

SENATOR ROOT GUILTY OF BLUNDER

Made Public Secy. MacVeagh's
Report Before it Had
Been Released.

HE PRESIDED OVER SENATE.

Document Should Have Been Sent to
Speaker of the House and Not
To Vice President.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Senator Root of New York, presiding in the senate today in the absence of Vice President Sherman, created a sensation among newspaper men. The effects were even international. Copies of the annual report of the secretary of the treasury were in the hands of newspapers throughout the country and Europe, to be held in confidence for publication. The report itself was still unsigned on the desk of Secy. MacVeagh in the treasury building. By some means as yet uncertain two printed copies of the report found their way to the desk of the president of the senate. Mr. Root is a past master in the art of dispatching routine business in the senate, and he deftly handed the treasury report over the desk with the routine announcement customary in such cases. Instantly keen-eyed reporters on the senate floor flashed to the wires the news that the report had become a public document and the "release" clicked off to Chicago, to San Francisco, to New York, to Europe.

It was two hours before the fact that a blunder had been made was realized. Upon the secretary's insistence an effort was made to recall the release, but he soon came to appreciate that the mistake was irreparable. He then endeavored to waive the technicality and the release was confirmed.

An amusing feature of the mixup lies in the fact that the report should not have been handed down in the senate at all, since in accordance with law, it is addressed to the speaker of the house of representatives.

"The report of the secretary of the treasury is a peculiarly gratifying document at this time," said Representative Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the house committee on appropriations, today. "The exhibit shows a reduction in the estimated expenditures of the government for the fiscal year 1911 of \$55,963,061.18 as compared with appropriations made for 1910, and a reduction of \$94,001,492.92 under estimates submitted to Congress for that year. This result will tend to relieve Congress in large measure of the burden some duty that has occupied much of its time heretofore in adjusting expenditures to national revenues. In the last eight years the sum total of estimates submitted by the executive have exceeded expenditures authorized in appropriations made by Congress by \$24,948,657.85."

"The secretary states the total estimates for 1911 as amounting to \$671,283,075.21. In this sum he does not include \$89,955,000 which will be required to meet the requirements of the sinking fund in the next fiscal year, nor is there included in the secretary's figures the amount committed at \$23,688,572.27, that will be paid in 1911 out of postal revenues for conducting the postal service."

"Adding both sums to the \$671,283,075.21 stated by the secretary to be the aggregate estimated expenditures for 1911, we have in fact, \$865,261,647.08 to be considered as 'total estimates for 1911.'"

This last sum will approximate closely the amount that will be used at the close of this session of Congress, when the tables will be presented in explanation of the total appropriations actually made for the expense of the government for the fiscal year."

INVESTIGATION OF CUSTOM HOUSE FRAUDS

Washington, Dec. 7.—While the impression seems to prevail among members of Congress that there should be a thorough investigation of the customs service, as a result of the sugar frauds at the port of New York, there seems to be no disposition to take the matter out of the hands of the treasury

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Strained honey can be used instead of the syrup, and makes a very fine honey and pine tar cough syrup.

To Stop a Cough In a Hurry.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Secy. Dickinson today loosened the gag which President Taft put on the mouths of chiefs of bureaus last week by issuing an interpretation of the presidential order that allows the chiefs to talk quite a little to congressmen should they drop around the office.

For instance Secy. Dickinson informed bureau chiefs in his department that they could respond directly to any request from representatives or senators for any information on all ordinary and routine matters pertaining exclusively to their respective offices. Information, however, bearing on questions of policy or on important or unusual matters should not be given out until after consultation with the head of the department.

SAVS SOCIAL PACE SAPS RACE VITALITY

Housewife More a Victim of Conditions Than Smart Set Leader, Is Claim.

FAIR SEX LACKS NERVE

Easterner Makes Remarkable Statement About Women of Today And of the Past.

Novel theories about modern social conditions and the cause for them were advanced yesterday by the Cooper "stomach man," who is making his headquarters at Smith's "Bugsy Corner" drug store, Main and Second south streets. Cooper is the young man who has aroused such a storm of comment in Salt Lake City by his extraordinary ideas about disease and its causes. He claims that 90 per cent of all ill health is caused by stomach trouble, and that the cause is an unduly converted thousands of people to his beliefs during the time that he has been here. He said:

"Modern social life is a tremendous tax on the vitality of the nation. The woman of that splendid physique of our pioneer days was a mother of the west's fast disappearing form of woman. The woman of today is an anemic, sickly, always tired and exhausted type. She lacks in life, nerve and healthy ambition. The reason for all this is very simple. The call of social duty has imposed on the woman of today, responsibilities that take too much of her time and sap her vitality. Now, it is a very common thing to point to the 'society woman' as a dreadful example of what our modern times have led us into, but this is not what I mean at all.

"I claim that the woman of modern times—the wife of the businessman, artisan, clerk or working man—has just as many social responsibilities of the kind that tell on her health as the pampered woman of fashion. The fact that she has housework and other domestic duties to perform tends to make her life the harder.

"Women come to me every day who are suffering from all kinds of diseases they think, but in reality they don't know what the matter is. Headaches, scores of them have nervous prostration; they suffer from gas on the stomach, foul breath, constipation, kidney and bladder trouble, anemias, and hundreds of other complaints. In nearly every case their stomachs are impoverished as a result of their mode of life. They eat too much, too irregularly and do not take healthful outdoor exercise as nature demands. The digestive organs are stuffed up, clogged and can't work. The food lies heavy on the stomach, sours, and—it's harsh to say, but it's true—it literally rots. Gases form and poison is pumped into their blood. All kinds of diseases, of course, are bound to follow.

"My medicine is nothing but a stomach remedy, but it will tone up the digestive organs, cause proper assimilation of food and in nine cases out of ten, restore a run down, half sick, anemic person to the full bloom of health in four to eight weeks. I am ready to meet the people of this city face to face and prove my theories to them. Hundreds here have already said that they have found my ideas worked out successfully for their cure." Among Cooper's callers yesterday was:

Matthew Woodcock of Murray, receiving his mail on rural free delivery route No. 4. He said:

"My wife suffered from catarrh of the stomach with all symptoms for ten or twelve years. She had a most stubborn case of constipation which caused her great agony and wrecked her entire nervous system. I tried many remedies for her without relief until I secured a full course of the Cooper treatment for her. Now she has recovered her health, her constipation has been entirely eradicated, and what I would hardly have believed possible has taken place—she is cured."

ury department and of the department of justice.

Three resolutions bearing upon this subject, introduced in the house yesterday, were referred to the committee on rules. Representative Campbell of Kansas, author of one resolution, called at the department of justice today to ascertain the attitude of the department toward his measure. In conversation with Atty. Gen. Wickersham, he heard emphasized the desire expressed by the president in his message that Congress should keep "hands off" at present.

Mr. Campbell said afterward that he told Mr. Wickersham that there was a mass of testimony to be had bearing upon frauds in the customs service which would be pertinent for the country to know and could be brought to light only by means of a congressional inquiry. Mr. Campbell assured Mr. Wickersham that there was no desire on the part of himself or other members to interfere with the work of the executive departments. Mr. Campbell said he intended to have a conference with the committee on rules in regard to his resolution to ascertain prospects for an inquiry.

Probe the campaign contributions of the so-called sugar trust, and show when they gave and how much, in effect, the direction of a bill introduced today by Representative Gillespie of Texas. It calls for a congressional investigation of the sugar frauds.

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SUGAR FRAUD CASE.

W. B. Thomas, President of Company, Trying to Assist Prosecution.

New York, Dec. 7.—Testimony given today at the trial of six former employees of the American Sugar Refining company, charged with defrauding the government by underselling, showed that W. B. Thomas, president of the company, had made an effort to assist the prosecution by calling at least one

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witness to his office and instructing him to tell all he knew concerning the alleged frauds.

John P. Thompson, who had charge of the sugar import business in the main office of the company, swore that Mr. Thomas had given him such instructions yesterday in the presence of a representative from the attorney-general's office.

The government called additional witnesses today to show the alleged crooked work at the scales of the Williamsburg docks of the company. Thompson testified that he had spoken to Oliver Spitzer, former dock superintendent,

and one of the six defendants, about the apparent short weights.

Spitzer had replied, said Thompson, that he was "too smart to get caught."

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EXPULSED BLACK HANDERS COMING TO AMERICA

Ceneva, Dec. 7.—The police today confirmed the report of a wholesale exodus of members of the black hand who mean to find a new field of operation in America. It developed also that 60 of these characters, of whom 40 have been expelled from Switzerland, are making their way by circuitous routes to the United States.

These men formerly were a part of the gang of 2,000 Italians employed in the construction of the Loetschberg tunnel through the Bernese Alps. The scene of industry became a hotbed of black handers, 40 of whom are now in custody awaiting trial on charges of blackmail, assault and murder.

CROP CONDITIONS.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The crop reporting board of the department of agriculture today estimated that the newly seeded area of winter wheat is 7.9 per cent greater than the revised estimate are sown in the fall of 1908, equivalent to an increase of 2,448,000 acres, the indicated total area being 33,452,000 acres. The condition of winter wheat on Dec. 1 was 95.8 against 85.3 on that day a year ago.

The newly seeded area of rye is estimated at 1.2 per cent greater than the revised estimate area sown in the fall

of 1908—equivalent to an increase of 25,000 acres, the indicated total being 2,155,000 acres.

The condition of rye on Dec. 1 was 84.1 as compared with 81.6 last year.

BRITISH TRADE RETURNS.

London, Dec. 7.—The November statement of the board of trade shows an increase of \$5,503,599 in imports and \$29,870,000 in exports. The increase in imports was due to gains of \$1,000,000 in grain and foodstuffs, \$10,000,000 in manufactured goods, and \$35,000,000 in raw materials. Included in the latter

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stomach, no heartburn, Sour risings, Gas on the Stomach or Belching of undigested food, Headaches, Dizziness or Sick Stomach and besides, what you eat will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors. All these symptoms resulting from sour, out-of-order stomach and dyspepsia are generally relieved five minutes after taking a little Diapepsin.

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