
WILLIAM McKINLEY

President McKinley vetoed forty-two bills, of which six were regular vetoes and thirty-six were pocket vetoes. None was overridden.

There were no vetoes in the first session of the Fifty-fifth Congress.

Fifty-fifth Congress, Second Session**Regular Veto****836 H.R. 2219.**

For the relief of the administrators of Isaac P. Tice, deceased, and others.

Vetoed May 16, 1898. The veto message was laid before the House and printed as H.R. Doc. No. 486. (31 Cong. Rec. 4941).

The House sustained the veto on May 16, 1898 by a vote of 0 yeas to 189 nays. (31 Cong. Rec. 4942).

Veto sustained.

Pocket Veto**837 S. 4847.**

To provide an American register for the steamer *Titanica*.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 55th Congress had adjourned sine die on July 8, 1898. The bill was presented to the President on July 7, 1898. (July 7, 1898, S. Jour., p. 401; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 37).

Fifty-fifth Congress, Third Session**Regular Veto****838 S. 708.**

For the relief of Albert E. Redstone.

Vetoed January 19, 1899. The veto message was laid before the Senate, referred to the Committee on Public Lands, and printed as S. Doc. No. 67. (32 Cong. Rec. 830).

Veto unchallenged.

Pocket Vetoes

839 **H.R. 8578.**

Granting an increase of pension to George W. Reisinger.

Pocket veto occurred after the 3d session of the 55th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1899. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1899. (February 27, 1899, H. Jour., p. 209; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 37).

840 **H.R. 8997.**

For the relief of John W. Brisbois.

Pocket veto occurred after the 3d session of the 55th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1899. The bill was presented to the President on February 22, 1899. (February 22, 1899, H. Jour., p. 192; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 37).

841 **H.R. 9344.**

Granting an increase of pension to John Begley.

Pocket veto occurred after the 3d session of the 55th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1899. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1899. (February 27, 1899, H. Jour., p. 210; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 37).

842 **H.J. Res. 384.**

Authorizing the acceptance of the cession by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to the United States of a certain tract of land in Boston Harbor.

Pocket veto occurred after the 3d session of the 55th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1899. The resolution was presented to the President on March 3, 1899. (March 3, 1899, H. Jour., p. 279).

Fifty-sixth Congress, First Session

Regular Vetoes

843 **H.R. 1454.**

For the relief of William L. Orr.

Vetoed May 16, 1900. The veto message was laid before the House, referred to the Committee on Claims, and printed as H.R. Doc. No. 687. (33 Cong. Rec. 5621, 5622).

Veto unchallenged.

844 H.R. 4001.

Authorizing the adjustment of rights of settlers on the Navajo Indian Reservation, Territory of Arizona.

Vetoed May 3, 1900. The veto message was laid before the House, referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, and printed as H.R. Doc. No. 687. (33 Cong. Rec. 5132).

Veto unchallenged.

Pocket Vetoes

845 S. 2581.

To incorporate the National White Cross of America, and for other purposes.

Pocket veto occurred after the 1st session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on June 7, 1900. The bill was presented to the President on June 6, 1900. (June 7, 1900, S. Jour., p. 454; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

846 H.R. 8815.

To amend chapter 4, Title XIII, of the Revised Statutes of the United States, relating to district courts.

Pocket veto occurred after the 1st session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on June 7, 1900. The bill was presented to the President on June 4, 1900. (June 4, 1900, H. Jour., p. 671; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

Fifty-sixth Congress, Second Session

Regular Vetoes

847 H.R. 321.

For the relief of the legal representatives of Samuel Tewksbury

Vetoed March 2, 1901. The veto message was laid before the House and referred to the Committee on War Claims. (34 Cong. Rec. 3472).

Veto unchallenged.

848 H.R. 3204.

To refer certain claims for Indian depredations to the Court of Claims.

Vetoed March 1, 1901. The veto message was laid before the House, referred to the Committee on War Claims, and printed as H.R. Doc. No. 504. (34 Cong. Rec. 3387).

Veto unchallenged.

Pocket Vetoes

849 S. 76.

For the relief of the University of Kansas.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1901. (February 27, 1901, S. Jour., p. 227; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

850 S. 1673.

To grant an honorable discharge from the military service to Charles H. Hawley.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1901. (February 27, 1901, S. Jour., p. 227; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

851 S. 3554.

For the relief of W.T. Scott and others.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1901. (February 27, 1901, S. Jour., p. 227; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

852 S. 4956.

To grant the Knoxville Power Company the right to dam the Tennessee River at or near Knoxville, Tennessee.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 2, 1901. (March 2, 1901, S. Jour., p. 275; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

853 H.R. 427.

For the relief of heirs of Mrs. Tellisse W. Wilson.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

854 H.R. 628.

For the relief of Hamilton M. Sailors.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1,

1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 328; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

855 H.R. 636.

For the relief of St. John's Lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, No. 3, of New Bern, North Carolina.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 330; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

856 H.R. 1136.

For the relief of parties for property taken from them by military forces of the United States.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 28, 1901. (February 28, 1901, H. Jour., p. 292; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

857 H.R. 1860.

For the relief of the trustees of Carson-Newman College, at Mossycreek, Tennessee.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 28, 1901. (February 28, 1901, H. Jour., p. 300).

858 H.R. 1959.

For the relief of the heirs of George W. Saulpaw.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

859 H.R. 2294.

For the relief of J.V. Davis, of Alexandria, Virginia.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 328; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

860 H.R. 2430.

For the relief of Jacob L. Hangar, alias William T. Graham.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 22, 1901. (H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

861 H.R. 2464.

To remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Nicholas Swingle.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 20, 1901. (H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

862 H.R. 2472.

To correct the military record of John H. Finfrock.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 328; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

863 H.R. 2617.

For the relief of the legal representatives of Edwin De Leon, deceased, for \$8,000 claimed to be due for judicial service.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 329; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

864 H.R. 2619.

For the relief of Agnes and Maria De Leon.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

865 H.R. 3825.

To grant an honorable discharge to Frederick A. Noeller.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 20, 1901. (February 20, 1901, H. Jour., p. 251; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

866 H.R. 4204.

For the correction of the military record of George A. Winslow.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 329; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

867 H.R. 4853.

For the relief of heirs-at-law of Edward N. Oldmixon.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 328; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

868 H.R. 5553.

To correct the military record of William T. Pratt.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 26, 1901. (February 26, 1901, H. Jour., p. 272; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

869 H.R. 5599.

Granting an honorable discharge to James L. Proctor.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 19, 1901. (February 19, 1901, H. Jour., p. 246; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

870 H.R. 6146.

For the relief of the administrators of William B. Moses, deceased, and Lebbeus H. Rogers.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 27, 1901. (February 27, 1901, H. Jour., p. 290; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

871 H.R. 6591.

For the relief of Austin A. Yates.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

872 H.R. 7243.

To remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Silas Nicholson.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 18, 1901. (February 18, 1901, H. Jour., p. 245; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

873 H.R. 7602.

To correct the military record of Palmer G. Percy.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 20, 1901. (February 20, 1901, H. Jour., p. 251; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

874 H.R. 7603.

To correct the military record of James A. Somerville.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 328; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

875 H.R. 8270.

For the relief of Herman Von Marsdorf, late a Lieutenant of Company D, First Maryland Cavalry.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

876 H.R. 11823.

To remove the charge of desertion from military record of Charles F. Kramer.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on March 1, 1901. (March 1, 1901, H. Jour., p. 327; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).

877 H.R. 12860.

For the relief of Isaiah Lightner, W.H. Winterbottom, and Gustave Mollin.

Pocket veto occurred after the 2d session of the 56th Congress had adjourned sine die on March 3, 1901. The bill was presented to the President on February 25, 1901. (February 25, 1901, H. Jour., p. 272; *see also* H.R. Doc. No. 493, 70th Cong., 2d sess., p. 38).