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WASHINGTON LETTER

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C, Jan. 5, 1903.

The criticisms and protestations which have greeted Senator Hoar's anti-trust bill furnish ample evidence of the unwillingness of Congress to carry into effect, in a single instance, any of the recommendations of the President in regard to the control of the trusts. No sooner had the terms of Mr. Hoar's bill been made public than Representative Jenkins, chairman of the Judiciary Committee, made public a statement in which he declared that the trusts had nothing to fear and the people nothing to gain by the passage of the bill, which was merely the old ideas rehabilitated in new phraseology. The Hoar bill provides for the publicity so earnestly advocated by the President and forbids, under penalty of $5,000 fine or not more than a year's imprisonment, or both, combination in restraint of trade, the selling of goods below a fair market price for the purpose of destroying a competitor and the ownership by one corporation of the stock in other corporations.

It is evident from the views expressed by senators and members of Congress that the passage of the bill depends entirely on the dictum of the trusts. If their attorneys advise them that the bill will prove innocuous they will gladly see it passed with the hope that, as was the case with the Sherman law, it will prove a sop to popular clamor. If, however, it is found that its passage will prove detrimental to the interests of the trusts neither the Senate nor the House will pass it. In fact, the position of the House is fairly well represented by the statement of Mr. Jenkins. That Mr. Jenkins is opposed to all trust legislation has for some time been apparent and even the earnest efforts of Representative Littlefield are destined to meet defeat at Mr. Jenkins' hands, whom it is claimed, was selected as chairman of the Judiciary committee because of his known opposition to trust legislation.

The determination of the President and his Cabinet to use every power they possess to secure the ratification of the Cuban treaty promises to precipitate an interesting fight in the Senate. Senator Aldrich and other extreme protectionists see in the Cuban teeaty the entering wedge in a policy which will eventually result in material lowering of the Dingley schedules. They will, therefore, oppose the convention to the last ditch. The claim is already being made that the President's action in negotiating a treaty without the sanction of the House when that treaty affects the revenues is unconstitutional and injury to the farmers by the reduction of the tariff on sugar by 20 per cent. is also te be made a plea for defeating the convention. On the other hand, Mr. Roosevelt has said that he will regard the vote on the treaty as a test of loyalty to himself so that the fight promises to be unusually interesting.

There is much interest in political circles in the President's valiant fight in behalf of a negro postmistress in a southern city which rebels at having any but a white person in charge of the local postoffice. It seems that one Minnie M. Cox was appointed postmistress by President Harrison and reappointed by President McKinley. She recently resigned and her bondsmen state that she did so because threatened with personal violence by a portion of the citizens who are determined to have a white postmaster. Mr. Roosevelt has now ordered that the postoffice be abolished and remain so until the citizens are sufficiently punished and meekly submit to being served by the negress whom he chooses to designate.

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To the next nearest estimate		2,000	
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To the five next nearest	$300 each	1,500	
To the ten next nearest	200 each	2,000	
To the fifteen next nearest	100 each	1,500	
To the twenty next nearest	50 each	1,000	
To the fifty next nearest	10 each	500	
To the one hundred nearest	5 each	500	
			$15,000
For distribution among those estimates (not taking any of the above 203 prizes) coming within 1,000 bales either way of the exact figures			$2,500
			$17,500
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Cotton Year—	Total Port Receipts from Sept. 1 to January 10.
1895-6	3,662,196
1896-7	5,139,272
1897-98	5,951,253
1898-9	6,156,283
1899-1900	4,207,855
1900-01	4,804,514
1901-02	5,137,819

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