Catron Mills Young—	
read twice and referred	49
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1015. A bill to authorize the issuance of a special series of stamps commemorative of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Michigan into the Union—	
read twice and referred	49
1016. A bill to empower the health officer of the District of Columbia to authorize the opening of graves, and the disinterment and reinterment of dead bodies in cases where death has been caused by certain contagious diseases—	
read twice and referred	49
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considered, read the third time, and passed	147
1017. A bill for the relief of Jasper J. Hammer and Sarah A. Hammer—	
read twice and referred	49
1018. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes, approved March 4, 1913", and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	50
1019. A bill to define, regulate, and license real-estate brokers and real-estate salesmen; to create a Real Estate Commission in the District of Columbia; to protect the public against fraud in real-estate transactions, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	50
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	115
1020. A bill authorizing the Southern Ute and the Ute Mountain Bands of Ute Indians, located in Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico, to sue in the Court of Claims—	
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1021. A bill to provide for additional water supply for the Utah National Guard training camp on the Jordan Narrows Military Reservation—	
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1022. A bill authorizing the purchase of certain lands within the State of Utah—	
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1024. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Hampton & Branchville Railroad Co.—	
read twice and referred	50
reference changed	96
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 303)	179
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
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Senate agrees to House amendments	582
examined and signed	588
presented	591
approved [Private Law No. 216]	621
1025. A bill granting a pension to Martha E. Burrell—	
read twice and referred	50
1026. A bill granting a pension to Mary Lee Pryor—	
read twice and referred	50
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1027. A bill for the relief of Dr. R. N. Harwood—	
read twice and referred	50
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	410
examined and signed	412
presented	415
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1028. A bill for the relief of Drew N. Keever—	
read twice and referred	50
1029. A bill for the relief of John J. Tatum—	
read twice and referred	50
1030. A bill for the relief of the Mutual Savings & Loan Association, Wilmington, Del.—	
read twice and referred	50
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1031. A bill granting a pension to Silman G. Brogan—	
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1032. A bill for the relief of Lula E. Simmons—	
read twice and referred	50
1033. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to investigate and sue for recovery of refunds of income taxes unlawfully paid or allowed—	
read twice and referred	50
1034. A bill to encourage and revive export trade in agricultural products of the United States—	
read twice and referred	50
1035. A bill granting a pension to Ann E. Rickards—	
read twice and referred	50
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1036. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Dr. George W. Ritchey—	
read twice and referred	50
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 145)	135
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	516
examined and signed	517
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 153]	545
1037. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claims of Sanford A. McAlister and Eliza L. McAlister—	
read twice and referred	50
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 224)	149
1037—Continued.	
considered, read the third time, and passed	160
passed the House	328
examined and signed	330
presented	333
approved [Private Law No. 42]	361
1038. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Elda Geer—	
read twice and referred	50
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 225)	150
considered, read the third time, and passed	160
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examined and signed	412
presented	415
approved [Private Law No. 67]	440
1039. A bill authorizing the adjustment of the claim of the West India Oil Co.—	
read twice and referred	50
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considered, read the third time, and passed	147
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examined and signed	330
presented	333
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1040. A bill for the relief of George W. Miller—	
read twice and referred	50
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 669)	375
considered, read the third time, and passed	390
1041. A bill for the relief of Cohen, Goldman & Co., Inc.—	
read twice and referred	50
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 269)	167
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	233
1042. A bill for the relief of J. R. Collie and Eleanor Y. Collie—	
read twice and referred	50
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1077)	515
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	552
1043. A bill to provide for the settlement of claims against the United States on account of property damage, personal injury, or death—	
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1044. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Public Service Coordinated Transport of Newark, N. J.—	
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1045. A bill for the relief of A. Cyril Crilley—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	390
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examined and signed	600
presented	603
approved [Private Law No. 243]	669
1046. A bill for the relief of E. Jeanmonod—	
read twice and referred	50
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 670)	375
considered, read the third time, and passed	390
passed the House with an amendment	590
Senate agrees to House amendment	606
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presented	656
approved [Private Law No. 244]	669
1047. A bill authorizing the adjustment of the claim of the Moffat Coal Co.—	
read twice and referred	50
1048. A bill for the relief of Robert J. Enochs—	
read twice and referred	50
1049. A bill for the relief of L. E. Baumgarten—	
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1051. A bill for the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.—	
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1053. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad Co.—	
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1055. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Frank Spector—	
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1057. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.—	
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1059. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of Francis B. Kennedy—	
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1060. A bill authorizing adjustment of the claim of the Adelphia Bank & Trust Co.—	
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1063. A bill for the relief of Charles L. Graves—	
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1083. A bill for the relief of Cecil M. Autrey—	
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1088. A bill for the relief of J. H. Bowling—	
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1159. A bill granting an increase of pension to Achsah E. Purinton—
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1160. A bill granting a pension to Benjamin F. Howatt—
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1190. A bill to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in petroleum and its products by prohibiting the shipment in such commerce of petroleum and its products produced in violation of State law, and for other purposes—	
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1229. A bill granting a pension to Juriah Hyden—	
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1299. A bill for the relief of the First State Bank & Trust Co., of Mission, Tex.—	
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1308. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Cairo, Ill.—
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 81) — 105
considered, read the third time, and passed — 114
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1309. A bill to amend section 114 of the Judicial Code to provide for terms of District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be held at Wausau, Wis., and for other purposes—
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1310. A bill to amend the Emergency Relief and Construction Act of 1932—
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1312. A bill granting an increase of pension to Francis H. Kearney—
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1313. A bill providing for waiver of prosecution by indictment in certain criminal proceedings—
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1314. A bill to make the husband or wife of accused a competent witness in all criminal prosecutions—
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1315. A bill relating to the powers and duties of United States marshals—
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1316. A bill to amend section 724 of the Revised Statutes—
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1317. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem, Miami, Kilchis, Wilson, Trask, and Tillamook Rivers, in Tillamook County, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods—
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1318. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to adjust irrigation charges on projects on Indian reservations, and for other purposes—
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1319. A bill to provide for the storage for diversion of the waters of the North Platte River and construction of the Saratoga reclamation project—
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1320. A bill granting an honorable discharge to Edward Barrett—
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1321. A bill authorizing the conveyance of the old post-office building at Caspar, Wyo., to the county commissioners of Natrona County, Wyo.—
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1322. A bill granting an honorable discharge to Willard Heath Mitchell—
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1323. A bill to authorize the appointment of First Sgt. Lyle E. White as a warrant officer, United States Army—
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1324. A bill granting a pension to Roy Wilcox—
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1325. A bill for the relief of Dino Carbonell—
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed — 147
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1326. A bill for the relief of Robert A. Dunham—
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1327. A bill for the relief of William Ropes—
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1328. A bill for the relief of the Snare & Triest Co., now Frederick Snare Corporation—
read twice and referred — 65
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 186) — 139
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1329. A bill to provide for the addition or additions of certain lands to the Colonial National Monument in the State of Virginia—
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1331. A bill for the relief of Burt E. Stewart—
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1332. A bill to provide for the promotion, regulation, and control by a Federal commission of all phases of civil aeronautics, and for other purposes—
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1333. A bill permitting the deduction for income-tax purposes of certain deposits in closed banks on December 31, 1934—
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1334. A bill to amend the Grain Futures Act to prevent and remove obstructions and burdens upon interstate commerce in grains and other commodities by regulating transactions therein on commodity futures exchanges, by providing means for limiting short selling and speculation in such commodities on such exchanges, by licensing commission merchants dealing in such commodities for future delivery on such exchanges, and for other purposes—
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1335. A bill to amend section 202 of the Communications Act of 1934—
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1336. A bill to amend paragraph (f) of section 4 of the Communications Act of 1934—
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1337. A bill granting a pension to Mary R. Gardner—
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1338. A bill extending the obligation of bonds of contractors for public buildings to include premiums for insurance—
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1339. A bill to establish the Pipestone Indian Shrine in the State of Minnesota—
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1340. A bill to regulate barbers in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes—
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1341. A bill to authorize the transfer of certain real estate by the Secretary of the Treasury to C. F. Colvin in settlement of the Northfield (Minn.) post-office site litigation, and for other purposes—
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1342. A bill [to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn.] *to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act granting the consent of Congress to board of county commissioners of Itasca County, Minn., to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the road between the villages of Cohasset and Deer River, Minn."*—
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1343. A bill providing for payment of $50 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of Minnesota from the funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States—
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1344. A bill to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, with respect to farm prices—
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1345. A bill for the relief of Lawrence P. Morris—
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1346. A bill for the relief of Arthur P. Foster—
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1347. A bill for the relief of Robert J. Smith, *alias William McClocklin*—
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1348. A bill for the relief of James Darcy, *alias James Hurley*—
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1349. A bill granting a pension to Matilda Davison—
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1350. A bill granting a pension to Iva B. Erickson—
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1351. A bill granting a pension to Mabel Kenney—
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1360. A bill for the relief of Teresa de Prevost—
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1364. A bill for the relief of Howland & Waltz Co., Ltd.—	
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1373. A bill for the relief of the heirs of John Booren, deceased—	
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1377. A bill granting a pension to Maud King Priest—	
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1378. A bill authorizing the construction of a dam on the San Pedro River, Ariz.—	
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1385. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Lindian J. Swaim—	
read twice and referred	68
1386. A bill [for the relief of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, husband and wife, both of McKinley Park, Alaska] *to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim, or claims of Duke E. Stubbs and Elizabeth S. Stubbs, both of McKinley Park, Alaska*—	
read twice and referred	68
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 263)	167
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed: title amended	187
passed the House	410
examined and signed	412
presented	415
approved [Private Law No. 81]	443
1387. A bill granting compensation to Philip R. Roby—	
read twice and referred	68
1388. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase the building in Boston, Mass., under lease for garage purposes to the Post Office Department—	
read twice and referred	68

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1389. A bill to amend section 7, title 1, of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (Public, No. 10, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 31 (1933), 7 U. S. C., art. 601 et seq. as amended by sec. 221 of the National Industrial Recovery Act, Public, No. 67, 73d Cong., 48 Stat. 210, 15 U. S. C., art. 607), so as to eliminate from said section as amended the limitation of time allowed to the Secretary of Agriculture for disposing of all cotton held by him, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	68
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 775)	401
considered and postponed indefinitely	625
1390. A bill for the relief of Harry L. Reaves—	
read twice and referred	68
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 113)	117
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
1391. A bill for the relief of William Lyons—	
read twice and referred	70
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 190)	144
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	151
passed the House	244
examined and signed	245
presented	248
approved [Private Law No. 15]	269
1392. A bill conferring upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, southern division, jurisdiction of the claim of Minnie C. de Back against the Alaska Railroad—	
read twice and referred	70
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 221)	149
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	161
passed the House	442
examined and signed	448
presented	452
approved [Private Law No. 107]	475
1393. A bill for the relief of Florence Sullivan—	
read twice and referred	70
1394. A bill granting a pension to Lottie A. Torrance—	
read twice and referred	70
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1395. A bill granting a pension to John N. Aull—	
read twice and referred	70
1396. A bill granting a pension to Clara V. Crossland—	
read twice and referred	70
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1397. A bill granting a pension to John T. Wilson—	
read twice and referred	70
1398. A bill to reserve certain lands on the public domain in California and Nevada for the use and benefit of Indians of the Fort Mohave Reservation—	
read twice and referred	70
1399. A bill for the relief of Fanny M. Crosby—	
read twice and referred	70
1400. A bill to extend the provisions of the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 to the Tombigbee River and Bear Creek Basins—	
read twice and referred	70
1401. A bill to provide for needy blind persons of the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	70
1402. A bill providing payment to employees, Bureau of Reclamation, for mileage traveled in privately owned automobiles—	
read twice and referred	70
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 389)	232
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	259
1403. A bill granting a pension to Joseph F. Haynes—	
read twice and referred	70
reported—(See bill H. R. 8425.)	
1404. A bill to promote the efficiency of national defense—	
read twice and referred	70
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 115)	125
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	258
passed the House with amendment	561
Senate agrees to House amendment	562
examined and signed	563
presented	565
approved [Public Law No. 225]	570
1405. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of a national employment system and for cooperation with the States in the promotion of such system, and for other purposes", approved June 6, 1933—	
read twice and referred	70
1406. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Grand Traverse Bay, Mich.—	
read twice and referred	70
1407. A bill to authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Bete Grise Bay, Mich.—	
read twice and referred	70
1408. A bill for the relief of Ludwig Baer—	
read twice and referred	70
1409. A bill for the relief of the General Baking Co.—	
read twice and referred	70
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 804)	413
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	425
passed the House with an amendment	590
Senate agrees to House amendment	593
examined and signed	600
presented	603
approved [Private Law No. 248]	669
1410. A bill for the relief of Thomas G. Carlin—	
read twice and referred	70
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 297)	178
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	442
examined and signed	449
presented	452
returned without approval	490
1411. A bill for the relief of Harry Stanbrough Monell, formerly chairman War Department Claims Board Transportation Service—	
read twice and referred	70
1412. A bill granting a pension to Katherine J. Daly—	
read twice and referred	70
1413. A bill for the relief of Ross L. Steward—	
read twice and referred	70
1414. A bill for the relief of the rightful heir of Joseph Gayton—	
read twice and referred	70
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 321)	186
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	328
examined and signed	330
presented	333
approved [Private Law No. 47]	361
1415. A bill granting a pension to Anna McNamara—	
read twice and referred	70
1416. A bill authorizing conveyance to the city of Binghamton, N. Y., of title to site and building of the present Federal building in that city, located on Wall Street—	
read twice and referred	70
1417. A bill to stabilize the bituminous coal mining industry and promote its interstate commerce; to provide for cooperative marketing of bituminous coal; to levy a tax on bituminous coal and provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to declare the production, distribution, and use of bituminous coal to	

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read twice and referred	70
1418. A bill to amend sections 210 and 602 (b) of the Communications Act of 1934—	
read twice and referred	71
1419. A bill for the relief of George S. Geer—	
read twice and referred	71
1420. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto—	
read twice and referred	71
1421. A bill to amend subsection (a) of section 313 of the Tariff Act of 1930—	
read twice and referred	71
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 1123)	522
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	560
1422. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of William E. B. Grant—	
read twice and referred	71
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1095)	521
considered, read the third time, and passed	560
1423. A bill for the relief of Elizabeth Duke—	
read twice and referred	71
1424. A bill to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921—	
read twice and referred	71
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1387)	635
1425. A bill to amend section 80 of chapter 9 of an act to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898—	
read twice and referred	71
reported without amendment	117
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
1426. A bill providing for the appointment of Harry T. Herring, formerly a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army, as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Army and his retirement in that grade—	
read twice and referred	71
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 431)	254
considered, read the third time, and passed	311
preamble agreed to	311
passed the House	582
examined and signed	588
presented	591
returned without approval	673
1427. A bill for the relief of Lyman I. Collins—	
read twice and referred	72
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 111)	117
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
1428. A bill granting a pension to Homer Lenhart—	
read twice and referred	72
1429. A bill granting a pension to Samuel Johnson—	
read twice and referred	72
1430. A bill for the relief of Harry T. Livaudais—	
read twice and referred	72
1431. A bill for the relief of the Collier Manufacturing Co., of Barnesville, Ga.—	
read twice and referred	72
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 276)	171
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
1432. A bill to amend section 5 of the act of March 2, 1919, generally known as the "War Minerals Relief Statutes"—	
read twice and referred	72
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 249)	164
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
1433. A bill to authorize the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to aid in the operation and maintenance of institutions for religious instruction and worship, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	72
1434. A bill to amend the act of March 4, 1933, relating to the regulation of banking in the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	72
1435. A bill for the relief of Elizabeth Kurau—	
read twice and referred	72
1436. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Pease, Jr.—	
read twice and referred	72
1437. A bill granting a pension to Mary P. Champion—	
read twice and referred	72
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1438. A bill granting a pension to Alton Lathrop—	
read twice and referred	72
1439. A bill amending the postal laws to include as second-class matter religious periodicals publishing local information—	
read twice and referred	72
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 462)	263
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	356
amendments reconsidered and disagreed to	357
amendment to title disagreed to	357
passed the House	582
examined and signed	587
presented	591
returned without approval	667
1440. A bill [to enroll on the citizenship rolls certain persons of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations or Tribes] *to enroll certain persons on the final citizenship rolls of the Mississippi Choctaw Indians*—	
read twice and referred	72
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 852)	428
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	625
1441. A bill for the settlement by the Secretary of the Interior of certain claims for services rendered to the Mississippi Choctaw Indians—	
read twice and referred	72
1442. A bill to create an executive department of the Government to be known as the "Department of Peace."	
read twice and referred	72
1443. A bill [granting the Distinguished Service Cross, also the Oak Leaf Cluster, to Acors Rathbun Thompson] *to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to Acors Rathbun Thompson, formerly private, Sixty-sixth Company, First Battalion, Fifth Marines, Second Division, American Expeditionary Forces*—	
read twice and referred	72
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1415)	658
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	683

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1444. A bill amending section 5D of the Reconstruction Finance Act, as amended, relating to advances to industrial and commercial business—	
read twice and referred	72
1445. A bill to terminate the special excise tax imposed by section 701 of the Revenue Act of 1926—	
read twice and referred	72
1446. A bill for the relief of Knud O. Flakne—	
read twice and referred	72
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 448)	262
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	273
passed the House	516
examined and signed	518
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 143]	544
1447. A bill for the relief of Mary C. Moran—	
read twice and referred	72
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 449)	262
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	273
passed the House	516
examined and signed	518
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 144]	544
1448. A bill for the relief of certain claimants who suffered loss by fire in the State of Minnesota during October 1918—	
read twice and referred	72
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 663)	375
considered, read the third time, and passed	426
passed the House	673
examined and signed	680
presented	689
approved [Private Law No. 336]	737
1449. A bill for the relief of Frank G. Babcock—	
read twice and referred	72
1450. A bill to authorize the sale and conveyance by the Department of the Interior to C. M. Hanson, of Bricelyn, Minn., or his heirs, successors, or assigns, of approximately 1¾ acres of lot 2, section 33, township 43 north, range 27 west, in the county of Mille Lacs, Minn.—	
read twice and referred	73
1451. A bill to provide for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by water carriers operating between points in the United States in interstate commerce, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	73
1452. A bill providing for the employment of skilled shorthand reporters in the executive branch of the Government—	
read twice and referred	73
reported without amendment	201
1453. A bill to create a board of shorthand reporting, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	73
reported without amendment	201
considered, read the third time, and failed to pass	390
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vote ordering engrossment and third reading of the bill was reconsidered; amended, read the third time, and passed	427
1454. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish [bronze] *certain* markers for certain graves—	
read twice and referred	74
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 586)	321
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	357
title amended	357
1455. A bill granting a pension to Hannah Collins—	
read twice and referred	74
1456. A bill to compensate the heirs of James Taylor, a deceased Cherokee Indian, for all their title, interest, or claim to certain lands in the State of North Carolina now held by the United States as a part of the forest reserve, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	74
reference changed	201
1457. A bill granting a pension to Jack E. Teele—	
read twice and referred	74
1458. A bill to empower the Government to write into the specifications and contracts the compensation to be paid to laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on public works of the United States and of the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	74
1459. A bill for the relief of Ralph Adams Cram, Lydia B. Kimball, executrix under the last will and testament of Bertram G. Goodhue, deceased, and Donald G. Ferguson, administrator of the estate of Frank W. Ferguson, deceased—	
read twice and referred	74
1460. A bill to fix standards for till baskets, Climax baskets, round-stave baskets, market baskets, drums, hampers, cartons, crates, boxes, barrels, and other containers for fruits or vegetables, to consolidate existing laws on this subject, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	75
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 486)	271
1461. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay subcontractors for material and labor furnished in the construction of Government buildings at Fort Myer, Va.—	
read twice and referred	75
1462. A bill for the relief of the Butler Lumber Co., Inc., Richmond, Va.—	
read twice and referred	75
1463. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on certain claims of Norfolk Southern Railroad Co.—	
read twice and referred	75
1464. A bill for the relief of Frank P. Hoyt—	
read twice and referred	75
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 1291)	604
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	626
1465. A bill to create an Indian Claims Court for the immediate settlement of Indian tribal and band claims, defining the powers and functions thereof, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	75
1466. A bill to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	75
1467. A bill granting a pension to Berger H. Shorey—	
read twice and referred	75
1468. A bill for the relief of Charles Augustus Lathrop—	
read twice and referred	75
reference changed	154
1469. A bill to transfer certain lands from the Veterans' Administration to the Department of the Interior for the benefit of Yavapai Indians, Arizona—	
read twice and referred	75
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 397)	237
considered, read the third time, and passed	258
passed the House	406
examined and signed	411
presented	415
approved [Public Law No. 117]	440

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1470. A bill to provide a preliminary examination [and survey] of Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods—	
read twice and referred	77
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 505)	277
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	311
1471. A bill to authorize a transfer of forest reservation lands in Forest and Perry Counties, Miss., to the State of Mississippi or to the War Department, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	77
1472. A bill for the relief of the First Camden National Bank & Trust Co., of Camden, N. J.—	
read twice and referred	77
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 218)	145
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	161
1473. A bill directing the Secretary of State not to enter into any reciprocal trade agreements or understandings with any nation engaging in religious or racial persecution—	
read twice and referred	77
1474. A bill for the relief of Paul H. Creswell—	
read twice and referred	77
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 178)	138
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House with amendments	410
Senate agrees to House amendments	416
examined and signed	418
presented	422
approved [Private Law No. 75]	441
1475. A bill for the relief of H. A. Taylor—	
read twice and referred	77
1476. A bill to provide for unemployment relief through development of mineral resources; to assist the development of privately owned mineral claims; to provide for the development of emergency and deficiency minerals; and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	77
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 320)	184
recommitted	283
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 581)	321
1477. A bill to authorize the use of public lands for camp sites, refining works, and other purposes in connection with mineral permits and leases—	
read twice and referred	77
1478. A bill validating certain applications for and entries of public lands, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	77
1479. A bill to amend an act of Congress approved June 13, 1933 (48 Stat. 139), entitled "An act to extend the mining laws of the United States to the Death Valley Monument in California"—	
read twice and referred	77
1480. A bill to authorize the addition of certain lands to the Wenatchee National Forest—	
read twice and referred	78
1481. A bill granting an annuity to John O. Jones—	
read twice and referred	78
1482. A bill extending the provisions of an act entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes', approved May 22, 1920, and acts in amendment thereof", to John E. Gilmore—	
read twice and referred	78
1483. A bill for the relief of William E. Williams—	
read twice and referred	78
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 1136)	529
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	560
passed the House	679
examined and signed	689
presented	695
approved [Private Law No. 298]	734
1484. A bill for the relief of Leo Yates—	
read twice and referred	78
1485. A bill for the relief of C. H. Reynolds, assignee of the Bitu-Mass Paving Co., of Spokane, Wash.—	
read twice and referred	78
1486. A bill for the relief of William Smith—	
read twice and referred	78
1487. A bill for the relief of Mick C. Cooper—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 179)	138
considered, read the third time, and passed	147
passed the House	410
examined and signed	412
presented	415
approved [Private Law No. 76]	440
1488. A bill granting a pension to Rose Bingman—	
read twice and referred	78
1489. A bill granting a pension to Florence A. Gilbert—	
read twice and referred	78
1490. A bill for the relief of Earl A. Ross—	
read twice and referred	78
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 723)	386
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	424
1491. A bill to direct the distribution of the interest and principal of the permanent fund of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota in accordance with the true purpose and intent of the agreements made pursuant to the act of January 14, 1889—	
read twice and referred	78
1492. A bill to compensate the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota for lands set aside by treaties for their future homes and later patented to the State of Minnesota under the Swamp Land Act—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 428)	249
considered, read the third time, and passed	357
1493. A bill providing for payment of $50 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of Minnesota from the funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States—	
read twice and referred	78
1494. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota to submit claims to the Court of Claims", approved May 14, 1926 (44 Stat. L. 555).	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 346)	204
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
1495. A bill authorizing the President to order Donald O. Miller before a retiring board for a hearing of his case and upon the findings of such board determine whether or not he be placed on the retired list with the rank and pay held by him at the time of his separation—	
read twice and referred	78
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 537)	283
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	310

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1496. A bill authorizing transportation allowances for families of enlisted men below grade 3 who have been ordered to foreign service—	
read twice and referred	78
1497. A bill to authorize the appointment of First Lt. Claude W. Shelton, retired, to the grade of captain, retired, in the United States Army—	
read twice and referred	78
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 545)	288
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	310
passed the House	589
examined and signed	600
presented	603
returned without approval	691
1498. A bill for the relief of Robert D. Baldwin—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 313)	184
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	516
examined and signed	518
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 145]	544
1499. A bill for the relief of Robert J. Enochs—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 314)	184
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	516
examined and signed	518
presented	518
approved [Private Law No. 146]	544
1500. A bill for the relief of L. E. Baumgarten—	
read twice and referred	78
1501. A bill for the relief of C. B. Dickinson—	
read twice and referred	78
1502. A bill for the relief of Charles L. Graves—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 315)	184
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	328
examined and signed	330
presented	333
approved [Private Law No. 48]	361
1503. A bill for the relief of Chester Johnson—	
read twice and referred	78
1504. A bill authorizing the Arapahoe and Cheyenne Indians to submit claims to the Court of Claims, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	78
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 465)	263
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	356
1505. A bill for the relief of William Edward Tidwell—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 525)	280
considered, read the third time, and passed	310
1506. A bill to change the name of the Pickwick Landing Dam to Quin Dam—	
read twice and referred	78
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 125)	128
1507. A bill granting a pension to Ida Lott—	
read twice and referred	78
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1508. A bill granting an increase of pension to Sarah J. Lake—	
read twice and referred	78
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1509. A bill granting a pension to Annie Hankal—	
read twice and referred	78
1510. A bill granting a pension to Charles H. Culbert—	
read twice and referred	78
1511. A bill granting a pension to William Lowrance—	
read twice and referred	78
1512. A bill for the relief of Celeste C. Anderson—	
read twice and referred	78
1513. A bill to add certain lands to the Siskiyou National Forest in the State of Oregon—	
read twice and referred	80
reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 357)	211
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	233
passed the House	406
examined and signed	411
presented	415
approved [Public Law No. 131]	441
1514. A bill for the relief of the Columbia Boat & Barge System, Inc.—	
read twice and referred	80
1515. A bill for the relief of George Rodiek—	
read twice and referred	80
1516. A bill granting a pension to Martha C. Smith—	
read twice and referred	80
reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
1517. A bill for the improvement and protection of the beaches along the shores of the United States—	
read twice and referred	80
1518. A bill to establish a 6-hour day for employees of carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	80
1519. A bill permitting the laying of pipe lines across New York Avenue NE., in the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 91)	105
considered, read the third time, and passed	114
1520. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Dagenett—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 316)	184
considered, read the third time, and passed	234
passed the House	244
examined and signed	245
presented	248
approved [Private Law No. 19]	269
1521. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Harlem School District No. 12, Blaine County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings and equipment to be available for Indian children—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 648)	366
postponed indefinitely	391
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1522. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with public-school districts in Glacier County, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 420)	247
considered, read the third time, and passed	272
passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
approved [Public Law No. 103]	440
1523. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Wolf Point, Mont., in the construction or improvement of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 489)	271
considered, read the third time, and passed	357

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passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
approved [Public Law No. 104]	440
1524. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 28, Polson, Mont., in the improvement and extension of school buildings to be available to both Indian and white children—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 421)	247
considered, read the third time, and passed	272
passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
approved [Public Law No. 105]	440
1525. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Joint School District No. 28, Lake and Missoula Counties, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Flathead Indian Reservation—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 422)	247
considered, read the third time, and passed	272
passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
approved [Public Law No. 106]	440
1526. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Brockton, Mont., in the extension of the public-school building at that place to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 423)	247
considered, read the third time, and passed	272
passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
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1527. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 17–H, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children—	
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1528. A bill for expenditure of funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Poplar, Mont., in the construction or improvement of public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont.—	
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passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
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1529. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with School District No. 27, Big Horn County, Mont., for extension of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 732)	387
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passed the House	385
examined and signed	389
presented	395
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1531. A bill [to credit the Fort Belknap Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Fort Belknap Reservation, Mont.] *to credit certain Indian tribes with sums heretofore expended from tribal funds on Indian irrigation works*—	
read twice and referred	80
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1532. A bill to credit the Crow Indian tribal funds with certain amounts heretofore expended from tribal funds on irrigation works of the Crow Reservation, Mont.—	
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1533. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with Marysville School District No. 25, Snohomish County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children—	
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1534. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the school board at Queets, Wash., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the village of Queets, Jefferson County, Wash.—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 474)	267
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1535. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with White Swan School District No. 88, Yakima County, Wash., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children of the Yakima Reservation—	
read twice and referred	80
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1536. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public-school board at Covelo, Calif., in the construction of public-school buildings to be available to Indian children of the Round Valley Reservation, Calif.—	
read twice and referred	80
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 430)	249
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1546. A bill granting a pension to Rue S. Jackson—	
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1547. A bill for the relief of Arthur Richter—	
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1548. A bill for the relief of Douglas B. Espy—	
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1550. A bill for the relief of Frank R. Carpenter, alias Frank R. Carvin—	
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1696. A bill for the relief of Mary Sky Necklace—	
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1697. A bill providing old-age pensions for Indian citizens of the United States—	
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1698. A bill to amend section 61 (relating to deposits of bankrupt estates) of the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898—	
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1699. A bill to amend section 28 of the act of May 25, 1918 (relating to deposits of tribal or individual Indian funds)—	
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1703. A bill granting a pension to Jennie Claymore—	
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1704. A bill granting a pension to Richard Payne—	
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1705. A bill granting a pension to James E. Rush—	
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1706. A bill granting a pension to Daniel R. McKay—	
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1707. A bill granting an increase of pension to Amos Red Owl—	
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1708. A bill granting a pension to Harriet V. Carson—	
read twice and referred	97
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1709. A bill granting a pension to Margaret E. Lackey—	
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1710. A bill granting a pension to Henry Pratt—	
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1711. A bill granting a pension to William Lyons—	
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1712. A bill to amend section 4878 of the United States Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to burials in national cemeteries—	
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1713. A bill to further amend section 6, act of March 4, 1923, so as to make better provision for the recovery and disposition of bodies of members of the civilian components of the Army who die in line of duty, and for other purposes—	
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1714. A bill to extend the classified civil service to postmasterships of the first, second, and third classes, and for other purposes—	
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1715. A bill to provide for the sound, effective, and uninterrupted operation of the banking system, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	97
1716. A bill to provide further for the national security and defense, and for the purpose of assisting in the prosecution of war, to provide for the creation of a Capital Issues Committee, to define its powers and duties, and for other purposes—	
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1717. A bill to provide further for the national security and defense by making available to the President, during the present national emergency, material resources of the Nation, and for other purposes—	
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1718. A bill to authorize the acquisition by the United States of private property of any and all kinds, real, personal, and mixed, needed for the national security and defense, or	

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1720. A bill to provide further for the national defense by controlling exports from the United States, imports into the United States, and trading with the enemy—	
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1721. A bill to provide further for the national security and defense—	
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1723. A bill to authorize payment to the Sac and Fox (of Missouri) Tribe of Indians of certain tribal funds to their credit in the United States Treasury, and for other purposes—	
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1725. A bill to provide for the control and elimination of public-utility holding companies operating, or marketing securities, in interstate and foreign commerce and through the mails, to regulate the transmission and sale of electric energy in interstate commerce, to amend the Federal Water Power Act, and for other purposes—	
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1727. A bill to amend the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 27, 1934—	
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1728. A bill for the relief of George T. Easton—	
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1729. A bill to legalize a bridge known as "Union Street Bridge" across the Dan River at Danville, Va.—	
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1730. A bill for the relief of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co.—	
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1737. A bill to prohibit experiments upon living dogs in the District of Columbia and providing a penalty for violation thereof—	
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1739. A bill granting a pension to Charles H. Carpenter—	
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1744. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary C. Booth—	
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1745. A bill granting a pension to Mattie Gilbertson—	
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1749. A bill granting a pension to Emily S. Marlett—	
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1750. A bill granting an increase of pension to Louisa J. Rubendall—	
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1751. A bill granting a pension to Harriett Warne—	
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1763. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to adjust the compensation of certain employees in the Customs Service", approved May 29, 1928, as amended by the act of December 12, 1930—	
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1765. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of certain lighthouse reservations, and for other purposes—	
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1766. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce to exchange a portion of the naval station and a portion of the lighthouse reservation at Key West, Fla.—	
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1767. A bill to amend section 751 of subchapter XII of the Code of the District of Columbia—	
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1768. A bill for the payment of the claims of citizens of the United States against the Republic of Mexico—	
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1771. A bill to provide additional home-mortgage relief, to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and the National Housing Act, and for other purposes—	
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1772. A bill to amend an act entitled "An Act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended—	
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1779. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of the Pamlico Timber Corporation against the United States—	
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1780. A bill to provide for the inclusion of Warner Hall, Gloucester County, Va., in the Colonial National Monument, Va., and for other purposes—	
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1781. A bill for the relief of George Voeltz—	
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1782. A bill granting a pension to Mabel Forrer—	
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1791. A bill for the relief of Maurice J. O'Leary—	
read twice and referred	109
1792. A bill granting a pension to Walter George Niskern—	
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1793. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring suit in the Court of Claims on behalf of the Indians of California", approved May 18, 1928 ([43] *45* Stat. L. 602)—	
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1794. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925—	
read twice and referred	110
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1795. A bill to effectuate certain provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at The Hague on November 6, 1925—	
read twice and referred	110
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1796. A bill authorizing negotiations and providing for the construction, maintenance, and operation of an interoceanic canal over Nicaraguan territory, and for other purposes—	
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1800. A bill to create the Farm Tenant Homes Corporation, to promote more secure occupancy of farms and farm homes, to correct the economic instability resulting from some present forms of farm tenancy, and for other purposes—	
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1801. A bill to provide for aviation cadets in the Naval Reserve—	
read twice and referred	110
1802. A bill to correct the naval record of John Edward Anderson—	
read twice and referred	110
1803. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to pay certain expenses incident to the training, attendance, and participation of the equestrian and modern pentathlon teams in the Eleventh Olympic Games—	
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1804. A bill granting a pension to Howard Williams—	
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1805. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto—	
read twice and referred	110
1806. A bill to amend the act of March 3, 1927, amending section 1 of the act of May 26, 1926, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6, 8, and 18 of an act approved June 4, 1920, entitled 'An act to provide for the allotment of lands of the Crow Tribe, for the distribution of tribal funds, and for other purposes'"—	
read twice and referred	110
1807. A bill to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes—	
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1810. A bill to extend the benefits of the Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, to Robert Judson McGarry—	
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1811. A bill providing for the publication of statistics relating to spirits of turpentine and rosin—	
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1813. A bill to amend section 3 of the Interstate Commerce Act—	
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1814. A bill to authorize the creation of an Indian village within the Shoalwater Indian Reservation, Wash., and for other purposes—	
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1815. A bill to require certain documents of vessels not wholly owned by citizens of the United States and navigated in the territorial waters of the United States, its Territories, or its possessions, to regulate vessels engaged in the fisheries, and for other purposes—	
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1816. A bill to amend the Liquor Taxing Act of 1934, approved January 11, 1934, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto—	
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1817. A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and render judgment on the claim of Squaw Island Freight Terminal Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., against the United States in respect of loss of property occasioned by the breaking of a Government dike on Squaw Island—	
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1818. A bill for the relief of Julia M. Holland—	
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1819. A bill to aid in the perfection of the national defense—	
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1820. A bill to provide warrant officers of the Coast Guard parity of promotion with warrant officers of the Navy—	
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1821. A bill for the relief of Frank White and others—	
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1822. A bill authorizing the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska to bring suit in the United States Court of Claims, and conferring jurisdiction upon said court to hear, examine, adjudicate, and enter judgment upon any and all claims which said Indians may have, or claim to have, against the United States, and for other purposes—	
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1823. A bill to correct the naval record of Willard A. Freeman—	
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1826. A bill for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service to include employees in the legislative branch—	
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1827. A bill for the relief of Lucille McClure—	
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1828. A bill for the relief of Mrs. Frank G. Sanford—	
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1829. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claims arising from the use by the Postal Service of the United States of a combined postmarking and stamp-canceling device, generally known and referred to as the Norton device or stamp, and more particularly described in United States letters patents issued to Marcus P. Norton, nos. 25036, 37175, and 38175; and to award compensation therefor—	
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1832. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide by agreement with Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, a subdivision of the State of New Mexico, for maintenance and operation on newly reclaimed Pueblo Indian lands in the Río Grande Valley, N. Mex., reclaimed under previous act of Congress, and authorizing an annual appropriation to pay the cost thereof for a period of not to exceed 5 years—	
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1833. A bill for the relief of W. L. Horn—	
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1834. A bill authorizing loans by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to publicly and privately controlled colleges, universities, and other institutions of higher learning, and for other purposes—	
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1835. A bill for the relief of the legal representatives of John T. Brickwood, deceased, Edward Gaynor, Theodore Gebler, Lee W. Mix, Arthur L. Peck, Thomas D. Casanega, Joseph de Lusignan, and Joseph H. Berger—	
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1836. A bill for the relief of Emma S. Fletcher—	
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1837. A bill for the relief of W. W. Cook—	
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1838. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes—	
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1839. A bill amending section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act of 1916, and section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933—	
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1840. A bill authorizing the President of the United States to present in the name of Congress a medal of honor to Maj. Gen. Adolphus Washington Greely—	
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1841. A bill to provide medical services after retirement on annuity to former employees of the United States disabled by injuries sustained in the performance of their duties—	
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1843. A bill [to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to George J. Frank] *to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to George J. Frank, formerly a bugler, Company K, Thirtieth Regiment United States Infantry, in the World War*—	
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1847. A bill to amend Public Law No. 169, Seventy-third Congress, commonly known as the "Bankhead Act", to permit farmers producing three bales of cotton or less to sell same tax free, and for other purposes—	
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1848. A bill for the relief of Joseph E. Myers—	
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1849. A bill to amend the act of June 27, 1934, known as the "National Housing Act"—	
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1850. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to recognize the high public service rendered by Maj. Walter Reed and those associated with him in the discovery of the cause and means of transmission of yellow fever", approved February 28, 1929, as amended, by including Roger P. Ames among those honored by said act—	

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1855. A bill to revive and reenact the act entitled "An act authorizing H. C. Brenner Realty & Finance Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near a point between Cherokee and Osage Streets, St. Louis, Mo.", approved February 13, 1931—	
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1856. A bill for the relief of Arthur Smith—	
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1859. A bill granting a pension to Effie Howard—	
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1860. A bill for the relief of the Tampa Marine Co.—	
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1861. A bill to incorporate the National Association of State Libraries—	
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1863. A bill for the relief of Trifune Korac—	
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1864. A bill for the relief of the State of Nebraska—	
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1865. A bill [to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of W. S. O'Brien against the United States] *for the relief of W. S. O'Brien*—	
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1866. A bill for the relief of Claudia F. Banks and Edna B. Towner—	
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1867. A bill for the relief of Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown—	
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1868. A bill for the relief of Hugh F. Elliott—	
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1869. A bill establishing the Bank of the United States, owned, operated, and controlled by the Government of the United States; defining the scope and manner of its operation; defining the powers and duties of the persons charged with its management; creating a board of directors; and for other purposes—	
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1870. A bill authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to certain portions of the National Park Service Reservation of Fort Marion in the city of St. Augustine, Fla.—	
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1871. A bill granting certain public lands to the State of Montana for the use and benefit of the Northern Montana Agricultural and Manual Training School—	
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1872. A bill for the relief of Guy Clatterbuck—	
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1873. A bill for the relief of May C. Gustin—	
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1874. A bill [to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented to Senator A. Harry Moore, certain officers of the New Jersey National Guard, Capt. John Bogan, Sr., and the members of the crew of the fishing boat *Paramount*] *to provide for the coinage of medals to be presented by Senator A. Harry*	

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1875. A bill granting a pension to Edwin C. Derrick— read twice and referred	121
1876. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to accept the cession by the State of Oregon of exclusive jurisdiction over the lands embraced within the Crater Lake National Park, and for other purposes"— read twice and referred	121
1877. A bill granting a pension to Ida R. Haynes— read twice and referred	122
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1879. A bill for the relief of Jacob Kaufman— read twice and referred	122
1880. A bill granting the Distinguished Service Cross to Col. John A. Lockwood, United States Army, retired— read twice and referred	122
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1884. A bill to authorize the General Accounting Office to allow credit in the accounts of J. R. Lusby, disbursing officer of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes— read twice and referred	122
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1886. A bill to amend section 118 of the Judicial Code to provide for the appointment of law clerks to the United States District Court judges— read twice and referred	122
1887. A bill to amend subsection (a), as amended and supplemented, of section 5 of an act entitled "An act to place the cotton industry on a sound commercial basis, to prevent unfair competition and practices in putting cotton into the channels of interstate and foreign commerce, to provide funds for paying additional benefits under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes", approved Apr. 21, 1934— read twice and referred	122
1888. A bill to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act— read twice and referred	122
1889. A bill relating to retirement of brigadier generals of the Army— read twice and referred	122
1890. A bill granting an increase of pension to David N. Henderson— read twice and referred	122
1891. A bill to amend section 602 and paragraph (a) of section 602½ of the Revenue Act of 1934, entitled "An act to provide revenue, equalize taxation, and for other purposes"— read twice and referred	125
1892. A bill to amend the act authorizing the Attorney General to compromise suits on certain contracts of insurance— read twice and referred	125
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1893. A bill to restore to the public domain portions of the Jordan Narrows (Utah) Military Reservation— read twice and referred	125
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1894. A bill granting an increase of pension to Emma J. Bratton— read twice and referred	125
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1895. A bill granting an increase of pension to Florence E. Southwick— read twice and referred	125
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1896. A bill to provide for interest payments on American Embassy drafts— read twice and referred	125
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1897. A bill to amend the Interstate Commerce Act relative to loss and damage claims— read twice and referred	125
1898. A bill for the relief of Andrew M. Dunlop— read twice and referred	125
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1922. A bill to regulate interstate and foreign commerce in coal; stabilize the coal-mining industry; provide for cooperative marketing; secure prices just to operators and consumers and fair living and working conditions for the miners concerned; to create a Court of Coal Conservation; levy taxes on coal to provide for the general welfare and to provide for a drawback under certain conditions; to conserve the coal resources of the United States and to establish a national coal reserve; and for other purposes— read twice and referred	125
1923. A bill to amend section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act— read twice and referred	126
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1936. A bill granting a pension to Walter T. Reckling— read twice and referred	129
1937. A bill providing a pensionable status for soldiers of certain companies of militia organized in the Territories of Utah, Arizona, and New Mexico, and the State of Texas for service against hostile Indians— read twice and referred	129
1938. A bill to provide for the payment of veterans' adjusted-service certificates in bonds of the United States— read twice and referred	129
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1942. A bill to repeal the act entitled "An act to grant to the State of New York and the Seneca Nation of Indians jurisdiction over the taking of fish and game within the Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Oil Spring Indian Reservations", approved January 5, 1927— read twice and referred	132
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1943. A bill to prescribe the procedure and practice in condemnation proceedings brought by the United States of America, including acquisition of title and the taking of possession under declarations of taking— read twice and referred	132
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1944. A bill for the relief of Ensign Stanley Harrison— read twice and referred	132
1945. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Ernest Edwin Dailey— read twice and referred	132
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considered, read the third time, and passed	390
1950. A bill for the relief of Julius Crisler—	
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1951. A bill providing for a survey of the Skipanon River, Oreg.—	
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1952. A bill extending the classified executive civil service of the United States—	
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1953. A bill for the relief of Fred Barnett—	
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1954. A bill relating to advances to Federal Reserve member banks on time or demand notes, loans on real estate by national banks, shareholders' liability on national-bank stock, and for other purposes—	
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1955. A bill granting a pension to Eva E. Fry—	
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1956. A bill to provide for entry upon public lands for the purpose of establishing health habitations—	
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1957. A bill for the relief of the George R. Jones Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire—	
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1958. A bill to promote equality of bargaining power between employers and employees, to diminish the causes of labor disputes, to create a National Labor Relations Board, and for other purposes—	
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1959. A bill for the relief of Chester H. Nordeen—	
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1960. A bill for the relief of the Florida National Bank & Trust Co., a national banking corporation, as successor trustee for the estate of Phillip Ullendorff, deceased—	
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1961. A bill to provide for the construction of four vessels for the Coast Guard designed for ice-breaking and assistance work—	
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1963. A bill for the relief of the heirs of William McGarrahan—	
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1964. A bill granting an increase of pension to Mary Watkins—	
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1965. A bill to authorize the presentation of a Congressional Medal of Honor to Elzie Jones—	
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1966. A bill providing for the advancement on the retired list of the Marine Corps of Hiram I. Bearss—	
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1967. A bill granting a pension to Laura A. Spanswick—	
read twice and referred	139
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1968. A bill authorizing an appropriation for payment to certain bands of Ute Indians in the State of Utah for certain coal lands, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	139
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1969. A bill granting a pension to Samuel W. Orr—	
read twice and referred	139
1970. A bill to amend section 30, title III (veterans' provisions), of Public Law No. 141, Seventy-third Congress, to extend to Spanish War veterans the same benefits as are extended to World War veterans with regard to income—	
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1971. A bill for the relief of Merton E. Bent—	
read twice and referred	139
1972. A bill granting a pension to Anna Wandell—	
read twice and referred	139
1973. A bill to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works or rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925, to authorize the payment of a per diem in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of aviation charts—	
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1974. A bill to authorize the transfer of officers of the Construction Corps of the Navy to the line of the Navy for aeronautical engineering duty only, and for other purposes—	
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1976. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and for other purposes", approved April 15, 1926, so as to equalize the allowances for quarters and subsistence of enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps—	
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1977. A bill to amend the act approved February 15, 1929, entitled "An act to permit certain warrant officers to count all active service rendered under temporary appointments as warrant or commissioned officers in the Regular Navy, or as warrant or commissioned officers in the United States Naval Reserve Force, for the purpose of promotion to chief warrant rank"—	
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1978. A bill to regulate the strength and distribution of the line of the Navy, and for other purposes—	
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1979. A bill for the relief of the Otto Misch Co.—	
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1980. A bill for the relief of Lewis Worthy and Dennis O. Penn—	
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1981. A bill granting a pension to John Payne—	
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1982. A bill to correct the naval record of Harold N. Dally—	
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1983. A bill for the relief of certain counties in the State of Oregon—	
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1984. A bill to establish an Army air depot in the State of Oregon—	
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1985. A bill granting a pension to Emmy C. I. Clevenger—	
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1986. A bill to authorize the acquisition of a certain building, furniture, and equipment in the Crater Lake National Park—	
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1987. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebr.—	
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1988. A bill [to revive and reenact section 5 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction of certain bridges and to extend the times for commencing and for completing the construction of other bridges over the navigable waters of the United States", approved March 4, 1933] *to extend the time for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Rulo, Nebr.*—	
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1991. A bill for the relief of Wilson G. Bingham—	
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1992. A bill to authorize the President of the United States to detail an officer of the Army and an officer of the Navy for duty with the California-Pacific International Exposition—	
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1993. A bill for the relief of the Bank of Wildwood, Wildwood, Fla.—	
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1994. A bill to amend the Inland Waterways Corporation Act, approved June 3, 1924, as amended—	
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1995. A bill for the relief of officers and soldiers of the volunteer service of the United States mustered into service for the War with Spain and who were held in service in the Philippine Islands after the ratification of the Treaty of Peace, April 11, 1899—	
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1998. A bill for the relief of Western Knitting Mills, Wallace G. Kay, and Kay & Co., Inc.—	
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1999. A bill to amend section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920—	
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2000. A bill to provide for a technical staff in the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation in the Department of Commerce, and for other purposes—	
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2001. A bill to amend section 4426 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended by the act of Congress approved May 16, 1906—	
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2002. A bill to provide for the establishment of load lines for American vessels in the coastwise trade, and for other purposes—	
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2003. A bill to amend section 13 of the act of March 4, 1915, entitled "An act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea"—	
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2004. A bill to amend section 2 of the act of March 4, 1915, entitled "An act to promote the welfare of American seamen in the merchant marine of the United States; to abolish arrest and imprisonment as a penalty for desertion and to secure the abrogation of treaty provisions in relation thereto; and to promote safety at sea"—	
read twice and referred	146
2005. A bill to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States—	
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2008. A bill to provide seamen on American vessels with a continuous discharge book—	
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2009. A bill to provide for a change in the designation of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection to the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation—	
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2010. A bill to improve the living accommodations on vessels under 100 tons—	
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2011. A bill fixing the liability of owners of vessels—	
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2012. A bill to regulate the election of delegates representing the District of Columbia to national political conventions—	
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2013. A bill to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Pak Chue Chan—	
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2016. A bill to amend the naturalization laws with respect to records of registry and residence abroad, and for other purposes—	
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2017. A bill to regulate the speed of motor busses and motor trucks engaged in interstate commerce, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	146
2018. A bill for the relief of Franklin Scott Irby—	
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2019. A bill granting a medal of honor to Frank J. Barcsykowski—	
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2022. A bill to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges—	
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2023. A bill for the relief of Augusta Burkett—	
read twice and referred	146
2024. A bill to give proper recognition to the distinguished services of Col. William L. Keller—	
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2027. A bill [to regulate commerce in petroleum and for other purposes] *consenting to an interstate oil compact to conserve oil and gas, for the regulation of imports of petroleum and its products, and for other purposes*—	
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2029. A bill to authorize naval and marine corps service of Army officers to be included in computing dates of retirement—	
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2030. A bill for the relief of William Dean McCoy—	
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2031. A bill for the relief of Luther Maurice Walton—	
read twice and referred	150
2032. A bill for the relief of Henry A. Hart—	
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2033. A bill granting a pension to Henrietta V. W. Owen—	
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2034. A bill to prevent the fouling of the atmosphere in the District of Columbia by smoke and other foreign substances, and for other purposes—	
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Senate agrees to the report of conference	588
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2035. A bill to amend an act approved June 25, 1934, authorizing loans from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for the construction of certain municipal buildings in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes—	
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2038. A bill granting an increase of pension to Edgar C. N. Waldrop—	
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2039. A bill making it a felony to transport in interstate or foreign commerce persons to be employed to obstruct or interfere with the right of peaceful picketing during labor controversies—	
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2041. A bill for the relief of Charles E. Wilson—	
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2042. A bill for the relief of Grace Park—	
read twice and referred	150
2043. A bill to amend the Merchant Marine Act of June 5, 1920 (Public, No. 261)—	
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2044. A bill for the refund of income and profits taxes erroneously collected—	
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2045. A bill for the relief of Stephen Sowinski—	
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2046. A bill granting a pension to Stephen Sowinski—	
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2047. A bill to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the State of Oklahoma, and for other purposes—	
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2048. A bill for the relief of Lt. William J. Wholean—	
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2050. A bill granting a pension to Charlotte C. Oliver—	
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2051. A bill granting a pension to Marcella Kostermann—	
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2053. A bill authorizing the appointment and retirement of Francis Joseph Thomas as an ensign in the United States Navy—
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2054. A bill to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to Harry L. Kast—
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2058. A bill granting an increase of pension to Lucy S. Kemp—
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2059. A bill granting a pension to Blanche Walker—
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2060. A bill granting a pension to George E. Hilgert—
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2061. A bill granting a pension to Amanda Bastian—
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2064. A bill granting a pension to Lizzie Sarver—
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2065. A bill granting a pension to Joanna B. Townsend—
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2066. A bill granting a pension to America V. Noel—
read twice and referred 150
2067. A bill granting a pension to Dora Jane Mayberry—
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2068. A bill granting a pension to Edwin M. Stultz—
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2069. A bill granting a pension to Gordon C. Patton—
read twice and referred 150
2070. A bill granting a pension to Daniel L. Myers—
read twice and referred 150
2071. A bill granting a pension to Mary E. Stout—
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2072. A bill for the relief of Robert H. Muirhead—
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2073. A bill to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes—
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2077. A bill [to authorize the presentation of a Distinguished Service Cross to William A. Sullivan] *to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to William A. Sullivan, formerly private, Company E, One Hundred and Fifth Infantry, Twenty-seventh Division, American Expeditionary Forces, in the World War*—
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read twice and referred	175
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2314. A bill to extend the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act to certain emergency officers of the War with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, and the Chinese Boxer Rebellion—	
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2315. A bill to authorize the incorporated town of Valdez, Alaska, to construct a public-school building and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $50,000; and to authorize said town to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works—	
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2321. A bill for the relief of S. M. Price—	
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2332. A bill to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes—	
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2332. A bill to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes—	
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2518. A bill granting double pensions to widows and dependents of officers and enlisted men who died in the airships *Shenandoah, Akron, J–3,* and *Macon* disasters—	
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2519. A bill [directing the Court of Claims to adjudicate the claim of the F. Mansfield & Sons Co. and others for compensation for injuries to oyster beds] *to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of F. Mansfield & Sons Co., and others*—	
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2524. A bill amending section 112 of the United States Code, annotated (title 28, subtitle "Civil Suits, where to be brought")—	
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2527. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide more effectively for the national defense by increasing the efficiency of the Air Corps of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes", approved July 2, 1926, as amended, to provide additional airplanes for the use of the National Guard—	
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2530. A bill to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes—	
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2534. A bill authorizing the appropriation of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to refund payments made to the Collector of Taxes of the District of Columbia for illegally assessed taxes for paving roadways or laying curbs or gutters in the District of Columbia, including penalties charged and paid—	
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2535. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to reclassify terminal railway post offices", approved June 14, 1934—	
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2537. A bill for the relief of the Morgan Decorating Co.—	
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2592. A bill to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters"—	
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2618. A bill for the relief of James M. Montgomery—	
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2619. A bill for the relief of Stoy A. Fleshman—	
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signed	666
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2633. A bill for the relief of Katie Walter—	
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2634. A bill authorizing the President of the United States to appoint Warrant Officer Albert Fensch (retired) as a captain in the United States Army and then place him on the retired list—	
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2635. A bill authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of the award in claim of Sudden & Christianson, Inc., and others—	
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3015. A bill granting a pension to Carrie Taylor Shockley—	
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3152. A bill to provide compensation for disability or death resulting from injury to employees in interstate commerce, and for other purposes—	
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3153. A bill for the relief of veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Philippine Insurrection and Chinese Boxer Rebellion—	
read twice and referred	480
3154. A bill making it unlawful for any person engaged in commerce to discriminate in price or terms of sale between purchasers of commodities of like grade and quality, to prohibit the payment of brokerage or commission under certain conditions, to suppress pseudo-advertising allowances, to provide a presumtive measure of damages in certain cases and to protect the independent merchant, the public whom he serves, and the manufacturer from whom he buys, from exploitation by unfair competitors—	
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3155. A bill for the relief of Mary, Ethel, and Richard Farrell—	
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3156. A bill for the relief of Richard A. Templin—	
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3157. A bill to establish the Chief Joseph Battle Ground National Monument in the State of Montana—	
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3158. A bill for the relief of John P. Volkens—	
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3159. A bill to amend section 584 of title 20 of the Code of the District of Columbia relative to retirement allowance for total disability, age retirement, and pensions to widows and orphans of retired members of the police and fire departments of the District of Columbia—	
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61. A bill to amend section 13 (c) of the District of Columbia Traffic Acts—
read twice and referred — 480
62. A bill to amend subchapter 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, relating to offenses against property—
read twice and referred — 480
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considered, read the third time, and passed — 625
63. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act relative to restrictions applicable to Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma", approved January 27, 1933—
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64. A bill authorizing the county of Atchison, State of Missouri, and the county of Nemaha, State of Nebraska, singly or jointly, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Brownville, Nebr.—
read twice and referred — 480
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1176) — 557
considered, read the third time, and passed — 558
65. A bill fixing annual compensation for postmasters of the fourth class—
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66. A bill to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the outstanding public services of William Henry Harrison—
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67. A bill to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to the Territory of Alaska—
read twice and referred — 486
68. A bill to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works—
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69. A bill for the relief of Charles E. La Vatta—
read twice and referred — 486
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70. A bill to correct the naval record of Lewis Frederick Mulligan—
read twice and referred — 486
71. A bill granting a pension to Fletcher M. Boso—
read twice and referred — 486
72. A bill to authorize an extension of exchange authority and addition of public lands to the Willamette National Forest in the State Oregon—
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73. A bill to authorize *and direct the Secretary of the Treasury* [the Secretary of War] to pay [officers and] men formerly enlisted as members of Battery D, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Coast Artillery (Antiaircraft) New Hampshire National Guard, for armory training during the period from November 1, 1932, to July 1, 1933—

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3174. A bill granting a pension to Julia A. King—
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3175. A bill for the relief of Jesse Ashby—
read twice and referred — 493
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1280) — 604
considered, read the third time, and passed — 625
3176. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War to lend to the reunion committee of the United Confederate Veterans, to be delivered to a United States property and disbursing officer, 3,000 blankets, olive drab, no. 4, and 3,000 canvas cots, to be used at their annual encampment to be held at Amarillo, Tex., in September 1935—
read twice and referred — 493
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1195) — 569
considered and postponed indefinitely — 626
3177. A bill granting a pension to Lottie B. Smith—
read twice and referred — 493
3178. A bill to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works—
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3179. A bill to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern, Middle, and Western Districts of Tennessee—
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1124) — 522
considered, read the third time, and passed — 625
3180. A bill to authorize the appointment and retirement of Joseph P. Constantine as a second lieutenant of the United States Army—
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3181. A bill authorizing an appropriation to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to cooperate with the experiment station of the Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College, located at Goodwell, Okla.—
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3182. A bill authorizing an appropriation to carry out the provisions of section 26 of the agreement with the Muskogee or Creek Tribe of Indians, approved March 1, 1901—
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reported with an amendment (Rept. No. 1203) — 574
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed — 626
3183. A bill to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to make all varieties of potatoes included in the species Solanum tuberosum a basic agricultural commodity, to raise revenue by imposing a tax on the first sale of such potatoes, and for other purposes—
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considered and postponed indefinitely — 625
3184. A bill to provide for the immediate settlement of the obligation of the Joe Graham Post of the American Legion arising out of the purchase of the Ship Island Military Reservation—

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3185. A bill for the relief of Grace K. Barber—
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3186. A bill for the relief of Edward H. Karg—
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3187. A bill to amend section 32 of the World War Veterans' Act of 1924, as amended—
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3188. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to purchase lands for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions for national cemeteries—
read twice and referred — 493
3189. A bill granting a pension to Carrie Gibbon—
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3190. A bill granting a pension to Lucy A. Rose—
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3191. A bill for the relief of John C. Crossman—
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3192. A bill to increase the limit of cost for the Department of Agriculture Extensible Building—
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considered, read the third time, and passed — 553
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presented — 591
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3193. A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to purchase a bust made by J. Antoine Houdon in 1796 in Paris, France, of James Monroe, fifth President of the United States and father of the Monroe Doctrine, while Mr. Monroe was Ambassador to France—
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3194. A bill to amend section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended—
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considered, read the third time, and passed — 657
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3195. A bill for the relief of Guiry Bros. Wall Paper & Paint Co.—
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3196. A bill for the relief of Charles Flanagan—
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3197. A bill to repeal a provision of section 3 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Everglades National Park in the State of Florida, and for other purposes", approved May 30, 1934—
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3199. A bill for the relief of the estate of Hattie M. Dunford—
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3200. A bill to create the Office of Publications—
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3201. A bill to equalize the practice in the marine bureaus, to raise the standard of the personnel and security continuity of service by providing for the retirement for age of certain employees of the Bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection of the Department of Commerce—
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3203. A bill granting a pension to Dorothy King—
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3204. A bill to provide additional funds for the completion of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes—
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3206. A bill for the relief of Col. Richard M. Cutts, United States Marine Corps—
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3207. A bill for the relief of Miriam Grant—
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3208. A bill to provide protection by registration of designs for textiles and other materials—
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3209. A bill for the relief of Frank E. O'Rourke—
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3210. A bill to refer the claim of the Menominee Tribe of Indians to the Court of Claims with the absolute right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States—
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3211. A bill to provide for direct review by the Supreme Court in cases involving the constitutionality of the statutes of the United States—
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3212. A bill granting a pension to George T. Hodges—
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3213. A bill granting a pension to Clark Huggins—
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3214. A bill granting a pension to John Wesley Heal—
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3215. A bill to permit certain special-delivery messengers to acquire a classified status through noncompetitive examination—
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3217. A bill for the relief of Lexie Hagy—	
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3219. A bill fixing the computation of travel distances—	
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3220. A bill to authorize the Secretary of War or the Secretary of the Navy to withhold the pay of officers, warrant officers, enlisted men, and nurses of the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps to cover indebtedness to the United States under certain conditions—	
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3222. A bill to amend the Filled Milk Act—	
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3223. A bill for the relief of Joe Reno—	
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3224. A bill to amend subsection (e) of section 24 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended—	
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3225. A bill to provide for the erection of a building to be used exclusively for the Recorder of Deeds—	
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3226. A bill for the relief of Gertrude Hunter—	
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3227. A bill to amend section 3 of the act approved May 10, 1928, entitled "An act to extend the period of restriction in lands of certain members of the Five Civilized Tribes, and for other purposes", as amended February 14, 1931—	
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3228. A bill for the relief of W. E. Reynolds—	
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3229. A bill for the relief of the estate of Hattie M. Dunford—	
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3230. A bill for the reimbursement of R. H. Quynn, lieutenant, United States Navy, for loss of property by fire at the naval operating base, Hampton Roads, Va.—	
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3233. A bill granting a pension to Earl Dudley—	
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3234. A bill to provide for the payment of certain indebtedness on lands acquired by the United States—	
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3235. A bill to authorize Federal land banks to accept veterans' adjusted-service certificates in payment for farm land—	
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3236. A bill to provide for the waiving of interest on loans made on veterans' adjusted-service certificates—	
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3242. A bill for the relief of Homer R. Stickney—	
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3246. A bill granting a pension and relief to Mary H. Denison—	
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3254. A bill to authorize the incorporated town of Cordova, Alaska, to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, improve, renew, and repair certain municipal public structures, utilities, works, and improvements, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any amount not exceeding $50,000, and for other purposes—	
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3255. A bill granting a pension to James C. Ross—	
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3256. A bill for the relief of James H. Robinson—	
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3257. A bill to amend the World War Adjustment Compensation Act—	
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3258. A bill to amend section 304 of the Revised Statutes, as amended—	
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3259. A bill to prohibit officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps from making public statements, or publishing articles relating to international affairs without express authority—	
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3260. A bill to amend Public Law No. 438, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver, issue silver certificates, and for other purposes"—	
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3261. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934—	
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3262. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States", approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto—	
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3263. A bill for the relief of Max Schwartz—	
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3264. A bill for the relief of A. E. Bostrom—	
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3265. A bill granting a pension to Alice Shelton—	
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3266. A bill granting an increase of pension to Blaine E. Davis—	
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3267. A bill for the relief of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Baltimore, Md., and others—	
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3268. A bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to make a lease for the Agua Caliente or Palm Springs Band of Mission Indians of California—	
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3269. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to nonprofit corporations for the repair of damages caused by floods or other catastrophes, and for other purposes", approved April 13, 1934—	
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3270. A bill to permit construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for petroleum and petroleum products in the District of Columbia—	
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1295)	604
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3271. A bill providing for the deductibility of charitable and other contributions by corporations for the purposes of income tax—	
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3274. A bill for the relief of Mary Hobart—	
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3275. A bill for the relief of Thomas Ernest Warren—	
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3276. A bill to provide for payment of hospital care in lieu of hospitalization or domiciliary care in certain cases, and to limit the reduction of compensation in such blind cases—	
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3277. A bill authorizing a preliminary examination of the Nehalem River and tributaries, in Clatsop, Columbia, and Washington Counties, Oreg., with a view to the controlling of floods—	
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3278. A bill to provide for the construction of the Tennessee Valley and Tombigbee River Inland Waterway, and for other purposes—	
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3279. A bill authorizing the city of Natchez and the county of Adams, State of Mississippi, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Natchez, State of Mississippi—	
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3283. A bill for the relief of the Baker-Whiteley Coal Co.—	
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3284. A bill to provide for the issuance of a license to practice the healing art in the District of Columbia to Dr. Dexter P. Reynolds—	
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3287. A bill to provide for the licensing of importers of watches, watch movements, and watch parts, to protect the revenue, and for other purposes—	
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3288. A bill consolidating certain forestry branches and other divisions and services in a separate bureau of the Department of Agriculture to be known as the "Bureau of Forestry"—	
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3289. A bill to authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the United Confederate Veterans' 1935 Reunion at Amarillo, Tex.—	
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3293. A bill providing old-age pensions for Indians of the United States—	
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3294. A bill to amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, as amended, to permit payments to the estates of veterans in certain cases—	
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3295. A bill to amend sections 181 and 186 of the Criminal Code—	
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3296. A bill to provide for the payment to the American War Mothers of interest on the fund known as the "Recreation fund, Army"—	
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3298. A bill to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Arrow Rock, Mo.—	
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3299. A bill to authorize the construction of a bridge as a memorial to Calvin Coolidge—	
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3300. A bill granting a pension to Lee A. Smith—	
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3301. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the heirs of James Taylor, deceased Cherokee Indian, for the value of certain lands now held by the United States, and for other purposes—	
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3304. A bill extending the benefits of the Emergency Officers' Retirement Act to John Milton Floyd—	
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3310. A bill for the relief of Robert B. Rolfe—	
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3311. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437; U. S. C., title 30, secs. 185, 221, 223, 226), as amended—	
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3317. A bill to establish a national cemetery at Fort Bayard, N. Mex.—	
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3318. A bill for the relief of Robert W. Anderson—	
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3319. A bill for the relief of the Waterton Oil, Land & Power Co.—	
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3320. A bill [to authorize the President to present the Distinguished Flying Cross to Rudolph W. Schroeder] *to authorize the award of a decoration for distinguished service to Rudolph W. Schroeder, who served with the Air Corps, United States Army, during the period of the World War, and who was honorably discharged on November 15, 1920*—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	681
3321. A bill to add lands to the Mount Hood National Forest, Oreg.—	
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3322. A bill for the relief of Elmer Naslund—	
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3324. A bill to reincorporate the Columbia Polytechnic Institute for the Blind of the District of Columbia—	
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3325. A bill to authorize the issuance of reentry permits in certain cases of aliens ineligible to citizenship, and for other purposes—	
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3326. A bill granting the consent of Congress to the State of Connecticut and Middlesex County to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Connecticut River at or near Middletown, Conn.—	
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read twice and referred	551
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3328. A bill to provide an official seal for the United States Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes—	
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3329. A bill to authorize the transfer to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Treasury of portions of the property within the Fort Knox Military Reservation, Ky., for the construction thereon of certain public buildings, and for other purposes—	
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3330. A bill to authorize completion, maintenance, and operation of certain facilities for navigation on the Columbia River, and for other purposes—	
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3331. A bill granting a pension to Katie Yoos—	
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3332. A bill providing for the advancement on the retired list of the Navy of Louis J. Gulliver—	
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3335. A bill to enforce the twenty-first amendment—	
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3336. A bill to repeal titles I and II of the National Prohibition Act, to reenact certain provisions of title II thereof, to amend or repeal various liquor laws, and for other purposes—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	624
passed the House	659
examined and signed	678
presented	690
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3337. A bill to authorize the President to bestow the Congressional Medal of Honor upon Brig. Gen. Robert H. Dunlap, United States Marine Corps, deceased—	
read twice and referred	558
3338. A bill for the relief of Julia Krenz—	
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3339. A bill authorizing and directing the appointment of Walter W. Stamps as a captain in the Officers' Reserve Corps—	
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3340. A bill providing for the appointment of Chester Arthur Davis as captain in the United States Army—	
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3341. A bill for the relief of Edward P. Mandaville—	
read twice and referred	558
3342. A bill for the relief of Jerry R. Quill—	
read twice and referred	562
3343. A bill granting a pension to Margaret A. Srout—	
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reported—(See bill H. R. 8421.)	
3344. A bill to appoint one additional judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	625
3345. A bill to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to exchange certain property rights now vested in the United States at Veterans' Administration facility, Perry Point, Md., for certain property and rights of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in that vicinity—	
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3346. A bill to amend the Tariff Act of 1930—	
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3347. A bill for the relief of Wallace Dee Lamb—	
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3348. A bill for the relief of Verl Willey Scanland—	
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3349. A bill granting a pension to Josephine Johnson—	
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3350. A bill granting an increase of pension to Emma J. McCumsey—	
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3352. A bill for the relief of Edward C. Paxton—	
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3353. A bill providing for the exchange of certain park lands at and near Western Avenue and West Beach Drive for other lands more suitable to the development of Rock Creek Park and the street system of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes—	
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presented	690
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3354. A bill for the relief of Samuel R. Mann—	
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3355. A bill to authorize loans for the construction of recreational housing accommodations in national parks and national forests—	
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3356. A bill for the relief of Alney E. Robinson—	
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3357. A bill for the relief of Henry Thornton Meriwether—	
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3358. A bill granting a pension to James S. Morgan—	
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3359. A bill to authorize the presentation of Distinguished Service Crosses to Pleas E. Greenlee and George L. Robins—	
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3360. A bill for the relief of Alice Markham Kavanaugh—	
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3361. A bill for the relief of Margaret C. (Lacks) King—	
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3362. A bill for the relief of Mahlon G. Frost—	
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3363. A bill to insure domestic tranquillity and to promote the general welfare by regulating and promoting commerce with foreign nations and among the States in commodities and industrial articles, to regulate the flow of such commerce, to prescribe the conditions under which corporations may engage in such commerce, to provide for the formation of corporations to engage in such commerce, and for other purposes—	
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3364. A bill granting 6 months' pay to Beatrice Gildart—	
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3365. A bill to permit children to wade or play in public fountains in the District of Columbia—	
read twice and referred	570
3366. A bill authorizing the Secretary of War to lend certain Army equipment to Klamath Post No. 8, American Legion, Klamath Falls, Oreg., for use on camping trips for boys—	
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3368. A bill authorizing the Village Board of the Village of Niobrara, county of Knox, State of Nebraska, to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Missouri River at or near Niobrara, Nebr.—	
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3369. A bill providing for the posthumous appointment of Ernest E. Dailey as a warrant radio electrician, United States Navy—	
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3370. A bill to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of certain public buildings, and for other purposes", approved May 25, 1926—	
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3371. A bill for the relief of John Walker—	
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3372. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the public school district at Hays, Mont., for construction and improvement of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children—	
read twice and referred	570
3373. A bill to credit the tribal funds of the Indians of the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation in Montana with certain sums expended therefrom for the purchase and maintenance of a tribal herd, and for the purchase of horses destroyed during a dourine epidemic—	
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3374. A bill for the relief of the State of Indiana—	
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3375. A bill providing for the cash payment of adjusted-service certificates, and for other purposes—	
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3377. A bill granting an increase of pension to John Flanagan—	
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3378. A bill granting an increase of pension to Eliza A. Walker—	
read twice and referred	577
3379. A bill to amend the act approved June 19, 1934, entitled the "Communications Act of 1934"—	
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3380. A bill for the relief of William H. Chambliss—	
read twice and referred	577
3381. A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of domestic sources of tin—	
read twice and referred	577
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3382. A bill to establish the Sawtooth National Park in the State of Idaho—	
read twice and referred	577
3383. A bill [to extend the time for making payments on certain crop loans] *to grant extension of time in payment of crop loans where the borrower has suffered from crop failure in 1935*—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed; title amended	581
3384. A bill for the relief of Gust Dahlman—	
read twice and referred	577
3385. A bill to provide for the exchange of Government-owned submarginal lands for Indian lands or other lands, for national-monument purposes, in the State of South Dakota, and for other purposes—	
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3386. A bill for the relief of Helen Gallagher Dominian—	
read twice and referred	577
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1293)	604
considered, read the third time, and passed	625
passed the House	679
examined and signed	689
presented	695
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3387. A bill to amend section 603 of the Revenue Act of 1932—	
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3388. A bill for the relief of Eva Markowitz—	
read twice and referred	581
3389. A bill to provide for the appointment of two additional judges for the Southern District of New York—	
read twice and referred	581
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considered, read the third time, and passed	661
3390. A bill granting an increase of pension to Ruth A. Dana—	
read twice and referred	581
reported—(See bill H. R. 8424.)	
3391. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a medal with appropriate emblems and inscriptions commemorative of Jefferson Davis—	
read twice and referred	581
3392. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a medal with appropriate emblems and inscriptions commemorative of Gen. Robert Edward Lee—	
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3393. A bill to create a Federal Board of Foreign Trade—	
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1432)	674
3394. A bill for the relief of Edmond G. Warren—	
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3395. A bill to authorize the acquisition of the railroad tracks, trestle, and right-of-way of the Gulf Power Co. at the naval air station, Pensacola, Fla.—	
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3396. A bill granting a pension to Ella Elizabeth Dale—	
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3397. A bill to allow credit in the accounts of certain disbursing officers of the Veterans' Administration—	
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1239)	591
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3399. A bill for the relief of Rosalie Piar Sprecher (nee Rosa Piar)—	
read twice and referred	585
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1421)	668
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
3400. A bill to authorize the appointment of Maxwell C. Murphy as a captain, Dental Corps, United States Army—	
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3401. A bill for the relief of William A. Ballard—	
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3402. A bill for the relief of Mamie Randel—	
read twice and referred	585
3403. A bill authorizing enlistment in the Army for a limited period and intensive military training of boys recently graduated from high school, or young men recently enrolled as students in college, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	585
3404. A bill granting a pension to Lenora B. Easterday—	
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3405. A bill for the relief of Capt. James W. Darr—	
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3406. A bill authorizing the President to reappoint Gilbert E. Bixby, formerly a captain of Cavalry, United States Army, a captain of Cavalry, United States Army—	
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3407. A bill for the relief of Justin C. Gooderl—	
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3409. A bill for the relief of the estate of John Gellatly, deceased, and/or Charlyne Gellatly, individually—	
read twice and referred	592
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1281)	604
3410. A bill to exempt from taxation receipts from the operation of Olympic games if donated to the State of California, the city of Los Angeles, and the county of Los Angeles—	
read twice and referred	599
3411. A bill to authorize the acquisition of land for military purposes at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.—	
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3412. A bill for the relief of Jack Merowitz—	
read twice and referred	599
3413. A bill to give effect to the convention between the United States and certain other countries for the regulation of whaling, concluded at Geneva, [March 31, 1932,] *September 24, 1931, signed on the part of the United States, March 31, 1932,* and for other purposes—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	731
3414. A bill to provide for the appointment of an aditional district judge in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York—	
read twice and referred	604
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1379)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	661
passed the House	687
examined and signed	729
presented	733
approved [Public Law No. 385]	738
3415. A bill to provide for the residence of the United States commissioners appointed for the national parks, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	604
3416. A bill for the relief of Samuel Richard Mann—	
read twice and referred	604
3417. A bill to provide for extending credit to aid in the conservation and operation of forest lands, to establish a forest credit bank, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	604
3418. A bill for the relief of the Trent Trust Co., Ltd.—	
read twice and referred	604
3419. A bill to correct the military record of Paulus Williams—	
read twice and referred	604
3420. A bill to amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, by providing for the regulation of the transportation of passengers and property by aircraft in interstate and foreign commerce, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	609
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1329)	610
3421. A bill to provide for the establishment of the Fort Frederica National Monument, at St. Simon Island, Ga., and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	609
3422. A bill granting an increase of pension to John Flanagan—	
read twice and referred	609
3423. A bill granting a pension to Flora Turner—	
read twice and referred	609
3424. A bill to continue Electric Home and Farm Authority as an agency of the United States until February 1937, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	609
reported without amendment	658
considered, read the third time, and passed	680
3425. A bill authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Government of Norway in settlement of all claims for reimbursement on account of losses sustained by the owner and crew of the Norwegian steamer *Tampen*—	
read twice and referred	609
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1429)	669
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
3426. A bill authorizing the States of Oregon and Washington to institute suit against the United States to determine title to certain land in the Columbia River—	
read twice and referred	609
3427. A bill to provide for the immediate payment to veterans of the face value of their adjusted-service certificates and to extend the time for filing applications for benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, and for other purposes.	
read twice and referred	609

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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1388)	635
considered, read the third time, and passed	680
3429. A bill to protect American and Philippine labor and to preserve an essential industry, and for other purposes—	
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3430. A bill for the relief of Walter M. Seesee—	
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3431. A bill granting a pension to Luther Lane—	
read twice and referred	623
3432. A bill for the relief of H. M. Frazee—	
read twice and referred	623
3433. A bill limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to counsel in certain cases—	
read twice and referred	635
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1402)	636
considered, read the third time, and passed	661
passed the House	730
examined and signed	732
presented	735
approved [Public Law No. 394]	738
3434. A bill to provide for the appointment of one additional judge for the district of Kansas—	
read twice and referred	635
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1373)	636
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3435. A bill for the relief of William H. Brockman—	
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3436. A bill to authorize the interment in the Arlington National Cemetery of the remains of the late Will Rogers and Wiley Post—	
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3437. A bill to provide for the sale of the Port Newark Army Supply Base to the city of Newark, N. J.—	
read twice and referred	635
3438. A bill to provide for the establishment of an agricultural experiment station within the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District in the State of New Mexico—	
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3439. A bill for the relief of William Welch—	
read twice and referred	635
3440. A bill to amend certain acts relating to public printing and binding and the distribution of public documents and acts amendatory thereof—	
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3441. A bill for the relief of C. T. Hird—	
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3442. A bill granting a pension to Hattie Harvey—	
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3443. A bill for the relief of Capt. Gilbert E. Bixby—	
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3444. A bill for the relief of R. H. Keene—	
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3445. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to release the claim of the United States to certain land within the Ouachita National Forest, Ark.—	
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3446. A bill relative to limitation of shipowners' liability—	
read twice and referred	658
reported with amendments, considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	676
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examined and signed	729
presented	733
approved [Public Law No. 391]	738
3447. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the collection and editing of official papers of the Territories of the United States now in the National Archives", approved March 3, 1925, as amended—	
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3448. A bill authorizing the President to appoint Maj. James W. Barber, Quartermaster Reserve Corps, a major in the Regular Army of the United States—	
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3449. A bill authorizing the President to appoint Capt. E. Lynwood Clough, Infantry Reserve, a captain of Infantry in the Regular Army of the United States—	
read twice and referred	658
3450. A bill to regulate the sales of goods in the District of Columbia—	
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3451. A bill relative to the issuance of badges or license tags for dogs especially trained as aids to the blind, and for other purposes—	
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3452. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to arrange with States or Territories for the education, medical attention, relief of distress, and social welfare of Indians, and for other purposes"—	
read twice and referred	669
3453. A bill limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to certain counsel—	
read twice and referred	669
reported without amendment	676
considered, read the third time, and passed	731
3454. A bill granting a pension to Effie M. Guynon—	
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3455. A bill granting an increase of pension to Helene H. Davis—	
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3456. A bill for the relief of the legal guardian of Roy D. Cook, a minor—	
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3457. A bill for the relief of B. A. Duffy and his wife, Merle Duffy—	
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3458. A bill for the relief of George Smith and Ketha Smith—	
read twice and referred	677
3459. A bill authorizing the Farm Credit Administration, Federal land banks, and other Federal agricultural loan agencies to make loans upon lands in drainage, irrigation, and conservancy districts, notwithstanding the existence of prior liens for special benefits conferred by such districts, and for other purposes—	
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3463. A bill to establish the Appalachian National Park in the State of Virginia—	
read twice and referred	685
3464. A bill to create a Foreign Trade Board, and for other purposes—	
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3465. A bill to authorize the United States Housing Corporation to execute and deliver deeds for certain residence properties in the city of Philadelphia—	
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3466. A bill to provide funds for cooperation with the board of trustees of the Warner Springs Union School District, Warner Springs, Calif., in the construction of a public-school building to be available to Indian children of the Los Coyotes and Volcan Indian Reservations, Calif.—	
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3467. A bill amending the Shipping Act, 1916, as amended—	
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3468. A bill granting an increase of pension to Isabell F. Smith—	
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3469. A bill to confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, consider, and determine the claims of Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., Inc.—	
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3470. A bill for the relief of Axel J. Beck—	
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3471. A bill for the relief of George Jacobson, as father and natural guardian of Harold Jacobson, a minor, of Brooklyn, N. Y.—	
read twice and referred	733
3472. A bill to provide a preliminary examination of Onondaga Creek in Onondaga County, State of New York, with a view to the control of its floods—	
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3473. A bill to amend section 601(c)(2), title IV, of the Revenue Act of 1932, as amended—	
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read twice and referred	15
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4. A joint resolution providing for the investigation, survey, and report of a continuous water line from the James River in Virginia to the New and Kanawha Rivers in West Virginia—	
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13. A joint resolution to authorize an appropriation for the expenses of an examination of the United States and Turkish claims—	
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15. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the United States, providing for the popular amendment of said Constitution—	
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17. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to restrictions on the employment of aliens—	
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read twice and referred	29
19. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to popular nominations of candidates for President and Vice President—	
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20. A joint resolution to prohibit the exportation of arms or munitions of war from the United States under certain conditions—	
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21. A joint resolution authorizing the President to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski—	
read twice and referred	40
reported without amendment	150
considered, read the third time, and passed	161
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read twice and referred	40
reported without amendment	150
considered and postponed indefinitely	161
23. A joint resolution giving consent of the Congress of the United States to the States of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho, or any two of said States, to agree upon the jurisdiction to be exercised by said States over boundary waters between any two or more of said States—	
read twice and referred	40
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24. A joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Charlotte Taylor, of the city of St. Petersburg, State of Florida, for the benefit of Walter Reed General Hospital—	
read twice and referred	40
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 35)	90
considered, read the third time, and passed	99
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examined and signed	222
presented	224
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25. A joint resolution to amend section 9 of Public Law No. 67, Seventy-third Congress, otherwise known and cited as the "National Industrial Recovery Act"—	
read twice and referred	40
26. A joint resolution to prohibit the shipment in interstate and foreign commerce of petroleum and the products of petroleum produced in contravention of State laws, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	40
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27. A joint resolution to provide for allocation to private shipyards on the Pacific coast a fair share of the 50 percent allotted to private shipyards under naval construction bills passed by Congress—	
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28. A joint resolution to authorize the several States to negotiate compacts or agreements to promote greater uniformity in the laws of such States affecting labor and industries—	
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29. A joint resolution to authorize the erection of a monument to Queen Isabella—	
read twice and referred	46
30. A joint resolution authorizing the issuance of a special postage stamp in honor of Brig. Gen. Thaddeus Kosciusko—	
read twice and referred	46
31. A joint resolution for the relief of farmers in the drought-stricken areas of Montana—	
read twice and referred	46
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read twice and referred	46
reported without amendment	150
considered and postponed indefinitely	161
33. A joint resolution providing that it shall be unlawful, unless otherwise provided by act of Congress or by proclamation of the President, to export to any country violating the terms of the pact of Paris arms, munitions, implements of war, or other articles for use in war, or make any such trade or financial arrangements with the violating country or its nationals as in the judgment of the President may be used to strengthen or maintain the violation—	
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34. A joint resolution authorizing the improvement of the Lee Highway between Muscle Shoals and Norris Dam—	
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35. A joint resolution for the relief of W. K. Richardson—	
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36. A joint resolution to authorize an investigation of the means of increasing the capacity of the Panama Canal for future needs of interoceanic shipping, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	60
37. A joint resolution to amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution requiring agricultural or other products to be shipped in vessels of the United States where the Reconstruction Finance Corporation or any other instrumentality of the Government finances the exporting of such products", approved March 26, 1934—	
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38. A joint resolution for the adjustment and settlement of losses sustained by the cooperative marketing associations—	
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39. A joint resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on the Library to procure oil portraits of former President Herbert Hoover and of President Franklin D. Roosevelt—	
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40. A joint resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the United States to exclude aliens in counting the whole number of persons in each State for apportionment of Representatives among the several States—	
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41. A joint resolution authorizing the issuance of a special postage stamp in honor of Commodore John Barry—	
read twice and referred	71
42. A joint resolution [to cede to the Commonwealth of Virginia jurisdiction over that portion of the Fort Monroe Military Reservation leased to the Old Point Comfort Hotel Corporation] *to amend section 289 of the Criminal Code*—	
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presented	452
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43. A joint resolution for the establishment of a commission for the construction of a Washington-Lincoln Memorial Gettysburg Boulevard connecting the present Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington with the battlefield of Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania—	
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44. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors—	
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45. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors—	
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46. A joint resolution authorizing and directing the Federal Communications Commission to investigate and report on the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and on all other companies engaged directly or indirectly in telephone communication in interstate commerce, including all companies related to any of these companies through a holding-company structure, or otherwise—	
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47. A joint resolution authorizing the President to present in the name of Congress a Medal of Honor to James A. Austin—	
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48. A joint resolution to continue the Commission for Determining the Boundary Line Between the District of Columbia and the State of Virginia for not to exceed 1 additional year, and to authorize not to exceed $10,000 additional funds for its expenses—	
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49. A joint resolution authorizing the use of public parks, reservations, and other public spaces in the District of Columbia; and the use of tents, cots, hospital appliances, flags, and other decorations, property of the United States, by Washington [(District of Columbia)], *D. C.*, 1935 Shrine Committee, [Incorporated] *Inc.*, and for other purposes—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	115
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50. A joint resolution authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Santa Monica Harbor, Calif.—	
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51. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to article II of the Constitution of the United States, providing for the ratification of treaties by a majority vote of the United States Senate—	
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52. A joint resolution to authorize the erection on public grounds in the District of Columbia of a stone marker designating the zero milestone of the Jefferson Davis National Highway—	
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53. A joint resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to request the delivery of marketable obligations under foreign debt funding agreements—	
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54. A joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death of Senators, Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners—	
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55. A joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the California Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Diego, Calif., in 1935 and 1936; authorizing an appropriation therefor; and for other purposes—	
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56. A joint resolution authorizing the publication as a public document of America Secure: Analytical Register of Regular Army Officers and Security Statistics, with graphs, 1775–1935—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	311
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57. A joint resolution to amend Public Resolution No. 40, Seventy-third Congress, approved June 18, 1934—	
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58. A joint resolution for the relief of Lillian Morden—	
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59. A joint resolution providing for the celebration on September 17, 1937, of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; establishing a commission to be known as the "Sesquicentennial Constitution Commission"—	
read twice and referred	118
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60. A joint resolution to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to investigate the cost of maintaining the present system of future trading in agricultural products and to ascertain what classes of citizens bear such cost—	
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62. A joint resolution relating to emergency cattle agreements under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended—	
read twice and referred	133
63. A joint resolution giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment—	
read twice and referred	133
64. A joint resolution to amend the joint resolution of June 5, 1933, assuring uniform value to the coins and currencies of the United States—	
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65. A joint resolution to extend the period of suspension of the limitation governing the filing of suit under section 19, World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended—	
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Senate agrees to House amendment	672
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67. A joint resolution relating to crop-production loans—	
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68. A joint resolution extending the thanks of the Government and people of the United States to the Republic of Finland—	
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69. A joint resolution to provide for the erection of a suitable memorial to the Fourth Division, American Expeditionary Forces—	
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passed the House	623
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70. A joint resolution authorizing the erection in Washington, D. C., of a monument in memory of Col. Robert Ingersoll—	
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71. A joint resolution to authorize the President to enter into agreements with foreign governments to readjust the obligations of such governments held by the United States and to secure payments on such readjusted obligations sufficient to pay the adjusted-service certificates now outstanding, and for other purposes—	
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72. A joint resolution authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President—	
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75. A joint resolution authorizing and directing the Comptroller General of the United States to certify for payment certain claims of grain elevators and grain firms to cover insurance and interest on wheat during the years 1919 and 1920 as per a certain contract authorized by the President—	
read twice and referred	160
76. A joint resolution relating to leave with pay for employees of the Government Printing Office—	
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77. A joint resolution authorizing printing and binding for the Federal Power Commission—	
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78. A joint resolution for the preservation and restoration of the frigate *Constellation* as a national museum and making Newport, R. I., its home port—	
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79. A joint resolution authorizing the President to present in the name of Congress a Medal of Honor to J. Harold Arnold—	
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80. A joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.—	
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81. A joint resolution authorizing the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Vermont to enter into a certain agreement—	
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82. A joint resolution authorizing the erection of a monument to Grover Cleveland in Washington, D. C.—	
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83. A joint resolution to provide for an increase in the size of the Federal building being constructed at Hugo, Okla.—	
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87. A joint resolution authorizing the restoration and preservation of the frigate *Constellation*, and making Baltimore, Md., her home port—	
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88. A joint resolution to abolish the Puerto Rican Hurricane Relief Commission and transfer its functions to the Secretary of the Interior—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	272
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Senate agrees to House amendment	388
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89. A joint resolution directing the Comptroller General to readjust the account between the United States and the State of Vermont—	
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90. A joint resolution authorizing loans to fruit growers for rehabilitation of orchards during the year 1935—	
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91. A joint resolution to ratify the compact entered into between the States of Wyoming and Montana for division of the waters of the Yellowstone River—	
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92. A joint resolution making final disposition of records, files, and other property of the Federal Aviation Commission—	
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Senate agrees to House amendments	412
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Presented	422
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93. A joint resolution to extend the time within which contracts may be modified or canceled under the provisions of section 5 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1934—	
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94. A joint resolution establishing a commission for the participation of the United States in the observance of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Colony of Connecticut, authorizing an appropriation to be utilized in connection with such observance, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	225
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examined and signed	330
presented	333
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95. A joint resolution giving authority to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make special regulations for the occasion of the Seventieth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in the District of Columbia in the month of September 1936, and for other purposes, incident to said encampment—	
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96. A joint resolution to carry out the intention of Congress with reference to the claims of the Crow Tribe of Indians of Montana and any band thereof against the United States—	
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	357
preamble agreed to	357
passed the House	579
examined and signed	579
presented	581
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97. A joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine in the District of Columbia June 8, 1935, to June 17, 1935, both inclusive—	
read twice and referred	244
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considered, read the third time, and passed	272
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examined and signed	284
presented	288
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98. A joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth for the purpose of establishing a permanent library at the Walter Reed General Hospital to be known as the "Fred C. Ainsworth Endowment Library"—	
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examined and signed	354
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99. A joint resolution to regulate the issuance of passports to American citizens in time of war—	
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101. A joint resolution to amend the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 to authorize grants to community hospitals—
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102. A joint resolution to provide for the acquisition by the Government of the United States, in whole or in part, of the Inner Harbor Canal and Lock connecting the Mississippi River with Lake Pontchartrain in the State of Louisiana, and now owned by the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans (an agency of the State of Louisiana), and for other purposes.
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103. A joint resolution to prohibit the extension of credits and the issuance of foreign loans—
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104. A joint resolution to provide for the determination and payment of claims for damage sustained by the fluctuation of the water levels of the Lake of the Woods in certain cases, and for other purposes—
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105. A joint resolution making an additional appropriation for the Federal Trade Commission—
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106. A joint resolution authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Homer Harbor, Kachemak Bay, Alaska—
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107. A joint resolution to authorize the acceptance on behalf of the United States of the bequest of the late Oliver Wendell Holmes, formerly an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, for the purpose of establishing a collection of the portraits of the former Justices of that Court and for the creation of scholarships for selected law students—
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108. A joint resolution to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935—
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109. A joint resolution providing that the Superintendent of the Five Civilized Tribes shall be appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate—
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110. A joint resolution authorizing Brig. Gen. C. E. Nathorst, Philippine Constabulary, retired, to accept such decorations, orders, medals, or presents as have been tendered him by foreign governments—
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112. A joint resolution extending the effective period of the Emergency Railroad Transportation Act, 1933—
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113. A joint resolution to extend until April 1, 1936, the provisions of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and for other purposes—
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115. A joint resolution designating the last Sunday in September as "Gold Star Mother's Day", and for other purposes—
read twice and referred 314
116. A joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski—
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117. A joint resolution to provide for the reappointment of Frederic A. Delano as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution—
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examined and signed 579
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118. A joint resolution providing for the filling of a vacancy in the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution of the class other than Members of Congress—
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119. A joint resolution providing for membership of the United States in the League of Nations—
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120. A joint resolution to prohibit the export of arms and ammunition and to regulate trade in contraband of war under certain conditions—

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122. A joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York and Vermont to enter into an agreement amending the agreement between such States consented to by Congress in Public Resolution No. 9, Seventieth Congress, relating to the creation of the Lake Champlain Bridge Commission—
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123. A joint resolution to provide for a balanced Budget—
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124. A joint resolution relating to the sale, reorganization, or dismemberment of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Co.—
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125. A joint resolution relative to the purchase of beef and beef products for the use of the United States Army—
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126. A joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States to use the funds of the Imperial German Government, or its successor or successors, and of all German nationals to settle claims of American citizens against said Government, and for other purposes—
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127. A joint resolution to provide funds for the protection of land resources against soil erosion—
read twice and referred 338
128. A joint resolution for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Missouri Avenue"—
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129. A joint resolution for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Maine Avenue"—
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130. A joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for the fiscal year 1936 for the construction, repair, and maintenance of Indian-reservation roads—
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 629) 354
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passed the House 406
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131. A joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes—
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132. A joint resolution to create a Commission to determine a suitable location and design for a memorial to the men and women who have been notable or may become notable in the history of the United States—
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considered, read the third time, and passed 426
preamble agreed to 426
133. A joint resolution for designation of a street to be known as "Missouri Avenue"—
read twice and referred 355
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134. A joint resolution providing for participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay—
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135. A joint resolution authorizing the President to make payment or settlement of the adjusted-service certificates issued to veterans of the World War, and for other purposes—
read twice and referred 376
136. A joint resolution authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1935, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski—
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137. A joint resolution directing the Comptroller General of the United States to correct an error made in the adjustment of the account between the State of New York and the United States, adjusted under the authority contained in the act of February 24, 1905 (33 Stat. L. 777), and appropriated for in the Deficiency Act of February 27, 1906—
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138. A joint resolution relative to inviting the International Statistical Institute to hold its session in the United States in 1939—
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139. A joint resolution requesting the President to extend to the International Statistical Institute an invitation to hold its twenty-fourth session in the United States in 1939—
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142. A joint resolution providing for the continuance of the wildlife restoration program and other conservation projects—	
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143. A joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblage of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes—	
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144. A joint resolution to provide for the payment of compensation and expenses of the Railroad Retirement Board as established and operated pursuant to section 9 of the Railroad Retirement Act of June 27, 1934, and to provide for the winding up of its affairs and the disposition of its property and records, and to make an appropriation for such purposes—	
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preamble agreed to	477
145. A joint resolution authorizing the appropriation of funds for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property during the [convention of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World in the District of Columbia] *period* August [25,] *16*, 1935, to August 31, 1935, both inclusive—	
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reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1070)	509
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	556
passed the House	571
examined and signed	579
presented	581
approved [Public Resolution No. 48]	605
146. A joint resolution to extend from June 16, 1935, to June 16, 1938, the period within which loans made prior to June 16, 1933, to executive officers of member banks of the Federal Reserve System may be renewed or extended—	
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147. A joint resolution creating a joint committee to investigate Federal liquor control and methods practiced in defrauding the Federal Government of taxes from liquor sales—	
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148. A joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the minimum-wage compact ratified by the Legislatures of Massachusetts and New Hampshire—	
read twice and referred	432
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149. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court in passing upon the validity of acts of Congress—	
read twice and referred	446
150. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on certain securities and the income derived therefrom—	
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151. A joint resolution making provision for a national celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, wealthiest signer of the Declaration of Independence—	
read twice and referred	474
reported without amendment	623
considered, read the third time, and passed	630
preamble agreed to	630
152. A joint resolution to extend for 1 year the temporary plan for deposit insurance provided for by section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended—	
read twice and referred	474
reported without amendment, considered, read the third time, and passed	474
passed the House with an amendment	488
Senate agrees to House amendment	489
examined and signed	491
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approved [Public Resolution No. 38]	494
153. A joint resolution providing for participation by the United States in the Pan American Exposition to be held in Tampa, Fla., in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the landing of Hernando De Soto in Tampa Bay, and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	553
154. A joint resolution consenting that certain States may sue the United States, and providing for trial on the merits of any suit brought hereunder by a State to recover direct taxes alleged to have been illegally collected by the United States during the fiscal years ending June 30, 1866, 1867, and 1868, and vesting the right in each State to sue in its own name—	
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155. A joint resolution authorizing exchange of certain securities, coins, and currencies of the United States; withdrawing the right to sue the United States on its bonds and other similar obligations; limiting the use of certain appropriations; and for other purposes—	
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157. A joint resolution approving the construction and establishment of buildings and facilities for, and the production and operation of, a Pan American Exposition and International Merchandising Mart, at Miami, Fla., and authorizing the Director of the Public Works Administration to cooperate in making available certain funds therefor; providing for the participation by the United States therein, and to permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at such exposition to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes—	
read twice and referred	502
158. A joint resolution to extend the time within which applications may be filed under the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, as amended—	
read twice and referred	504
159. A joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to enter into a compact for the creation of the Interstate Sanitation District and the establishment of the Interstate Sanitation Commission—	
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considered, preamble amended, read the third time, and passed	605
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160. A joint resolution to create a commission to study and report on the feasibility of establishing a national monument, or monuments, in the territory occupied by the Spanish Colonial Missions and other buildings, in the States of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Florida, and Louisiana—	
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161. A joint resolution validating certain conveyances by Kickapoo Indians of Oklahoma made prior to February 17, 1933; providing for actions in partition in certain cases; and for other purposes—	
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162. A joint resolution to promote the general welfare of the Indians of the United States of America, and for other purposes—	
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163. A joint resolution to authorize the acceptance of bids for Government contracts made subject to codes of fair competition—	
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164. A joint resolution to authorize the selection of a site and the erection thereon of a suitable monument indicating the historical significance of the first entrance into the city of Washington of a steam railroad, and for other purposes—	
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reported without amendment	623
considered, read the third time, and passed	630
165. A joint resolution directing the Architect of the Capitol to accept a copy of the painting of "Liev Eiriksson Discovers America"—	
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166. A joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Okla., to be held May 16 to May 23, 1936, inclusive—	
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167. A joint resolution to amend the public resolution approved June 28, 1935, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes"—	
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169. A joint resolution granting permission to Hugh S. Cumming, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service; John D. Long, medical director, United States Public Health Service; Bolivar J. Lloyd, medical director, United States Public Health Service; and Clifford R. Eskey, surgeon, United States Public Health Service, to accept and wear certain decorations bestowed upon them by the Governments of Ecuador, Chile, Peru, and Cuba—	
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173. A joint resolution providing for the prohibition of the export of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to belligerent countries; the prohibition of the transportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war by vessels of the United States for the use of belligerent states; for the registration and licensing of persons engaged in the business of manufacturing, exporting, or importing arms, ammunition, or implements of war; and restricting travel by American citizens on belligerent ships during war—	
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5. A resolution providing for an investigation of railroad freight rates—	
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18. A resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to receive evidence and take testimony in impeachment trials—	
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27. A resolution authorizing the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys to hold hearings during the Seventy-fourth Congress—	
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examined and signed	655
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received	578
read twice and referred	579
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1305)	608
considered, read the third time, and passed	628
examined and signed	655
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considered, read the third time, and passed	628
examined and signed	655
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 806)	413
considered, read the third time, and passed	427
examined and signed	433
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2469. An act for the relief of Michael P. Lucas—	
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received	244
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considered, read the third time, and passed	311
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read twice and referred	517
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1210)	581
considered, read the third time, and passed	627
examined and signed	655
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2480. An act for the relief of Charles Davis—	
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read twice and referred	126
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considered, read the third time, and passed	559
examined and signed	564
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1060)	509
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 961)	480
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read twice and referred	246
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 658)	375
considered, read the third time, and passed	391
examined and signed	403
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2690. An act for the relief of John B. Grayson—	
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read twice and referred	245
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1268)	604
considered, read the third time, and passed	628
examined and signed	655
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2702. An act for the relief of Emanuel Lieberman—	
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1343)	622
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House agrees to Senate amendments	572
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House agrees to Senate amendments	572
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read twice and referred	364
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examined and signed	691
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examined and signed	403
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read twice and referred	364
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considered, read the third time, and passed	559
examined and signed	564
(vetoed.)	
5245. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Leiding—	
received	590
read twice and referred	591
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5368. An act to provide for the addition of certain lands to the Chalmette National Monument in the State of Louisiana, and for other purposes—	
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read twice and referred	591
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considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
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6424. An act to exempt a limited quantity of cotton from the tax under the Cotton Control Act, to provide for the better administration of such act, and for other purposes—	
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6437. An act to amend Private Act No. 5, Seventy-third Congress, entitled "An act to convey certain lands in the county of Los Angeles, State of California "—	
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examined and signed	433
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6453. An act to amend the act of May 13, 1924, entitled "An act providing for a study regarding the equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande ", etc., as amended by the public resolution of March 3, 1927—	
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Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference	513
Senate agrees to the report of conference	580
House agrees to the report of conference	586
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6457. An act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hudson, N. Y., *and of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city of Providence, R. I., respectively*—	
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House agrees to Senate amendment	282
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6504. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor "—	
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examined and signed	479
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6510. An act to amend the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act—	
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House agrees to Senate amendments	667
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6511. An act to amend the air-mail laws and to authorize the extension of the Air Mail Service—	
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6544. An act to conserve the water resources and to encourage reforestation of the watersheds of Santa Barbara County, Calif., by the withdrawal of certain public land included within the Santa Barbara National Forest, Calif., from location and entry under the mining laws—	
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6602. An act for the relief of Dr. Ernest B. Dunlap—	
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House agrees to Senate amendments	667
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read twice and referred	265
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read twice and referred	579
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Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference	662
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House agrees to conference report	680
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	392
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received	406
read twice and referred	407
7224. An act to conserve the water resources and to encourage reforestation of the watersheds of Fresno County by the withdrawal of certain public lands included within the Sequoia National Forest from location and entry under the mining laws—	
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read twice and referred	629
7235. An act to make provision for suitable quarters for certain Government services at El Paso, Tex., and for other purposes—	
received	406
read twice and referred	407
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7254. An act for the relief of Lily M. Miller—	
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Senate agrees to the report of conference	588
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 682)	375
considered, read the third time, and passed	391
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approved [Public Law No. 95]	411
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read twice and referred	407
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 912)	452
considered, read the third time, and passed	476
examined and signed	482
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7314. An act authorizing a preliminary examination of Point Remove Creek, Ark., a tributary of the Arkansas River—	
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examined and signed	482
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7374. An act to amend section 98 of the Judicial Code to provide for the inclusion of Durham County, N. C., in the middle district of North Carolina, and for other purposes—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	478
examined and signed	482
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7380. An act authorizing the Virgin Islands Co. to settle valid claims of its creditors, and for other purposes—	
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examined and signed	678
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7393. An act for the relief of Ralph P. Kellogg—	
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7438. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and operation of certain bridges across the Monongahela, Allegheny, and Youghiogheny Rivers in the county of Allegheny, Pa.", approved June 4, 1934—	
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reported without amendment	623
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7447. An act to amend an act to provide for a Union Railroad Station in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes—	
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7506. An act to provide for a stenographic grade in the offices of Chief Clerk and Superintendent in the Railway Mail Service—	
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7520. An act for the relief of David A. Trousdale—	
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7526. An act to amend the act approved February 20, 1931 (Public, No. 703, 71st Cong.), entitled "An act to provide for special assessments for the paving of roadways and the laying of curbs and gutters"—	
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7577. An act for the relief of Mrs. William E. Smith and Clara Smith—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	628
examined and signed	656
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7590. An act to create a Central Statistical Committee and a Central Statistical Board, and for other purposes—	
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House agrees to Senate amendments	529
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7591. An act granting the consent of Congress to the cities of Donora and Monessen, Pa., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Monongahela River between the two cities—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	559
examined and signed	564
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7592. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Sistersville, W. Va.—	
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read twice and referred	629
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considered, read the third time, and passed	682
examined and signed	692
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reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1127)	522
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7659. An act to provide that tolls on certain bridges over navigable waters of the United States shall be just and reasonable, and for other purposes—	
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7688. An act to provide for the appointment and promotion of substitute postal employees, and for other purposes—	
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7709. An act to provide time credits for substitute laborers in the Post Office when appointed as regular laborer—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	478
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read twice and placed on the calendar	389
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7873. An act to give the consent and approval of Congress to the extension of the terms and provisions of the present Rio Grande compact signed at Santa Fe, N. Mex., on February 12, 1929, and heretofore approved by act of Congress dated June 17, 1930 (Public, No. 370, Seventy-first Congress, 46 Stat. 767)—	
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7875. An act to provide for the transfer of certain land in the city of Charlotte, Mich., to such city—	
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read twice and referred	629
7882. An act to authorize the incorporated city of Anchorage, Alaska, to construct a municipal building and purchase and install a modern telephone exchange, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $75,000; and to authorize said city to accept grants of money to aid it in financing any public works—	
received	511
read twice and referred	511
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examined and signed	565
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7897. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River, at or near Elizabeth, in the county of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—	
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read twice and referred	629
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considered, read the third time, and passed	682
examined and signed	692
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7902. An act to provide a right-of-way—	
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considered, read the third time, and passed	554
examined and signed	562
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received	629
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1391)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	682
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read twice and referred	629
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approved [Public Law No. 370]	737
7928. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River, at or near Ford City, Pa.—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1392)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	632
examined and signed	692
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7930. An act to eliminate certain lands from the Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho—	
received	610
read twice and referred	610
7932. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Susquehanna River, at or near Wyalusing, in the county of Bradford, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1393)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	682
examined and signed	695
approved [Public Law No. 372]	737
7936. An act to adjust the salaries of rural letter carriers, and for other purposes—	
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read twice and referred	520
7938. An act to authorize the transfer of the Otter Cliffs Radio Station on Mount Desert Island in the State of Maine as an addition to the Acadia National Park, and for other purposes—	
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read twice and referred	610
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considered, read the third time, and passed	626
examined and signed	656
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received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment, considered, read the third time, and passed	629
examined and signed	656
approved [Public Law No. 299]	735
7974. An act to withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing field—	
received	670
read twice and referred	670
reported without amendment	676
considered, read the third time, and passed	731
examined and signed	732
approved [Public Law No. 397]	738
7979. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across Puget Sound at or near a point commonly known as "The Narrows" in the State of Washington—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
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considered, read the third time, and passed	682
examined and signed	692
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7980. An act to protect the revenue of the United States and provide measures for the more effective enforcement of the laws respecting the revenue, to prevent smuggling, to authorize customs-enforcement areas, and for other purposes—	
received	432
read twice and referred	432
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considered, read the third time, and passed	550
examined and signed	555
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7982. An act to amend the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act of March 16, 1934, and certain other acts relating to game and other wildlife, administered by the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes—	
received	413
read twice and placed on the calendar	413
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House agrees to Senate amendments with an amendment	439
Senate agrees to House amendment	439
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7998. An act to exempt from income taxation, on the basis of reciprocity, compensation of employees of foreign governments—	
received	624
read twice and considered, read the third time, and passed	629
examined and signed	656
approved [Public Law No. 374]	737
8002. An act to increase the compensation of letter carriers in the village delivery service—	
received	520
read twice and referred	520
8020. An act for the relief of Jose R. Redlhammer—	
received	590
read twice and referred	591
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1358)	622
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
approved [Private Law No. 334]	736
8021. An act making appropriations for the legislative branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and for other purposes—	
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Senate insists upon its amendments and asks conference	400
House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference	439
House agrees to conference report; insists upon its disagreement to Senate amendments nos. 3 to 10, inclusive, and 12 to 32, inclusive, and asks further conference	488
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8032. An act for the relief of the Ward Funeral Home—	
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received	590
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8098. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mahoning River at or near Edinburg, in the county of Lawrence, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1395)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
approved [Public Law No. 375]	738
8131. An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at or near Owensboro, Ky.—	
received	629
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1396)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
approved [Public Law No. 376]	738
8133. An act to authorize certain homestead [settlers or] entrymen who are disabled World War veterans to make final proof of their entries, and for other purposes—	
received	610
read twice and referred	610
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1413)	658
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed; title amended	683
House agrees to Senate amendments	730
examined and signed	732
approved [Public Law No. 377]	738
8183. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near Emlenton, in the county of Venango, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—	
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read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1397)	634
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
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received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1398)	635
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
approved [Public Law No. 379]	738
8189. An act granting the consent of Congress to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Allegheny River at or near East Brady, in the counties of Clarion and Armstrong, and in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1399)	635
considered, read the third time, and passed	681
examined and signed	692
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considered, read the third time, and passed	559
examined and signed	565
approved [Public Law No. 237]	571
8279. An act to authorize the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to make loans to institutions organized for the purpose of making loans for the payment of taxes on real estate, and for other purposes—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
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8312. An act to add certain lands to the Rogue River National Forest in the State of Oregon—	
received	610
read twice and referred	610
8345. An act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept without cost to the United States certain lands in Duval County, State of Florida—	
received	632
read twice and referred	636
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1407)	658
considered, read the third time, and passed	682
examined and signed	692
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8369. An act relating to laborers in the Railway Mail Service and motor-vehicle employees of the Postal Service—	
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read twice and referred	487
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considered, read the third time, and passed	554
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received	578
read twice and referred	579
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considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	627
House agrees to Senate amendments	667
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received	578
read twice and referred	579
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1246)	599
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	627
House agrees to Senate amendments	667
examined and signed	668
disapproved	741
8423. An act granting increase of pensions to certain former widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War—	
received	578
read twice and referred	579
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1247)	599
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	627
House agrees to Senate amendments	667
examined and signed	668
disapproved	742
8424. An act granting increase of pensions to certain widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War—	
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read twice and referred	579
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House agrees to Senate amendments	667
examined and signed	668
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received	578
read twice and referred	579
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1245)	599
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	627
House agrees to Senate amendments	667
examined and signed	668
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8426. An act granting pensions to certain soldiers of the Civil War—	
received	578
read twice and referred	579
reported with amendments (Rept. No. 1249)	599
considered, amended, read the third time, and passed	627
House agrees to Senate amendments	667
examined and signed	668
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8444. An act to authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior—	
received	536
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8458. An act to provide for vacations to Government employees, and for other purposes—	
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read twice and referred	587
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8459. An act to standardize sick leave and extend it to all civilian employees—	
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read twice and referred	587
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8473. An act to provide for the compiling and publishing of the Official Register of the United States—	
received	624
read twice and referred	629
reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1400), considered, read the third time, and passed	635
examined and signed	678
approved [Public Law No. 387]	738
8492. An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes—	
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8512. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Fort Yates School District, Sioux County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children—	
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read twice and referred	677
reported without amendment	730
considered, read the third time, and passed	731
examined and signed	732
approved [Public Law No. 406]	739
8513. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Trenton School District, Williams County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children—	
received	677
read twice and referred	677
reported without amendment	730
considered, read the third time, and passed	731
examined and signed	732
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8515. An act to provide funds for cooperation with Sanish School District, No. 1, Mountrail County, N. Dak., for extension of public-school buildings to be available for Indian children—	
received	677
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8519. An act requiring contracts for the construction, alteration, and repair of any public building or public work of the United States to be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the United States and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor for the construction, alteration, or repair of said public buildings or public work—	
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8598. An act to provide for the inspection and regulation of vessels engaged in the transportation of inflammable, explosive, and like dangerous cargoes in navigable waters of the United States—	
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- examined and signed — 460
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- considered, read the third time, and passed — 554
- examined and signed — 562
- approved [Public Resolution No. 42] — 571

189. A joint resolution relating to the continuance on the pay rolls of certain employees in cases of death or resignation of Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners—
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- reported without amendment — 599
- considered, read the third time, and passed — 628
- examined and signed — 656
- approved [Public Resolution No. 52] — 677

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- preamble agreed to — 477
- House agrees to Senate amendment — 511
- examined and signed — 511
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- read twice and referred — 319
- reported without amendment (Rept. No. 768) — 398
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- examined and signed — 433
- approved [Public Resolution No. 30] — 484

208. A joint resolution to provide for the observance and celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory—
- received — 385
- read twice and referred — 385
- reported without amendment — 495
- considered, read the third time, and passed — 552
- preamble agreed to — 552
- examined and signed — 562
- approved [Public Resolution No. 41] — 571

213. A joint resolution consenting that certain States may sue the United States and providing for trial on the merits in any suit brought hereunder by a State to recover direct taxes alleged to have been illegally collected by the United States during the fiscal years ending June 30, 1866, 1867, and 1868, and vesting the right in each State to sue in its own name—
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249. A joint resolution to provide for participation by the United States in the Eighth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held at Brussels, Belgium, in June 1935—
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- considered, read the third time, and passed — 335
- preamble agreed to — 335
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- read twice and referred — 520
- reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1334) — 609
- considered, read the third time, and passed — 628
- examined and signed — 656
- approved [Public Resolution No. 60] — 738

258. A joint resolution to provide for certain State allotments under the Cotton Control Act—
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- read twice and referred — 305
- reported without amendment — 551
- considered, read the third time, and passed — 559
- examined and signed — 565
- approved [Public Resolution No. 47] — 590

265. A joint resolution pertaining to an appropriate celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the expedition of Hernando De Soto, *and for other purposes*—
- received — 447
- read twice and referred — 448
- reported without amendment — 574
- considered, amended, read the third time, and passed — 626
- preamble agreed to — 626
- title amended — 626
- House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks conference — 659
- Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference — 661
- Senate agrees to the report of conference — 680
- House agrees to the report of conference — 696
- examined and signed — 729
- approved [Public Resolution No. 57] — 737

272. A joint resolution to enable the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to defray certain expenses incident to the convention of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine, June 8 to June 17, 1935, both inclusive—
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273. A joint resolution extending the gratitude of the Nation to Admiral Byrd and to the members of his expedition—
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274. A joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint committee to meet with other representatives of the Government in greeting Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd upon his return from his second Antarctic expedition—
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276. A joint resolution authorizing the State of Arizona to transfer to the town of Benson without cost title to section 16, township 17 south, range 20 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, for school and park purposes—
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- read twice and referred — 574
- reported without amendment (Rept. No. 1403) — 635
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- examined and signed — 692
- approved [Public Resolution No. 56] — 736

280. A joint resolution for the designation of a street or avenue in the Mall to be known as "Maine Avenue"—
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285. A joint resolution to permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States in 1935—
- received — 374
- read twice and referred — 374
- reported without amendment (Rept. No. 786) — 405
- considered, read the third time, and passed — 427
- examined and signed — 433
- approved [Public Resolution No. 31] — 484

286. A joint resolution for the relief of Kam N. Kathju—
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288. A joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to pay necessary expenses of assemblages of the 4-H clubs, and for other purposes—
- received — 413
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