

ROOT WINS

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

His Speech Disarms Critics of Interstate Commerce Merger

Washington, March 31.—The day in Washington was dominated by the speech of Mr. Root...

Consents to Amendment

Mr. Root said he would consent to have Section 7 amended to provide that traffic agreements shall be subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission...

SANTO DOMINGO'S FINANCES

The complete success of the arrangement entered into under the treaty with Santo Domingo is demonstrated by the statement made public today...

ENLARGES COMMISSION'S POWERS

Mr. Root then took up Section 5, devoting his discussion to the second paragraph, which confers on the commission the power to suspend changes in rates...

ANTI-TRUST LAW NOT IMPAIRED

Taking up Section 12, relating to mergers, Mr. Root said it did not contain a line imposing or limiting the application of the anti-trust law...

A TWO-MILE WALK IN EVERY BOTTLE

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NO MAXIMUM RATES

MINIMUM IN EFFECT

Canadians Agree to Further Conference in Washington

Washington, March 31.—President Taft having been satisfied that no country in the world is discriminating against the United States in its tariff schedules...

JUSTICE BREWER'S SUCCESSOR

President Taft has broadly intimated to all who have inquired regarding the successor to Justice Brewer that he is in no hurry to make this appointment...

HOUSE DIPLOMACY

Representative Bennett of New York, appeared before the Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day and urged a favorable report on his resolution requesting the President to take under advisement the expediency of calling an international peace conference...

PRESS AGENT BLUNDERS

An amusing error of a press agent came to light to-day when copies of a St. Paul morning newspaper were received here...

NEW OPTION BILL

To Prohibit Future Trading on Cotton Exchanges Only

Washington, March 31.—It is probable that there will be a new cotton anti-option bill, likewise to be known as the Scott bill...

IN RE HAINS CASE

Representative Slayden, of Texas, introduced in the House to-day an amendment to the revised statutes which, if adopted, will solve the problem caused by the detention in prison of Captain Peter C. Hains...

CUBA HOLDS UP CONTRACTS

Work on Sanitary Improvements Seriously Delayed. Washington, March 31.—The action of the Cuban government in holding up the sanitation contracts entered into with American firms is giving rise to a good deal of embarrassment...

LARGE GREEK LOAN

Revenues Pledged to Carry Out Improvements

Washington, March 31.—The Greek Minister of Finance has presented a bill in the Greek Parliament authorizing a loan not to exceed \$4,500,000. Official advice received at the State Department says that this loan is to bear interest at 4 per cent per annum...

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BALLINGER REPLIES

MAY SUE, HE SAYS

Calls "Collier's" Charges Gross Perversion of Facts

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A RULES CALENDAR

Sherley Proposes Important Change in House Procedure

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