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CONGRESS PUTS ON BRAKES

Only One Public Building Bill Permitted for Each Congressman.

NEW RULE HITS HINSHAW HARD

Amxious to Get Appropriations for Beatrice and Fairbury—Nebraska Towns Favored—Survey of Logan Creek.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(Special Telegram.)—In all probability the omnibus public building bill will be reported next week, the committee on public buildings and grounds of the house having agreed upon the general provisions of the measure, the bill being the only thing left for them to consider.



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HILL'S PURSE TOO SLENDER

This Said to Be the Reason Objection Was Made to Him.

LONGWORTH SAYS SO IN HOUSE

Debate on Consular Bill Brings Out More Complete Details of the Famous Diplomatic Incident.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The objection to Dr. Hill as ambassador to Berlin was simply and solely that his private fortune would not enable him to represent properly the dignity of the American nation.

Mr. Longworth said without going into the question as to whether Mr. Tower had maintained too luxurious an establishment that everybody would concede that the American ambassador to Germany should at least have a house to live in and not be compelled to live in a hotel or a flat.

SUGGESTED CALENDAR REFORM

Proposed Method of Adjusting Work Hours to Length of the Day.

While the plan of William Willett for lengthening our days in summer has advanced in England to the point of the introduction of a bill, it is hardly likely to receive the sanction of Parliament.

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BANDITS TERRORIZE TOWN

Persian Authorities in Panic Over Outlawry.

RUSSIA COMPELLED TO FIGHT

Line of Battle Extends Across Frontier of Necessity—Trouble Ahead of Army of Pacification.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 18.—The foreign office is keenly interested in Russia's little frontier war in Persia. It is the first occasion to see for the active application of Russia's rights, under the Anglo-Russian agreement, to interfere to preserve order in northern Persia.

The Russian commander telegraphs that the Persian detachments along the frontier have abandoned their villages and fled to the mountains. The Russian detachment is still in Persian territory.

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Conrad Kahler, a laboring man employed as caretaker for a number of cattle feeding at the Willow Springs distillery, was knocked down and had both legs cut off by the engine Friday evening about 8:30, a short distance north of the Union Pacific railroad bridge along the river front.

switch engine, which was coupled head-on to a number of freight cars, was backing north at a slow rate of speed, when Kahler was seen to step onto the track in the path of the engine, presumably to climb onto the footboard and ride. It is supposed that he slipped and fell.

Sunday Ice Cream Necessity. ORANGE, N. J., April 18.—A storm of protest is brewing over the provisions of a new law ordinance passed early this week prohibiting the sale or delivery of anything but the best quality of ice cream on Sunday.

What Nebraska Gets.

The bill will carry an appropriation of probably \$20,000 for the erection of a public building at Plattsmouth, the site having already been purchased. The reports, however, from Plattsmouth are not reassuring, the record showing that there has been considerable falling off in postal receipts at that place and it is doubtful if Plattsmouth would have been considered by the committee had not the government already purchased a site there.

Judge Boyd will be given an appropriation for a site at Columbus. This, it is understood, is all that the representative of the Third district has asked for, although he introduced a bill for Fremont. Boyd believes in going slowly as to public buildings, appreciating that concentrated effort for a single city is more likely to bring results than the scattering of effort.

In view of the fact that a term of federal court is held at North Platte, Judge Kinkaid probably will be given an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection thereon of a postoffice and court house in North Platte.

Survey of Logan Creek.

C. G. Elliott of the engineer corps of the Department of Agriculture, in an interview had with Judge Boyd today, stated that there would be quite a party of engineers sent shortly for Nebraska to begin on May 1 making surveys looking to a straightening of Logan creek, which runs through the counties of Cedar, Dixon, Thurston, Cuming, Burt and Dodge. The work will be begun at the source of Logan creek, near Coleridge, Neb., and will cover the entire course of the stream to its mouth near Hooper, where it empties into the Rikhoon.

Hallowell Case Coming Up Again.

The case of Hallowell against the United States, growing out of the introduction of liquor on an Indian allotment, which was argued in the supreme court March 18, by Thos. L. Sloan for the plaintiff in error, and Solicitor General Hoyt for the United States and in which the supreme court later dismissed the questions certified to the court for consideration and determination as the law points, now goes back to the circuit court of appeals for recertification.

Bill to Aid Fruit Jobbers.

Today Senator Burkett introduced a bill to express companies, the Western Fruit Jobbers association being greatly interested in this legislation. The bill prohibits any express company to transport or receive for transportation any article or commodity in which said company, agent or employe has any interest, direct or indirect. This bill is the outgrowth of charges made by the Western Fruit Jobbers.

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Omaha, is secretary, that certain express companies were engaged in handling fruits and produce for their own benefit and to the detriment of commission merchants.

Gamble Bill Reported.

The Gamble bill, creating a new land district in South Dakota, was today favorably reported by the committee on public lands of the house. This measure, generally known as the Logan land district bill, Senator Gamble put through the senate a week ago, and now with a favorable report from the house committee on public lands will go through the house and thence to the president at an early date.

OSCAR E. BARNES OF MITCHELL, NEB., HAS BEEN APPOINTED CHIEF IN THE RECLAMATION SERVICE LOCATED IN NEBRASKA.

MORE PAY FOR THE ARMY

Conference Committee Agrees on This Section of Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The army is practically assured of an increase in pay. The conference of the senate and house have reached an agreement on this item of the army appropriation bill substantially along the lines of the senate amendment which graded the authorized increases according to the various branches of the service. No agreement has been arrived at on the appropriations for barracks and quarters which was increased \$1,625,000 by the senate, making the total \$4,500,000. The senate struck out also a provision that not more than \$1,000,000 should be used for new construction and not more than \$100,000 at any one post. The house conferees take the position that in the form in which this appropriation has been left by the senate it would be possible to divert practically the entire amount to one section of the country and build up a great military post such as has not been the purpose of the bill.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE

Debate on Diplomatic and Consular Bill Takes Wide Range.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The attitude of Emperor William and the Berlin court toward David James Hill, named by the president to be ambassador at that capital, was subject of comment in the house of representatives today during the consideration of the diplomatic and consular bill. Mr. Perkins of New York and Mr. Slayden of Texas expressed the opinion that the objections to Mr. Hill were due to no other cause than the fact that he was financially unable to maintain a certain standard of social representation. Each of them condemned the practice which they said had grown up of selecting men of great wealth to be the nation's diplomatic representatives abroad and urged as a means of counteracting the effect of such a policy the housing of our diplomats in buildings owned by the government and the allowance to them of salaries sufficient to enable them to maintain the dignity of their high offices.

of North Carolina made a plea in support here association, of which Mr. Branch of the proposition for an inland waterway from Cape Cod to Beaufort, N. C., and Mr. Saunders of Virginia urged governmental aid to various schools of the several states in promoting the cause of agriculture.

Mr. Cousins of Iowa, chairman of the committee, deferred until tomorrow the usual explanation of the diplomatic bill.

With the diplomatic bill still under consideration, the house at 5:42 p. m. recessed until 11:30 a. m. tomorrow.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE

Bill to Limit Injunctions Against State Laws is Passed.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Injunction against the enforcement of state laws can only be issued by a majority of three federal judges, who are to pass them if a bill that passed the senate today becomes a law. The bill was drafted in the judiciary committee from a number of measures under consideration. It was reported by Senator Overman and its provisions were explained by him to the senate. A substitute by Senator Burkett was disagreed to. The Overman bill was opposed by Mr. Heyburn on the ground that the great distances between the federal courts in the west would operate to delay the granting of necessary injunctions. Senator Knox favored the passage of the bill and opposed Mr. Heyburn's argument. The senate discussed at length the bill to appropriate the proceeds from the sale of certain public lands for the reclamation of swamp lands, but made little progress towards its passage.

For nearly two hours today the senate discussed the Flint bill, appropriating all moneys received from the sale of public lands in the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio and Wisconsin to the drainage of swamp lands.

Leading a fight on the section of the bill authorizing the loaning of this money to municipalities, corporations or individuals as well as states for this purpose, Senator Bacon (Ga.) was supported by Messrs. Hale and McCumber. Senator Clark criticized the bill, because it did not restrict the loaning of the \$5,000,000 received from the sale of such land in the past and all money from the same source in the future to the states enumerated in the bill. It being evident that there would be considerable

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The place was black with spectators. Around the point we could see the puffs of a salute, given probably by one of the forts or ships to note the arrival of President Montt. Then we came close to Angales Point. The beach was thronged. There were tents where gimcracks were being sold and double-decker tram cars were loaded to the limit. It seemed as if all Valparaiso had come out to that place. The glasses were turned upon Fort Valdivia, just beyond Point Angales. It is a naval station.

Suddenly a midshipman discovered that there was a sign in English on one of its terraces. It said: "Welcome!"

"That's mighty nice to whiffwash a lot of stones in that way, isn't it?" said an officer on the bridge.

Three minutes later a young officer sang out: "A dozen glasses were focused on the sign at once. Sure enough, stretched upon the terrace, there lay a human sign, made up of sailors or naval cadets in white. It took three men's length to make the height of a single letter. Two men were required for the top and bottom of the letter O. One man was sufficient each for the curved upper and lower part of the letter. These men must not have been entirely comfortable, for they lay there fully an hour, but the sign was as immobile as if it were made of stone. That compliment touched the kindly feeling of everyone on the ships. It made a sensation. No one had ever seen anything like that. There was no way of answering it in kind, as you can in saluting; you could only look at it in dumb amazement and feel grateful.

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