

H. R. 13547. An act to safeguard the validity of permits to use recreational areas in the San Bernardino and Cleveland National Forests (Rept. No. 1388);

H. R. 15867. An act to provide for the retention by the United States of a site within the Hot Springs National Park formerly occupied by the Arlington Hotel and Bathhouse, for park and landscape purposes (Rept. No. 1389); and

H. R. 15876. An act to provide for the addition of certain lands to the Mesa Verde National Park, Colo., and for other purposes (Rept. No. 1390).

Mr. KENDRICK, from the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, to which was referred the bill (S. 5588) to add certain public lands to the Washakie National Forest, Wyo., reported it with amendments and submitted a report (No. 1391) thereon.

He also, from the same committee, to which was referred the bill (H. R. 15877) to authorize exchanges of land with owners of private-land holdings within the Craters of the Moon National Monument, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1392) thereon.

Mr. STEPHENS, from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred the bill (S. 1876) for the relief of the Columbia Casualty Co., reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1393) thereon.

Mr. ASHURST, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to which were referred the following bills, reported them each without amendment and submitted reports thereon:

S. 5557. An act to amend the act of May 23, 1930 (46 Stat. 378) (Rept. No. 1394); and

S. 5586. An act to authorize the President of the United States to establish the Canyon De Chelly National Monument within the Navajo Indian Reservation, Ariz. (Rept. No. 1395).

Mr. FRAZIER, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to which were referred the following bills, reported them each with amendments and submitted reports thereon:

S. 4830. An act providing for payment of \$25 to each enrolled Chippewa Indian of Minnesota from the funds standing to their credit in the Treasury of the United States (Rept. No. 1396); and

S. 5120. An act to reimburse William S. Lewis for his traveling expenses as counsel for the Spokane Indians (Rept. No. 1397).

Mr. FRAZIER, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to which was referred the bill (S. 5522) providing for sale of Chippewa Indian land to the State of Minnesota, reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1398) thereon.

Mr. THOMAS of Oklahoma, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to which was referred the bill (S. 5553) 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," reported it without amendment and submitted a report (No. 1399) thereon.

#### REPORTS OF NOMINATIONS

As in executive session,

Mr. PHIPPS, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, reported favorably the nominations of sundry postmasters, which were placed on the Executive Calendar.

Mr. COUZENS, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably the nomination of David Burnet, of Ohio, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue, in place of Robert H. Lucas, resigned, which was placed on the Executive Calendar.

#### BILLS INTRODUCED

Bills were introduced, read the first time, and, by unanimous consent, the second time, and referred as follows:

By Mr. BRATTON:

A bill (S. 5911) granting a pension to Florentino Montano; to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (S. 5912) authorizing the reimbursement of Edward B. Wheeler and the State Investment Co. for the loss of certain lands in the Mora Grant, N. Mex.; to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

By Mr. FESS:

A bill (S. 5913) granting an increase of pension to Mary Walters (with accompanying papers); and

A bill (S. 5914) granting an increase of pension to Effie Washington (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. THOMAS of Oklahoma:

A bill (S. 5915) granting an increase of pension to Edward Shaw (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. KEAN:

A bill (S. 5916) permitting the laying of a conduit across E and F Streets SW., Washington, D. C.; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. SHEPPARD:

A bill (S. 5917) to appoint W. D. Herring a second lieutenant in the Regular Army; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 5918) authorizing disposition of naval floating dry docks no longer in use; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. MOSES:

A bill (S. 5919) granting an increase of pension to Adele Y. Taylor (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. STECK:

A bill (S. 5920) authorizing the attendance of the Army Band at the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Des Moines, Iowa; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McNARY:

A bill (S. 5921) authorizing Dalles City, a municipal corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Columbia River at or near The Dalles, Ore.; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BROOKHART (by request):

A bill (S. 5922) to repeal section 3220, Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 26, sec. 158), so far as it applies to narcotic drugs; and

A bill (S. 5923) to require physicians and surgeons administering to or prescribing for patients under their professional charge to inform them of the nature of the drugs being administered or prescribed, if such drugs or any part of them are narcotic, and warning them of the effects of their continued use; to regulate the filling of such prescriptions by pharmacists; and regulating the manufacture of medicinal preparations containing narcotic drugs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROBINSON of Arkansas:

A bill (S. 5924) renewing and extending patents Nos. 1102653 and 1103503; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. FLETCHER:

A bill (S. 5925) granting a pension to Helen F. Wilcox; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. JOHNSON:

A bill (S. 5926) granting an increase of pension to Alzina M. Wilson; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. GLENN:

A bill (S. 5927) for the relief of Alfred W. Mayfield; to the Committee on Claims.

#### PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. TYDINGS submitted sundry amendments intended to be proposed by him to the bill (S. 3344) supplementing the national prohibition act for the District of Columbia, which were ordered to lie on the table and to be printed.

#### INDIAN AFFAIRS AND POLICY

Mr. THOMAS of Oklahoma submitted the following resolution (S. Res. 424), which was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs:

Whereas the Supreme Court in the exercise of the judicial power conferred by the Constitution has held, uniformly, that:

1. The Indians of the United States are the wards of the Nation;
2. The power of the Federal Government over the Indians is necessary to their protection;
3. It is the duty of the Federal Government to protect the Indians collectively and individually;

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