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Much Dissatisfaction With Russell's Military Appointments.

Dockery Stuck Forward As a Soldier. Unfit For Any Position. Two Stubborn Convicts. The Cannon Coal Mine.

JOURNAL BUREAU.
RALEIGH, N. C., November 30. — There is very general dissatisfaction as the way in which Governor Russell is making appointments to fill vacancies in the 1st N. C. Regiment. The people generally were surprised and the Durham people indignant at the appointment of Adjutant General A. D. Cowles as Captain of the Durham company. Now it is Raleigh's time to be indignant, for on yesterday afternoon Governor Russell commissioned Oliver H. Dockery, Jr., Second Lieutenant in the Raleigh company, thus turning the company seriously. 1st Sergeant C. C. Bunch was in line of promotion for the place and well deserved that promotion. Political appointments and dabbling helped to make the Second regiment of no good and now Russell is tampering with the splendid 1st Regiment and if possible will ruin that also.

Dockery has no military training what ever. He ran for Solicitor in this district and was terribly defeated on November 8th. His campaign speeches were so indecent that he soon disgusted the negroes. This is the man that has been saddled upon Company B.

There are still two convicts, out at the penitentiary, who were among the 28 Federal prisoners who refused to work and were put in dark cells and fed on bread and water two weeks ago, who are still stubborn and are still under punishment. All the rest have given in and gone to work.

The fiscal year of the State ended today. The reports of the different departments are not yet completed.

Out of the 8 coal mines in the State five of them are in Chatham county. Out of these five only one is worked, and that is Cannon. The output of the latter for August, September and October was 2,528 tons.

THE COLORED THIRD.

North Carolina Regiment Making Nervous Front in Georgia.

MACON, Ga., November 29.—Rumor has been rife in the city tonight that the negro soldiers of the Third North Carolina regiment, stationed here, intended to break out of camp and destroy the city, and much uneasiness has been felt both by citizens and soldiers.

The excitement among the negro soldiers was caused by the shooting of Private Will Kempin, of Company F, Third North Carolina, by W. S. Simmons proprietor of a saloon. Kempin is thought to be fatally wounded.

He went to Simmons' bar and called for a drink. On being told that the bar was for white people only, he became enraged and finally abused a brother of the proprietor, who struck him with a bottle. Kempin went away, but shortly afterward returned with four or five other negro soldiers and started towards young Simmons, calling a vile name. W. S. Simmons, seeing his brother in peril, shot Kempin in the breast. The other negroes ran off. Simmons is in jail.

Half Fifty Cents a Pound.

HAYAS, November 29.—A contract which has been entered into by the quartermaster's department and the cattle firm of Hall, Pryor & King for supplying meat to the American soldiers for the next thirty days has created a shortage in the cattle market.

Speculators quietly bought up all cattle purchasable. This morning they caused a rumor to be circulated that the Americans would take possession of the custom house December 1 and at once put a lag on cattle. The result of this was that cattle greatly advanced and meat is at almost a prohibitive price. The poorest quality of beef is selling at fifty cents a pound.

This condition will be temporary, but meantime the speculators have made their profit at the expense of the public. It is possible that the contract with Hall, Pryor & King will not be continued after thirty days, as the quartermasters plan the erection at Marjany of a cold storage plant to hold meat for the entire army.

Beheading in Philippines.

MANILA, Nov. 26.—Advices from Iloilo state that the natives of the Visayas Islands have established a republic, independent of Luzon. In some of the islands hostilities are proceeding between rival republics.

It is reported that a section of the insurgents, called the guards of honor, who are opposed to Aguinaldo, have captured San Ignacio, in the province of Pangasinan, Island of Luzon, at the instance of Spanish priests.

The Casino Espanol here has contributed \$10 to each Spanish officer and \$10 to each private held in captivity by the insurgents.

The Philippines papers are demanding good roads into the interior for the transportation of produce, which is now wanted.

ONLY A COLONY.

Philippines Not to Be Treated as a Colony. A Department in Our Form of Government.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The impression among the able members of the Philippine commission is that the Philippines will be treated as a colony of the United States is prevalent. It seems to be a case of the choice of the lesser evil, rather than take any chance on the admission of the islands as a State at some future period, the republicans incline to the idea of a colony to be organized and governed as a dependency of the United States. The fact that many lawyers hold such action would be contrary to the spirit, if not to the letter of the constitution makes little difference, for as Tim Campbell said, "What is the constitution between friends?" They say the evil to be expected from a colonial government for the Philippines is much less than would result if the islands were erected into a Territory with a prospect of statehood.

As a colony they could be made self-supporting by properly adjusted tariff and revenue laws, which is regarded impossible if they are made an integral part of the United States. Their residents would not be citizens of the United States and would not have the liberty to move to this country en masse if they chose. A Republican Representative from New England said today there was a very strong and sound sentiment throughout all New England that the United States had assumed a great burden in taking the Philippines. This sentiment was not represented only by the men who posed as the leaders of the anti-expansionist movement, but prevailed among the business men, the scholars and the representative men of New England. They hoped the annexation of the Philippines would be avoided and the islands would have an independent government.

Senator Chandler said today he was in favor of such a course of action. He hoped we would take charge of affairs in the Philippines on a plan something similar to that which will prevail in Cuba, and when the proper time came the islands should be declared independent, though possibly remaining under an American protectorate. For the time being he thought they could be very properly put under military government which would admit of the "open door" policy, and a suitable revenue could be derived from the customs. He does not favor the idea of making a Territory from the Philippines or encouraging the inhabitants to look forward to statehood.

Settling the Details.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—The secretaries of the two peace commissions, Messrs. Moore and Ojeda, began today their joint task of formulating the articles of the peace treaty as directed by their respective commissions.

This work will be easy and rapid as to the relinquishment and cessions referred to in the protocol, the terms of which document will be transferred bodily to the treaty. The secretaries will also embody in tentative articles, for discussion on Wednesday, the subjects of the religious freedom of the Caroline Islands, a naval station for the United States in the same group, cable landing rights at other places within Spain's jurisdiction and the revival of the treaties broken by the war.

It has been agreed that Spain is to release the insurrectionist prisoners upon the United States undertaking to secure the release of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of Aguinaldo. The question is so intimately related to the peace treaty that it has been removed from the subjects of negotiation, and has been embodied in the articles containing the protocol agreements.

All On Board Lost.

BOSTON, November 29.—A special to The Herald from North Truro, says the steamer Portland, of the Boston and Portland Steamship Company, plying between Boston and Portland, was totally wrecked at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, off Highland light, and the entire crew and passengers perished within a short distance of land. A large quantity of wreckage, including trunks and other material have come ashore and at dark last night thirty-four bodies had been recovered from the surf by the life saving crew at High Head station. One body was that of a woman.

The passenger list numbers fifty-one and the officers and crew number forty-eight. The Portland was built in Bath in 1890 and was a side-wheel steamer of 1,817 tons net burden. Her length is 230 feet, beam 43, and depth 15 feet. She was valued at \$250,000 and is fully insured.

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FIVE MILLIONS INCREASE.

Show by State Board of Equalization.

Governor Russell's Appointments Severely Criticized. Raleigh's New Mayor. Present From Geo. Vanderbilt. Sheriff Must Remit Taxes.

JOURNAL BUREAU.
RALEIGH, N. C., December 1. — The State Board of Equalization has completed its report and shows an increase of over \$5,000,000 taxable property.

The twelfth wedding yesterday of Mr. Thomas M. Ashe and Miss Nannie Branch Jones at Christ Church was one of the prettiest weddings ever seen in this beautiful church.

There is still the most severe criticism of Governor Russell for his military appointments. Capt. A. D. Cowles and Lt. O. H. Dockery, Jr. Even members of the Third Regiment, (colored), say they would not like to have such incompetent men over them.

Mr. P. C. Ennis who will be a candidate for State Librarian before the legislature, says if he gets the place the Library will be kept open at night. This is what ought to have been done all along instead of closing the Library before dark, for so many there have been deprived of the privilege of using the Library at all. This will be a big argument in favor of Mr. Ennis.

There are all sorts of hitches regarding the settlement of the States claims of \$23,113 against the government for money paid in mobilizing the volunteers. The government met the claims with a counter claim of \$35,000 Indian claim. Mr. J. C. L. Harris so far has been unable to get things settled, so tomorrow Governor Russell proposes to go to Washington in person and see what he can do.

To-morrow night the Board of Aldermen will elect Mr. A. M. Powell mayor, to succeed Mayor Russ, who on Monday takes his new position of Clerk of Wake county court.

The military that was on duty at Wilmington during the riot there will be paid the same as soldiers in the regular army. The call on the Treasury for the amount will be considerable.

Mr. George Vanderbilt has presented to the Department of Pharmacy at the University forty (40) specimens of medicinal herbs collected at Biltmore.

The Bobbitt-Wynne Drug Company was organized here last night and chartered by the State. It will conduct a wholesale and retail drug trade in Raleigh. The stockholders are all strong business men. Mr. J. Hal Bobbitt is president of the new company.

Today the State Treasurer issues a letter to every sheriff in the State asking that they remit the State taxes for 1898 as early as possible. That the demands on the Treasury within the next few weeks will be heavy is shown by the fact that State Auditor Ayer today issues pension warrants to the amount of \$120,000, to be paid in the next 60 days. On January 1st, 1899, \$66,500 will have to be paid for interest on the 4% bonded debt of the State. It will take fully \$70,000 to meet the expenses of the legislature. These and the running expenses require that all available money be sent in as early as possible.

A white woman 35 years old from Polk county was today placed in the penitentiary for shooting her 9 year old son.

The newly elected Congressman from the 4th District, Charles R. Thomas, is here. Victor H. Boyden, one of the clerks in the Revenue office has resigned and is succeeded by L. H. Deaton.

Counting the Lost.

BOSTON, Mass., November 30.—The extent of the loss of life on the New England coast from the storm of Saturday and Sunday cannot be estimated yet with accuracy, but it is known that more than 200 persons perished.

Of these nearly 150 were on the steamer Portland, which was swallowed by the sea off Cape Cod with not a survivor to tell the tale.

The exact number of persons who were carried from Boston by the Portland will probably never be known, as no complete list of passengers was retained on shore when the vessel left Saturday. It is probable that 144, including passengers and crew, is near the correct number.

Short Lived Union.

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, Nov. 30.—The attempt to effect a coalition between the States of Nicaragua, Honduras and Salvador, to be conducted under a common administration and known as the United States of Central America, has failed completely.

The federal organizers today formally declared the union dissolved, the three States resuming, respectively, absolute sovereignty.

The collapse is due to the failure of the troops of Honduras, acting in behalf of the federal organizers, to suppress the outbreak in Salvador against the proposed federation to force Salvador into the union.

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ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT.

Six of the Treaty Articles Settled. The Remainder Under Discussion.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—The American and Spanish peace commissioners held a joint session today and approved the draft of part of the peace treaty. Thirteen articles, which, it is proposed, shall be incorporated in the treaty, were laid before them, as follows:

First—The relinquishment by Spain of sovereignty over and claim of title to Cuba.
Second—The cession of Porto Rico and other Spanish possessions in the West Indies, together with Guam, in the Ladrones.
Third—The cession of the Philippines.

Fourth—The terms of evacuation of the Philippines.
Fifth—A pledge of the United States to preserve order in the Philippines pending the ratification of the treaty.

Sixth—The mutual release of military prisoners.

Seventh—The cession by Spain of the Island of Kasale, or Strong Island, in the Carolines.

Eighth—The mutual relinquishment of indemnity claims.

Ninth—The religious freedom of the Carolines, assuring the rights of American missionaries there.

Tenth—Cable landing rights at places within the Spanish jurisdiction.

Eleventh—The release by Spain of political prisoners, who are being punished for offenses in Cuba and the Philippines.

Twelfth—The pledge of the United States to inaugurate in the Philippines an "open door" policy and to guarantee such a policy to Spain for at least twelve years.

Thirteenth—A revival of the treaties broken by the war.

The first six articles were mutually agreed upon. The terms of evacuation of the Philippines will be practically the same as those for the evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico. As to the mutual release of military prisoners Spain will liberate her rebel prisoners and the United States will liberate the Manila garrison and the Spaniards held by Aguinaldo.

Only eight of the thirteen proposed were discussed. Four points arose regarding which the Spaniards desired to consult Madrid and two upon which the Americans will consult Washington.

Daily joint sessions will be held hereafter and the work of the joint commission may be concluded this week, although so early an end is not probable.

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Opposed to Mr. Bailey.

WASHINGTON, November 30.—Two more prominent Democratic members of the House of Representatives put themselves on record today in opposition to the leadership of Representative Bailey in the next House. They are Mr. Allen of Mississippi, and Mr. Cochran, of Missouri. Mr. Cochran said while he admitted the ability of Mr. Bailey, he did not think he was suited for the party leadership, and he was sure he would not be selected for that honor. Mr. DeArmond, of Missouri, will be pressed by his delegation, and Mr. Cochran thinks he will be chosen.

Mr. Allen has undisguised personal hostility toward Mr. Bailey and is not slow to say he intends to work all he can to beat him. Aside, however, from his personal feelings, he holds that a different sort of man should lead the Democratic minority in the next House.

In speaking of the intimations from certain Republicans of the disposition to revive force bill legislation, Mr. Allen said he did not believe any such attempts could succeed. The northern people wanted the negroes protected in their just rights, just as the southern people did, but the northern people were not a whit less in favor of white man's government than the people of the south.

Deep Water For Norfolk.

NORFOLK, VA., November 30.—The work of dredging the Lamb Channel, from Hampton Road to the Norfolk Navy Yard, will be completed within ten days, unless some obstacle now unforeseen is encountered. Under the terms of the contract with the Government, a channel 450 feet wide, 25 feet deep at mean low tide, was to be completed by June, 1899. Nothing more unmanageable than soft silt having been encountered thus far the contractors have made rapid progress.

After the completion of their work, a vessel drawing 21 feet can, at high water, and one drawing 25 feet at low water enter this harbor and proceed to the dock at the Norfolk Navy Yard.

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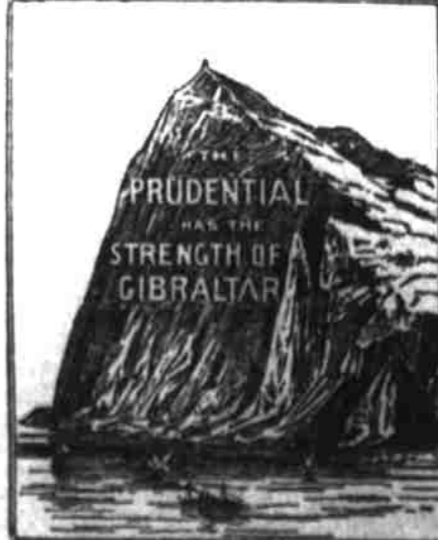
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