END OF THE SESSION.

THE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS SINE DIE THURSDAY.

Proceedings of the Last Day—The Direct Tax Money Goes for Current Expenses—Summary of the Work Done at the Session.

MONTPELIER, Aug. 27.—The extra session of the Legislature came to an end at 11:30 this morning and the members took the first train for home. Many would have gone to the breeders meeting at White River Junction had it not been for the rain.

WORK OF THE DAY.

The Business Transacted in Both Branches Before Adjournment.

The Senate killed these bills: S. 8, an act in amendment of section 82 of the Revised Laws, relating to the election of representatives to the General Assembly; S. 9, an act in amendment of the Australian ballot law.

H. 18, an act to provide for the expenses of the present session of the General Assembly, was passed.

A message from the governor informed the Senate that he had approved an act to incorporate the Black River railroad; S. 3, an act relating to annual meetings in school district No. 4, St. Albans; S. 4, an act in amendment of act No. 108 laws of Vermont approved Nov. 24, 1890, entitled an act to incorporate the Chittenden county railroad.

Senator Cleveland of Orleans asked unanimous consent to introduce a bill, which was granted. S. 10, an act in amendment of No. 190 of the acts of 1876 entitled an act to incorporate the village of North Troy. Referred to general committee who reported favorably and the bill was read the third time and passed.

Senator Fairchild introduced the following joint resolution relating to the disposition of the direct tax fund:

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives that the sum of money refunded to this State by act of Congress approved March 2, 1891, and accepted by the Legislature of this State, when received by the governor, be paid to the State treasurer and by him covered into the State treasury and such sums of money shall be used and be hereby appropriated to pay the current obligations and general expenses of the state.

H. 33, an act to establish maximum rates in the charges of express companies, was passed.

After the usual closing formalities the lieutenant governor at 11:30 o'clock declared the Senate adjourned sine die.

RECEIVING [illegible]

The House passed [illegible] S. 6, providing [illegible] and women [illegible] incorporating the [illegible] express company. [Amendments proposed by the Senate concurred in.] H. 32, regulating charges of express companies. [Amendments cut off the extra charge made by express companies to cover the tax imposed upon these companies last session]; H. 35, providing for expenses of special session. [Appropriates $20,000.] S. 10, relating to charter of village of North Troy.

A message was received from the governor not announcing his approval of the following bills:

H. 1, enabling the villages of Bradford to get more water; H. 3, in relation to the charter of the village of Hardwick; H. 5, providing for annex [illegible] to villages of Lyndonville; H. 6, regarding the [illegible] of the town of Bolton; H. 13, relating to the grand list of the town of Stamford; H. 23, in relation to the Addison county Court House; H. 31, legalizing grand list of Groton; H. 9, in relation to Newbury canal; H. 12, amending No. 6, Laws of 1890; H. 18, [illegible] to House of Correction; H. 24, relating to North Craftsbury Water works; H. 28, incorporating Pittsford Aqueduct company; H. 29, amending the Australian ballot law; H. 30, appropriating $2,000 for the World's fair.

These joint resolutions were adopted: naming 11:30 as the hour for final adjournment; providing for the printing of the laws relating to the distribution of the direct tax money.

H. 33, to repay to the towns of the State their respective proportions of the refunded direct tax, came up. Mr. Sherwin, who introduced the bill, spoke in favor of it. He said the towns needed it and it was raised by the towns. Mr. Abell and Mr. Moloney opposed the measure, the latter moved to dismiss and the motion prevailed by a large vote.

After the usual formalities Speaker Mann adjourned the House in the following words:

Speaker Mann's Closing Remarks.

Gentlemen—Before declaring the House adjourned, I wish to congratulate you upon the wisdom and despatch with which you have prosecuted the business presented for your consideration at this session. In thus promptly acting on the important matters brought to your attention, and so promptly adjourning upon the consideration of their consideration, you merit, and undoubtedly will have, the approval of the people of the State, a statement which, perhaps, could hardly be seriously made at the close of every legislative session.

For your constantly kind and courteous bearing toward me, which has rendered the somewhat exacting duties of the chair easy and pleasant, I sincerely thank you. While we may not meet again as legislators, it being declared that nothing further may occur to render it necessary to subject the State to the expense of calling us together again, I trust the friendships made during our legislative work may be perpetuated.

I am most happy to be able to say there is no man nor officer of the House against whom I entertain feelings otherwise than of good will, and I hope no ill-considered act of mine shall leave anything but the same sentiment in your hearts. As we may meet in after life the faces of some of you may not be quickly recognized but I ask that you always make yourself known. The warm friendship of many of you I shall deeply cherish, and I wish you all a full proportion of life's choicest blessings.

Gentlemen, the hour having arrived under the joint resolution for final adjournment I now declare this House of Representatives adjourned without day.

Misfortunes Victims.

L. Williams of Newport, hitched his team in a shed and the animal rubbed the bridle off but Williams did not notice it. The horse became unmanageable and ran into another team throwing Williams out, breaking his collar bone.

A. B. Stoddard of Lowell, Mass., formerly of East Charleston, with his family, leaves soon for Boise City, Idaho, where they will make their future home.

Joseph Davis ran into a telephone pole while driving through the streets of Bridgewater and received serious injuries.

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AS SECRETARY OF WAR.

The Name of General William Wells Mentioned in Connection with the Coming Vacancy.

A rumor reached this city Friday from Boston and New York, that General William Wells was to be appointed secretary-of-war, to succeed Secretary Proctor. A representative of the FREE PRESS Friday evening asked General Wells what foundation, if any, there was in the rumor. The reply was a laugh, and the statement that he had received no intimation of any such appointment.

Senator Edmunds was also called on. He was non-committal so far as any positive statement was concerned, but said: "General Wells would make a good war secretary, but I do not think he would accept the appointment if it was tendered, on account of the condition of his health, or rather the care that I assume it is necessary for him to exercise to prevent a recurrence of his recent illness."

Gen. Wells was born at Waterbury, Vt., Dec. 14, 1837, and located in Burlington in 1868. Early in the war he enlisted as a private in Company C, first Vermont cavalry and received successive promotions to the ranks of first lieutenant and captain of Company C, major and colonel of the first Vermont cavalry and brevet brigadier and brevet major general. In 1865 and 1866 he represented his native town in the Legislature. In 1866 he was elected adjutant and inspector general, which position he held by successive elections till May, 1878, when he was appointed by President Grant collector of customs for the district of Vermont and was collector until 1885. In 1886 he was a State senator from Chittenden county. He was president of the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Home from the organization of the board until last year, is president of the Burlington Gas Light company, vice president of the Wells & Richardson company, president of the Burlington Trust company and a director of the Rutland railroad.

THE DEPARTING CANOEISTS.

The A. C. A. Camp Deserted, But They May Come Again.

The canoeists are gone and Friday afternoon, the commodore's flag flying from her stern, the yacht Cecil came steaming across to Burlington having on board the commodore, the commodore's trunk and the commodore's imitation little black cannon mounted with a kind of expectant air, as though it would give one pretty shot toward the first green point where it has witnessed so much hearty hospitality the summer.

Many have been the entertainments [illegible] the general association [illegible] Rev. [illegible] W. Whipple, [illegible] Lee, E. A. Hoyt, Ira [illegible], Charles Booth of [illegible], H. Mann, jr., and Newman [illegible].

There were addresses by Prof. A. W. [illegible], Goddard seminary, Barre; Rev. Henry L. Thornton of Northfield, Rev. E. Smiley of Richmond, Rev. G. H. Sihon of Omaha, Neb., Rev. Dr. Emerson, editor of the Christian Leader, Boston, and Rev. Dr. Dunnreat.

[illegible] W. [illegible] Senfield of Pennsylvania.

WARREN, Pa., Aug. 30.—Judge W. [illegible] died this morning from heart disease. He was one of the best known citizens of Pennsylvania. He served two terms as a member of the State Legislature; was a member of the 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd and 43rd Congresses; was register of the treasury under President Hayes and was appointed judge of the Court of Claims by President Garfield, which position he filled until July last.

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MINNEAPOLIS, Aug.—The Sons of Veterans national encampment has elected Barlow S. Weeks of New York commander-in-chief. The next national encampment will be held at Helena, Mont.

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A Fast Mail Goes Over a Bridge—A Fall of 65 Feet Into a Raging Stream—The Injured Narrowly Escape Drowning—Twenty Bodies Already Recovered.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 27.—A disastrous railroad wreck occurred this morning about 2 o'clock at Boston's bridge, two miles west of Statesville on the western North Carolina road. The fast mail, composed of a baggage and a mail car, second and first-class coaches, Pullman sleeper and Superintendent Bridge's private car, left Salisbury at 1 a. m. Just after leaving Statesville there is a high stone bridge spanning Third creek, and down into this creek plunged the entire train, a distance of at least 65 feet, carrying death and destruction with it. Twenty passengers were killed outright, nine seriously injured and about 20 badly bruised and shaken up.

To add to the horrors of the situation the water in the creek was up. It was only through the most heroic efforts of those who had hurried to the scene of the wreck, that the injured were not drowned. The accident was caused by the spreading of the rails.

Twenty dead bodies are now lying in a warehouse at Statesville. Among the killed are the engineer, fireman and baggagemaster. Most of the passengers killed lived in this State. Dr. George W. Sanderlin, State auditor, was painfully injured. Col. E. B. Cameron of the governor's staff and 15 others were more or less hurt.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCHES.

Close of the Annual Meeting of the Association at Rutland.

RUTLAND, Aug. 27.—The 58th annual session of the Universalist churches of Vermont and the province of Quebec closed today. One hundred and fifty delegates were present. These officers were elected: President, A. T. Foster; vice-president, George W. Tibbets; treasurer, Willard Chase; secretary, Rev. S. A. Parker.

E. J. Whitcomb was elected a trustee to serve three years. The committee on fellowship is Rev. F. W. Pierce, Rev. F. W. Whipple, Rev. F. W. Sprague, Mrs. L. M. Sinnett and Prof. Charles Dole. Rev. J. E. Skinner was appointed to preach the annual sermon, with Rev. H. S. Fisk of Rutland [illegible].

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