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### WASHINGTON NEWS.

#### ELECTORAL YOTES BEING BRING PRESENTED.

augural Preparations. Ways au-Beans Committee Work, Sepater Sherman For the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 14, '97 .-It is not yet certain whether the silver Democrats and their allies will insist or holding up Francis' nomination until the expiration of his term, but it is plain tha so far as the Missouri Senators are con cerned they are quite willing that is should remain suspended in the air. Notwithstanding the attitude of the

Missouri Senators, and the fact that they are supported by other eliver Senators, i is probable that Mr. Francis will be con ed. This is owing to the fact that several prominent silver men believe that the President's right of selection of his own advisers should not be questioned by the Senate. But their attitude in the matter of Mr. Francis' confirmation does not imply any alteration of purpose in the determination to defeat all the gold men named for federal places to succeed allver men removed for their fealty to the

regular ticket.
The electoral votes of Maryland and North Carolina were presented to the Vice President by the special messengers from those States. The messenge from North Carolina, Locke Craig, had the antisfaction of filing the report of the

first Bryan electors. The Maryland messenger was intro duced to a number of prominent Sena tors by Senator-elect Wellington, but neither Senator Gorman nor Senator Gib son exhibited the least finterest in the messenger, personally, or in his feat of depositing Maryland's first Republican electoral votes in a third of a century.

Senator Chandler's little plan to creata Republican majority in the new Senat-by reviving the defunct Dujont contes carries with it little prospect of success Dupont and his friends assert that as the nte le a continuous body it can recon sider the action of last May, by which Dupont was declared not entitled to seat. Good Senate authorities regard it as settled by precedent that when a Sen-ator's title to a seat is once passed upon it is a final determination of the ques-

However, it was the almost universal desire of the individual members of the guard to be accorded the privilege caparticipating in the inaugural ceremonies as in former years. Particularly was this so as the personnel of the guard has largely changed during the past four and

cight years.

For this reason other plans have been devised to being on the guard, which will insure their attendance in thousands and which will add materially to the apectacular appearance of the parade Plans for their accommodation have been going on for some days, and are now understood to be completed as well

as for their equipment.

Chairman Wright of the public comfort committee reports that he has already given tonight, of course this means much secured places where 20,000 visitors can wire pulling today. Pritchard's fall will be accommodated during inauguration week, as well as provision for the service of 9,800 extra meals per day.

The Pennsylvania National Guards, or. at least, a large number of them, will at tend the inauguaration, it can be said

Notwithstanding the fact that Governor Hasting gave out a lengthy state ment last week, which seemed to throw cold water upon the prospects of the participation of the Guarda, it is the gen-eral impression, that fapon eight to ter thousand of them will be liers, and Maj Penny states that arrangements hav-

It is said that the State has no fund on of which to pay the expenses of the normous majority given the Republican andidates in Ponnsylvania the official sought that the breaking off of the practice of sending the Pennsylvania Nation I Guard to Washington on inuaguration could not possibly be construed to haven by political significance.

The Ways and Means committee ha begun its sittings. It proposes to finish its bill by the first of April. To do it is will be necessary to burn midnight of and consume more or less enthusiasm Oil is cheep and enthusiasm plenty among the younger politicisms of the

It is the intention to take up schedule fter schedule until the hill is finished. The committee will go on sitting after March t. It will continue up to the meeting of the extra session. The day after the new Ways and Means Committee is appointed the Dingley tariff bill will be presented.

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# ABSOLUTELY PURE

for his home in Mansfield, but that he will stop off at Canton and have a con erence with Mr. McKinley at the latter's equest. The fact that Senator Sherman will enter the Cabinet is accepted by his colleagues in the Senate as a well-settled

#### THE STATE CAPITAL.

the Assembly's Work. Comments Be garding Capital Club Reception Subsenatorial Discourtesies.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 14, 1897. In the Senate on Wednesday bills a ollows were introduced: To establish easonable rates on railroads, telegraph nd telephone lines; to establish uniforn tandard of time in N. C.; to amend the chool laws of the State; by Mr. McCarhy a resolution allowing the judiciary mmittee a clerk.

In the House Dr. Dixon's bill in regard o the reform school, provides for the liscipline training and education of outhful criminals and provides for an ppropriation of \$10,000 for each race for the first 2 years, and the purchase of rom 300 to 600 acres of land for farming

A resolution to pay the Arrington Committee was tabled by a unanimous ote. Thus Campbell, of Cherokee; Philips, of Chatham, and Purnell, of Raleigh. vill get no money.

Sutton of New Hanover, offered a res dution to print 10,000 copies of Govertor Russell's message. It caused a livey debate and was referred to the Finance

The House will adjourn at 10 o'clock saturday until 4 p. m. Monday so that he Hall can be thoroughly cleaned. So nany members are stek it was decided t came from the carpet.

Gov. Russell did not come to the Exscutive office at all yesterday.

There is much comment pro and con of the Capital Club reception to Goveror Russell; also of the actions of Goveraor Carr upon retiring from and of Governor Russell upon entering the Executive office. That Governor Carr was, all slong treated with discourtesy no onan question, and if he resented it no one hould blame him.

At Mrs. Cheshire's funeral there were he four ministers here—the minister from Charlotte, Scotland Neck, Golds ooro and Henderson. Dr. Marshal, of Christ Church here was not sufficiently ecovered from his attack of Sunday to be able to attand. He is not so well to-

The majority Populists have asked the Republicans to caucus and say whether hey will co-operate with them or with the minority caucur. An answer will be

Auditor Ayer says if the Republicans i le with the minority Populists, that here after they will find that the whole force of the majority Populist will be against them. Congressman Settle, Republican, considers Pritchard so sure that he will return to Washington to-

Rain has begun and the snow is rapidly disappearing.

### Telegraph Items.

During a wrestling match at Port Grif in Pa. John Kaynot, one of the contes cants, plunged a knife into Joseph Ko witter's neck. The latter fell dead on the

Five children were drowned at St Loutwhile skating on thin ice, which gave way, John Gleason, age i fifteen, attempted a rescue, and nearly lost his life. He le a a serious condition.

George Kile committed suicide a Menominee, Wis., by placing his head under the wheels of a locomotive. He was a bookkeeper for a prominent firm Domestic trouble and a shortage are

John W. Glover and Harry Glover contractors, and T. A. Degarmo and John W. Shriever were killed by the exsize on of thirty-five pounds of glass sowder in the Adit Mining Company's connel, near Ward. Col., Tuesday night

Joseph Burkhardt, a well-to-do Ed vardaville, Ill., contractor and builder shot and killed his wife and then com nitted suicide. The husband built new residence and because the plans were not to her liking, his wife declined to tive in it.

### LAY DOWN THE LAW.

POPULIST COMMITTEEMEN TELL REPUBLICANS

Must Heave Populist Bolters Alone Grand Lodge Masons Adjourns. Russell and Dockery Make up. Bepublicans Worried.

Frand Lodge of Masons adjourned today. The portrait of B. N. Duke, Esq. was rdered to be placed in the Duke Build ing, at the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and the annual meeting to be held at Oxford. The officers were installed. Walter E Moore is Grand Master.

Hal Ayer resigns as the Populist State Chairman, and W. E. Fountain, of Tarboro succeeds him. Oliver H. Dockery and Governor Rus-

sell adjusted their differences today. The Populist State Committeemen delare that if the Republicans desire to deal with the bolting Populists they must understand that in the future they must ight alone, so far as the Populists are

Populist majority is in eaucus tonight. Republicans are worried at its demand nade last night.

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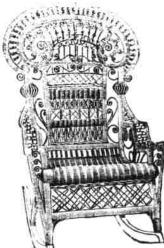
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