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DR. WILEY TELLS QUIZZERS HIS HANDS ARE TIED

Washington, Aug. 18.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry at the agricultural department testified before the house investigating committee today that he had surrendered practically all of his authority for enforcing the pure food law to Dr. F. L. Dunlap, associate chemist, and George P. McCabe, solicitor of the agricultural department. Overruled in two-thirds of the cases he had brought before the food and drug inspection board, composed of these two men and himself, he declared that he had found it useless to appeal to Secretary Wilson and had not even received an answer to one of the most important appeals he had made to the secretary.

Dr. Wiley, summoned before the committee to tell of his connection with the employment of Dr. H. H. Rusby on an alleged illegal contract, gave to the committee the most illuminating information that has been developed in the investigation now being made into affairs of the agricultural department. He testified that he had never received the letter from Dr. Rusby which was used by the personnel board to prove that he knew about the Rusby contract. He said that in using this letter the personnel board had omitted its most essential portion namely, the statement of Dr. Rusby that "we had agreed upon the following arrangements as fair and satisfactory if approved by the department."

Dr. Wiley stated that Solicitor McCabe held the decisive vote on the board of food and drug inspection. When Dr. Wiley and Dr. Dunlap disagreed on questions of chemistry, it was solicitor McCabe who decided whether or not a prosecution should be made. In fully one hundred cases, said Dr. Wiley, where he and Dr. Dunlap had voted together and Solicitor McCabe had disagreed with them, Dr. Dunlap changed his vote to agree with Mr. McCabe.

Dr. Wiley declared that he appealed two cases where he thought the public health was "seriously menaced." One of these involved the labeling of gluten flour, the food of diabetes patients. The board's decision, he believed, left

physicians without sufficient information as to the exact contents and strength of the flour. In this case the secretary upheld the board.

The other case appealed by Dr. Wiley involved the labeling of fruits and fruit products which contained sulphur dioxide. This subject is before the Remsen pure food referee board. The board, in part composed of Secretaries Mac Veigh, Nagel and Wilson, had decided that the manufacturers could continue to use the sulphuring process if the fact was made clear on the label.

Dr. Wiley said that he left the agricultural department one day to go to Boston. Between that time and 4:30 o'clock, when the department closed, a special meeting of the board on food and drug inspection was called. Dr. Dunlap, acting as chairman, and a decision was made overruling the three secretaries' board and permitting the manufacturers to use the sulphuring process without publishing the fact on their labels.

EX-PRESIDENT NOW IS GRANDPA ROOSEVELT.

San Francisco, Aug. 17. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at 2:30 o'clock this morning. Mother and child are reported in satisfactory health.

Tortured for 15 Years

by a cure defying stomach trouble that baffled doctors, and resisted all remedies he tried, John W. Modders, of Moddersville, Mich., seemed doomed. He had to sell his farm and give up work. His neighbors said, "he can't live much longer." "Whatever I ate distressed me" he wrote, "till I tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for me that I can now eat things I could not take for years. It's surely a grand remedy for stomach trouble." Just as good for liver and kidneys. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c at all druggists.

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NEWS NOTES FROM DELTA COUNTY TOWNS

GLADSTONE.

Henry Flynn of Harris was in town Sunday.

H. W. Blackwell spent Sunday in Menominee.

Gay Harris of Escanaba was in this city Sunday.

Andrew Wils of Rapid River was in this city Sunday.

Frank Burke of Escanaba was in this city Saturday evening.

Engwald Stevenson of Chicago, is visiting at the home of his brother.

Magnus Anderson and John Eklblad were county seat visitors Monday.

Miss Josephine Rosenblum visited friends at Ishpeming during the past week.

Attorney A. W. Wolfe is visiting at Ridgeway, Pennsylvania, for a few weeks.

William Yates of Rockford, Ill., is the guest of J. Smith for a few weeks.

Henry Mallongree and daughters, Emily and Marie drove to Rapid River Sunday.

Miss Ruth Schaffer is visiting with friends at Sault Ste. Marie for a couple of weeks.

A. Jacobs returned to his home at Treenary, after spending a few days in this city.

August Mercier, Sr., of Fayetteville of weeks.

Mrs. Geo. Pease submitted to another operation Monday at the Delta county hospital.

H. E. Hite, the painter, is building a new workshop on his property on lot at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roleau Monday.

The Misses Mercier of Nahma visited their sister, Mrs. Peter LeClaire Friday and Saturday.

Andrew Peterson, formerly a painter here, now of Calumet is visiting in the city for a few days.

W. F. Hammel and son, David, visited at the former's old home, Appleton, at the later part of last week.

Mrs. Geo. R. Lovelace of Centralia, Ill., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Milton Call and Louise Leonhardt.

Hilda Olmsted and the Misses R.

and M. Tabin of Nahma visited here Thursday with Mrs. Peter LeClaire.

Miss Gladys Nebel went to Marquette Thursday night to be the guest of her uncle, Henry, for a short time.

Arthur Davis, until recently employed at Carl O. Carlson's blacksmith shop, will leave for the West shortly.

Rube Johnson returned home Friday evening from Manistique, where he has been staying for the past three months.

Miss Emma Lafountain, a waitress at the Delmonico Cafe, visited relatives and friends at Escanaba Monday evening.

Frank Peterson came in this week from Wisconsin to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson.

Mr. L. Lenhart, who formerly was assistant night engineer at Wells, has accepted a similar position at the chemical plant between Wells and Gladstone.

James Drivas, for the past three years employed in Rouman Bros. candy kitchen, has accepted a position at Antigo and he left for that place Thursday. His place here is being filled by Miss Della Gagnon.

Miss Emma Jaeger, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jaeger for the past three weeks, left Saturday morning for Peshtigo, where she visited relatives before returning to her home at Wausau, Wis.

Those who are carrying a revolver should remember that they are liable to \$500 fine or two years imprisonment or both unless they have a permit from a board consisting of the chief of police, sheriff and prosecuting attorney.

Misses Anna and Linda Olson, Anna and Martha Swanson, Esther Gustafson and Ruth Lindblad returned Monday night from Iron River, where they attended the convention of the Young Peoples' societies of Swedish Mission churches.

G. R. Empson was a Duluth business visitor this week.

Som Goldstein returned Saturday from an auto trip to Chicago.

Mrs. J. S. Brown and son, Morris, were over from Lathrop Sunday.

Miss Margaret Henke went to Ishpeming Friday for a few weeks' visit.

Miss Anna Sisco of Rapid River visiting at the home of Miss Anna Goranowski.

Malvin Drug returned last night from Rexton where he has been for the past month.

Mrs. C. J. Holm and children went to Iron Mountain Saturday to visit relatives for a week.

REAPPORTIONMENT STILL A QUESTION

Detroit, Aug. 18.—The reapportionment bill which gives Michigan more congressmen. There is much speculation whether Governor Osborn will call a special session of the legislature to reapportion the state, whether the matter will go over to the next session and one congressman will be elected at large next year.

While there is nothing definite from the governor on the point, it is pretty certain that he will call an extra session, and that reapportionment will be included in the call. F. Knox, Republican state chairman, wants the session called, and it is likely that Governor Osborn will harken to his plea. Mr. Knox wants the agricultural counties of the upper peninsula, Menominee, Delta, Schoolcraft, Chippewa, Alger and Luce, hooked up with some of the lower peninsula counties along the Straits of Mackinac into a new district, and there he is going to run for congress.

Senator Otto F. Howe of the 800 also wants to run in this district, and it is expected, Senator Frank D. Alger, will also be in the race.

FLIES DO NOT EAT.

The common house fly never eats. They are provided with a powerful dissolving fluid with which they dissolve all food they attack, into a liquid state, and then drink it. It is interesting to watch through a microscope and see a lump of sugar melt under their attack. Malt acts as a dissolver of food in the human stomach in the same way, and is a great aid to digestion, especially when combined with nerve building hops, as they are combined in golden grain belt beers. They are brewed with that object in view.

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