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EDITORIAL MENTION.

President Roosevelt has defied the trusts.

The Senate has completed its anti-trust program.

The Senior Senator from Alabama may precipitate an extra session.

Senator Beveridge is in training for second place on the next national ticket.

Had there been an Elkins bill on the statutes the Standard Oil Trust could never have been formed.

It is to be hoped that Secretary Hay's commission will settle for all time the Alaskan boundary dispute.

Minister Bowen's diplomacy has compelled Germany to show herself in her true colors in the Venezuelan case.

The American people will condemn longer neglect of the Cuban treaty. It must be ratified if an extra session is required.

President Baer has made a proposition to the anthracite miners making the present wages the minimum for the next three years.

In the case of Tillman vs. Crum, Tillman wins first round. But President Roosevelt says he will keep Crum in training all summer.

President Roosevelt has espoused the cause of the people of Alaska to the consternation of the corporations which practically rule that territory.

Every patriotic American must condemn the action of the democratic senators attempting to prevent currency legislation for the Philippines.

The democrats in the Senate would deny statehood to the four territories because of their selfish desire to eventually add to their own political strength.

The general tendency of Government work is to make man strain at a misplaced comma while he unconsciously swallows an erroneous statement of alleged facts.

President Roosevelt has appointed Mr. Cortelyou head of the Department of Commerce for one reason, because the latter is in sympathy with the President's desire to control the trusts.

President Roosevelt's diplomacy has obviated a clash between Senator Platt and Governor Odell. And yet some people say the President is a novice in politics.

With George B. Cortelyou, aged 41, a member of the Cabinet and Robert E. Armstrong, aged 29, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, the administration is demonstrating its belief in young men.

No one familiar with the crowded condition of the national Capitol will condemn the appropriation of funds for its completion and increased accommodation for members of the House.

It is an evidence of a small mind to criticize the generous hospitality of President and Mrs. Roosevelt because it causes a slight increase in White House expenditures. The greater part of the burden comes from the President's pocket. He is not rich, his salary is not half that of the petty potentates of foreign countries, but he is unstinted in hospitality and bounteous in charity.

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Current Comment.

The Monroe Doctrine is victorious; the Venezuelan blockade is raised.

Vermont can now be called the spotted state; it will be wet here and there.

The coal dealers are now anxious to unload their stock before the ice man comes along.

The Montana Legislature has voted down a measure providing for woman suffrage in that state.

The opportunity of a life-time came along, and Bowen had the courage to grasp it—Americans usually have.

The coal miners are thinking of raising a \$75,000 purse for John Mitchell. John would probably appreciate it.

Rockefeller has withdrawn his offer for a new stomach. He has been receiving too many calls from serious bidders.

Tillman is afraid that he will not get a fair trial. He had a fair trial with his gun when he shot the well-known editor.

The Mayor of Worcester, Mass., has vetoed the bill increasing his salary from \$2,500 to \$4,000. The people think he is crazy.

Some kind of a compromise should be reached pretty soon on the statehood bill. Thus far we have only heard the wind blowing.

According to a dispatch from London, the first annual report of the Imperial Tobacco company shows a profit of \$1,000,000. Smoke up!

A reduction in the retail price of anthracite to \$6.50 a ton has gone into effect in the yards of the coal dealers throughout New York City.

The legislatures of Oregon and Delaware are still at work trying to agree on U. S. Senators, without having been able to weaken the deadlock.

London has a new religious paper which offers a bottle of water from the Jordan river to every person who will see to it that six copies are sold.

An amendment to the federal bankruptcy act has just become a law. It stops some of the leaks in the present law, and for one thing denies persons the right of taking advantage of bankruptcy oftener than once in six years.

A Russian artilleryist alleges that experiments in the Russian army have proved the use of yellow spectacles by gunners and riflemen enables them to shoot more accurately by thirty per cent. than when they use the naked eye, especially in variable light.

Hobson has resigned from the navy but he continues to lecture on the necessity of a larger navy. His work is telling, too. The New Jersey Legislature has just adopted a resolution calling for a large navy and other states will soon follow her example.

A bill has been passed by both houses providing for a new building for the agricultural department, to cost not more than \$1,500,000. The present buildings are wholly inadequate for the work now conducted by this department.

While the centre of population is not far from Columbus, Ind., the centre of manufactures in this country is computed to be 25 miles southeast of Mansfield, Ohio. It has moved west about 40 miles in ten years, or much more than the centre of population.

The slump in the coal market has come, and the prices are quite as likely to go down below the level of a fair profit as they were to arise to extortion. Household holders will soon be holding up their heads and demanding coal at their own price. The great coal "hold-up" is at an end.

In his annual report President Eliot of Harvard University, created something of a sensation by what he said of college men having so small families. That set some people to looking up President Eliot's record, with the result that they find he is—a bachelor!

The navy department has awarded contracts for two new 14,500 ton armored cruisers, the Tennessee and the Washington, to cost \$4,033,000 each. One will be built by the Cramps at Philadelphia and the other by the New York Shipbuilding company, at Camden, N. J.

A voluminous protest against the seating of Hon. Reed Smoot, the newly-elected senator from Utah, has been received by the senate. It protests on the ground that he is a Mormon apostate and that as such he is bound to consider his obligations to Mormonism paramount to everything else.

Pugilist Jeffries says that the chances are that he will not fight again until he and Fitzsimmons get back from their European sparring exhibition tour. They are to sail for Europe in June. Now if some of the other pugs would quit the country at the same time, we might have a quiet summer.

It is authoritatively stated that President Roosevelt is satisfied with the anti-trust legislation that will be passed at this session under the Senate program, and will not call an extra session of Congress to consider further legislation. That will give the country a rest until the new Congress comes in next December.

Adjutant-General Corbin reports to Congress that there 118,000 organized militiamen in the national guards of the different states, who will be equipped and disciplined in such a way as to be readily added to the regular army (maximum now 100,000) in case of war. There are a total of 10,853,000 men in the country available for military duty, as a reserve.

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