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RALEIGH.

Penitentiary Makes Money and Self Supporting.

Fewer Convicts to Work on State Farms. Dr. McNeill Sick Most of Legislative Session. Railway Charters. Investigation of Fires.

RALEIGH, March 13.—W. C. Newland, acting chairman of the penitentiary board, arrived here today to turn over that institution tomorrow to Senator Travis, the designated chairman of the new directorate. Capt. Newland said to your correspondent: "Our board has been so fortunate in management that the penitentiary has made money—at least $2,000 last year. Of course we put a lot of this in improvements. The penitentiary will not call on the State for a dollar this year, or next year. We have practically abandoned the Anson farm, for which we have paid $2,000 rent a year. We are responsible for this year's rent. The lease has yet some more of life. Next year half the rent will be taken off. We will keep 100 convicts there and cultivate 100 acres, enough to pay expenses. We will operate the Tillery farm this year and next year, when the lease ends. Then we divide crops with the owner. We gave up the Northampton farm Dec. 31. Long ago we abandoned the Lyrias rice farm, and the Castle Hayne farm. Neither of these paid, nor has the Anson farm paid. We have for nearly two years worked no convicts in the phosphate mines.

The Caledonia farm belongs to the State. There the great work will be done. We are handicapped by the diminution of convicts, when we took charge there was 1200 now there are only 800, the counties taking them. We need at least 1200 convicts to do all our work and if all convicts for terms over two years were sent to us it would be no trouble to make us self supporting. If the counties would sentence misdemeanor men to the roads as well as the felony men under two years and give us the others it would be all right. We have found railway to be by far the best paying. We had last year, part of the time, 300 convicts on that sort of work. Now there are about 100."

Dr. McNeill, member of the House from Brunswick, has been very sick ever since a fortnight after the Legislative session began. He had pneumonia in both lungs, pluriay and throat trouble. He will be taken to Maxton in a few days. One thing that has greatly worried him is the change in the system of government of his county which the Legislature has made.

The Legislature has this week chartered three more railways, the East Carolina, Raleigh and Cape Fear, and Durham and Raleigh (electric). It has revoked the charter of Southport, Wilmington and Western.

An excellent amendment of the law regarding the investigation of fires is made, by which the insurance commissioner can investigate fires in the rural districts when called by the sheriff or other proper official. Heretofore he could only investigate fires in cities and towns.

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TOO MUCH WORK.

No Chance to Finish Legislative Business Before Saturday.

The Revenue Bill Causes Delay. Bank Section Passed. Textile School Established, Money For The Asylums.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, March 13.—It is said tonight by Senators and Representatives that the Legislative work cannot be finished before Saturday night.

The long discussion of the revenue act has worried the Legislators no little. One of them said today that if it were kept up the Legislature would be here until the 4th of July.

The Senate took up most of the day with the revenue bill and adopted the bank section after three hours debate. The election law was passed today.

The House gave ten thousand dollars this year and a like amount next year to the textile school to be established here.

The Raleigh insane asylum gets $65,000 annually and the Morganton asylum $100,000 annually and $100,000 for new buildings, any other appropriation scaled.

Nominations Confirmed.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, March 14.—The Senate today confirmed the following nominations of Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College at Greensboro: A. J. Connor, B. F. Aycock, R. T. Gray and C. H. Mebane.

NO DECISION YET.

Supreme Court May not Pass on Insular Cases Until Fall.

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The Supreme Court has disappointed the lawers by not announcing a decision in the insular cases, and it is now believed that the Court may not decide these cases until the fall. On the other hand however, it is known that it has been endeavoring to reach a decision before for the session, and the fact that many other cases have been decided recently is taken by many lawyers to indicate that the Court is preparing to decide the cases this spring.

The general belief continues to be that all the cases will be decided in one, and that a majority of the Court will hold in favor of the Administration without deciding broadly and directly that "the Constitution does not follow the flag." Minority opinions are expected on the other side.

The expectation of members of the Administration and of most of the Senators and Representatives who have been following the matter is that the decision of the majority of the Court will confirm all that has been done with respect to the Philippines and Porto Rico, including the treatment of the Philippines and Porto Rico as territories outside the Union.

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State Military Companies.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, March 14.—Adjutant General Royster today received applications for permission to form companies at Newton and Hope Mills. He also received an invitation from the town of Southport for the State Guard to encamp there next summer.

HARRISON DEAD.

The Ex-President Died at Indianapolis Yesterday Afternoon.

The End Was Very Peaceful. Illness Was a Very Short one. Incidents of His Life And Career.

Special to Journal.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 14.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison breathed his last at 5 o'clock this afternoon at his home in this city. The end came peacefully at last after a hard and painful struggle with death.

For hours the General lay in a comatose state. He recognized no one and seemed free from pain. The end came quietly as the physicians had anticipated. He grew weaker and weaker and the heart beats gradually became more faint and the breath became more feeble. Then the heart ceased to beat, breathing ceased and the Ex-President passed away as peacefully as a child sinks into slumber.

General Harrison was in perfect health last Wednesday and was not suffering from illness of any sort. He was in full possession of the vitality and vigor which has characterized these later years of his life to a remarkable extent.

He returned from his afternoon walk without even feeling fatigue and in the evening went to one of the neighbor's to make a short call.

Thursday morning he awakened with a pain in his chest, which at first was hardly noticeable, but later gradually grew worse, until Mrs. Harrison became alarmed, and the family physician was summoned. He pronounced it simply a cold and at the time feared no alarming results. Then the lungs became rapidly affected and the illness was complicated with intercostal neuralgia.

Saturday his condition was serious, but not such as to cause particular alarm. Sunday, for the first time, the physician began to have fears for the recovery of the patient. Since Monday morning his condition has gradually grown worse.

Harrison's Life.

Benjamin Harrison, twenty-third President of the United States, came of a historic line.

Major General Harrison, as English ancestor, bore arms with Oliver Cromwell and rose with him to prominence in the Revolution. It fell to his lot to sign the death warrant of Charles I, and after the Restoration he paid the penalty for this act, being executed on October 13, 1660.

The first descendant of Cromwell's General who appears in American history was Benjamin Harrison, a member of the Virginia House of Burgesses, later a delegate to the Colonial Congress, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, three times Governor of Virginia and a member of the convention that ratified the Constitution.

His son was Gen. William Henry Harrison, whose honorable career as a soldier and statesman culminated in his election to the Presidency in 1840, to be followed by his death in the White House one month after his inauguration.

John Scott Harrison, a son of William Henry Harrison, was the father of Benjamin Harrison, and was a native of Indiana. He was twice in Congress as a Democrat.

The future President, Benjamin Harrison, was born at North Bend, Ohio, in his grandfather's house, on August 20, 1833.

1833—Born at North Bend, Ohio, August 20.

1852—Graduated from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

1853—Married to Caroline Lavina Scott.

1854—Began the practice of law in Indianapolis.

1862—Raised a company of Indiana volunteers for the Union Army, was successively promoted until he became brigadier general.

1876—Unsuccessful Republican candidate for Governor of Indiana.

1881—Took a seat in the United States Senate, holding it until 1887.

1888—Elected President of the United States of the Republican ticket, receiving 233 votes in the Electoral College against 168 for Grover Cleveland.

1892—Renominated for the Presidency and defeated by Grover Cleveland, who received 277 Electoral votes, against 145 for Harrison and 22 for J. W. Weaver, Populist.

1896—His first wife having died, he married her niece, Mrs. Mary Scott Lord Dimmick.

1899—Counsel for the Venezuelan Government before the arbitration tribunal to settle the boundary dispute with Great Britian.

1900—Appointed by President McKinley a member of the International Court of Arbitration at The Hague.

Hanna is "Out of It."

WASHINGTON, March. 12.—President McKinley does not entertain even the remotest thought of a nomination for third term. This is on the authority of Senator Hanna, who says:

"What he wants is to successfully round out his second term. I am out of it. They are talking about Fairbanks, Beveridge, Spooner and Lodge. But it must be rememberdd that the Senate has never been a successful incubator for Presidential chicks."

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W. H. Worth Clerk in State Treasurer's Office Disappears.

Cause of Flight to Raleigh Money Secured by Raising Checks on Warrants. Though Shortage Contemplated Could Be Made Good Under Large Surety Bond.

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Wilhelmina in Danger.

LONDON, March 12.—Acting on representations from The Hague, Roumanian police have been instructed to watch certain persons at Jassy, suspected of being engaged in a conspiracy against Queen Wilhelmina and her husband.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS.

Important Arrests In North Carolina Many Victims.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 13.—Postoffice Inspector Jere Connolly arrived here this afternoon from Laurenburg, N. C., a small town on the Seaboard Air Line, 65 miles from Wilmington, where he caused the arrest of H. T. Allen, alias Dr. Allen and M. Allen, a middle-aged man employed as a printer on the local newspaper. The charge against him is fraudulent use of the mails in that he advertised extensively the sale of certain recipes and offered as a prize with each order fac simile bills to the amount of $15, which he said were printed on genuine "B. N." paper and could not be told from the genuine article.

The bills in reality were Confederate notes and Allen numbered his victims from Maine to Mexico, several orders having been received from New York State. He was given a preliminary examination and committed to jail for the United States District Court in default of bond in the sum of $500.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL.

Prosecution Opened by Allen. Fifty or More Witnesses at Trial.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, March 14.—The Senate met at 12.30 o'clock today, as a Court of Impeachment, and heard the opening argument by Senator W. R. Allen, of Wayne, chairman of the Board of Impeachment managers.

Senator Allen's argument simply followed along the line of the articles of impeachment.

There will be fifty or more witnesses in the impeachment trial of Judges Furches and Douglas, which began today. Nearly half of them are lawyers and ex-judges who are expert witnesses for the defence.

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REVENUE BILL ADOPTED.

Tax on Corporate Loans and on Municipal Loans Stricken Out.

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, March 14.—The conference committee on the revenue bill made its report. Its report was adopted.

The tax on corporate loans and on municipal loans is stricken out of the bill.

The Criminal Insane.

Special to the Journal.

Raleigh, March 14.—The bill giving the Penitentiary the control of the criminal insane passed both Houses today.

Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pembroke Mfg. Co. will be held at the City Hall on Friday night the 15th of March 1901 at 8 o'clock. A full meeting is desired.

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RALEIGH.

House Democrats Caucus Late And Secretly.

Members of Legislature Getting Away. Efforts Made to Prevent Departures. Graduating Exercises at Shaw University. The Farmers.

RALEIGH, March 14.—The House Democrats caucused last night after 10 o'clock. All present were pledged to absolute secrecy and not allowed to say a word to any outsider.

The speaker of the House last night determined to stop the departure of members and to keep a quorum here. He issued orders to the sergeant at arms to permit no member to leave Raleigh. Men were on duty at the railway station to prevent departures. The public business was in a critical state yesterday and today. Members are serving with no pay. Up to yesterday afternoon all the Republican and Populist members save 3 had gone and so had 20 Democrats. All the Senators are here. They are on pay as a court of impeachment.

The appropriation for new building at the Western hospital for the insane is fixed at $110,000 and for maintenance $100,000. This will stand.

At Shaw University (colored) here the graduating exercises of the classes in medicine, law and pharmacy were held. Gov. Aycock made an address and presented the diplomas to the 17 graduates in medicine, 2 in law and 1 in pharmacy. The annual address was by Dr. Shailer Matthews of the University of Chicago. There are over 400 students at Shaw.

Last year there was a notably large falling off in the number of crop liens and mortgages. This year there is a still further decrease. This is a sure sign of prosperity among the farmers.

The latter hold considerable cotton and are in easier circumstances generally than in 25 years past.

The farmers express pleasure at the striking out of the proposed tax of 50 cents per ton on cotton seed meal.

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IT WORRIES.

Revenue Bill Disturbs Senate and House Conferees.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, March 14.—This morning at 9 o'clock the Senate and House conferees on the revenue bill met. Senators London and Aycock, and representatives Gattis, Willard and Page. The revenue bill has given a great deal of trouble.

It is greatly pruned and its worst features stricken out. Senator Glenn, who voted against it, says: "It will not injure any man to vote against this revenue bill."

TERMS FOR THE BOERS.

British Cabinet Formulates Instructions For Kitchener.

LONDON, March 13.—The British Cabinet at a meeting today considered the negotiations proceeding between Generals Kitchener and Botha and formulated instructions for General Kitchener which defined on broad lines the terms on which a peace settlement might be made.

A Pretoria dispatch says: "Pending the arrival of General De Wet a general armistice has been declared. General Botha has been in conference with Lord Kitchener and Sir Alfred Milner for several days, and all three desire to consult De Wet. De Wet is hurrying north through the Orange State in obedience to Botha's summons. On his arrival a conference will be held near Pretoria."

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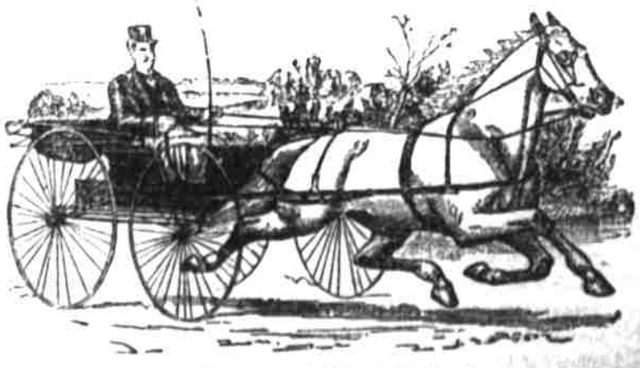

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