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PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

sent to the United States Senate Yesterday.

Special to Journal.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President McKinley has sent to the Senate the following nominations.

Joseph McKenna, Associate Justice Supreme Court.
Charles G. Dawes, to be Comptroller of the Currency.

Joseph Reed, Chief Justice, and William M. Murray, Thos. C. Fuller and William F. Stone, Justices of Court of Private Land Claims.
Henry O. Dockery, United States Marshall for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Dismal Swamp Canal.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16.—Rapid progress is being made in the reconstruction of the old Dismal Swamp canal, and this famous old waterway of ante-bellum days will become an important link in reopening inside navigation to eastern North Carolina. Baltimore capital is chiefly interested in this work, which is being carried on by Lake Drummond Canal and Water Company, of which Mr. Walter B. Brooks is president.

The present status of the work shows that the dam and lock in Deep Creek, Va., with a waste weir, is nearly completed. There is also a lock at Lake Drummond, which is about finished. This lock controls the flow of water from Lake Drummond into the canal by a feeder, which is being dredged to the required depth of the new level of the canal.

There is also a waste weir at South Mills, N. C., which is nearly finished, and is now in use. The large lock at South Mills is about half completed. Work has not been started as yet on a similar lock at Deep Creek, Va. The dredging for the channel between Deep Creek and South Mills is about one-third finished.

Extract News Items.

New York, December, 15.—The directors of the Southern Railway have declared a dividend of 1 per cent. on the preferred stock, payable January 20th.

San Francisco, December, 15.—Theodore Durrant was this morning sentenced to be hanged January 7, 1898, for the murder of Blanche Lamont. This is the fourth time Durrant has been sentenced.

Trondhjem, Norway, December, 15.—An agent of the United States government named Kjeltberg has arrived here to buy reindeer for the Klondike relief expeditions.

San Francisco, Dec. 15.—The Russian barkentine Bering arrived in port yesterday with 7,000 sealskins, representing the major portion of the business done by the Russian Seal and Fur Company during the season just closed. The cargo is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Simla, December 15.—Gen. Sir William Lockhart, the British commander-in-chief, has decided to send a column of troops to re-open the Khyber Pass, marching up from Jamrud. Then from All Musjid, the column will descend into the Pashar Valley and punish the tribesmen in that district.

Havana, Cuba, December 15.—An infernal machine containing a genuine dynamite bomb was discovered this morning in the building in which the United States consulate is located. The bomb was placed downstairs in a small archway between two pillars, midway between the Herald office and the office of Dr. Brunner, the United States sanitary inspector.

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Humors at Madrid.

Madrid, Dec. 15.—The Queen Regent today received General Weyler, the former captain-general of Cuba. The audience lasted an hour and three-quarters.

General Weyler expressed his ideas on the situation to the Queen Regent with great frankness, and notably his indignation as a soldier against "President McKinley's unjustifiable insults" and the government's indifference to the army's honor.

An official note was issued tonight describing as "inventions and exaggerations intended to mislead the people" the sinister rumors as to the relations between Spain and the United States, the supposed effect of President McKinley's message, the agitation in the army, the attack on the American consulate in Havana and the report that filibusters sunk the floating dock there. It urges the people to "distrust the foreign press" and to rely on "news directly emanating from Madrid and Havana."

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

NEW YORK, December 15.
STOCKS.
Open. High. Low. Close
Peoples Gas... 96 95 93 93
C. R. & Q. 99 99 98 98

COTTON.
Open. High. Low. Close
January..... 5.08 5.09 5.07 5.07

CHICAGO MARKETS.
WHEAT—Open. High. Low. Close
May..... 91 92 91 92
Corn—
May..... 29 29 28 29

It is said that the Rev. (T) Dr. Babbs who was created a penitentiary chaplain is now a steward on one of the penitentiary farms.

A STATE'S DOINGS.

Important Happenings in North Carolina.

Examination State Officials Books. Medical Association Meet. Long Distance Telephone. Tuberculosis Rampant. Convicts Set at Work.

JOURNAL BUREAU.
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 16.

The legislative committee to examine the books of the State Treasurer and Auditor finish in the Treasurer's office, and take hold of Auditor Ayer's books today.

A few weeks ago the Seaboard Air Line put into effect a rule to allow each person holding a full ticket the privilege of 300 pounds of baggage, but now the officials have rescinded this order, and only 150 pounds is allowed.

The delegates to the cotton growers convention at Atlanta have returned and report that there was unity among the delegates so that nothing was done.

The North Carolina Veterinary medical association will meet in Greensboro on the 27th.

Maj. Chas. L. Davis' military instructor at Bingham's School has served out his term there and will be succeeded by Lieut. Perry. The Cadets have presented Maj. Davis with a handsome sword.

There is to be held at Southern Pines on Dec. 22nd and 23rd a re-union of citizens and descendants of citizens of North and South Carolina and Virginia who have gone from their homes and settled in the far South West and North.

The material for the construction of the Long Distance Telephone Line, to connect with New York, Baltimore, etc. is being received here and work will begin early in January.

Examinations are in progress at the Agricultural and Mechanical College and the school closes on the 22nd for the Christmas holidays. Many of the students will go home. There are 239 students enrolled at the College.

Prof. Emery of the State Experiment Farm writes to President Holladay of the A. & M. college regarding tuberculosis in the cattle. He says that there is not a herd of cattle in the State that is not more or less infected, and that 12 cows from the college herd have been killed.

The State Auditor is busy sending out letters to the different sheriffs in the State to send in fuller returns of such franchise property and business as are subject to tax under schedule B. The returns from Anson county says that there is not a hotel in the county that takes in over \$1,000 a year, and the entire mercantile business of the county for 12 months does not exceed \$89,000. Buncombe makes no returns on hotels or on corporations. Cabarrus makes the best showing and the work was done by a lady.

Mr. Geo. Harlin, Jr., and Miss Lulu Bell of this city took their friends by surprise last night by going to the house of Rev. W. C. Norman at 11 o'clock and being married. Mr. Harlin is a well known horse man being connected with the training stables here.

Tomorrow the Geological Board meets in the Governor's office. The members are Governor Russell, ex-officio chairman J. Turner Morehead, of Leaksville, and Chas. MacNamarae of Baltimore. State Geologist Holmes will submit his annual report.

The Agricultural Board is still in session. They have visited the Raleigh exposition car, and express themselves as much pleased. The usual appropriations for fertilizer inspections, salaries, expenses of running the department and \$10,000 to the Laboratory department at the experiment station were made. There was \$27,000 appropriated for the next six months. The cost for the past six months was \$34,000, but of this \$7,000 was for the heating apparatus for the department. They discussed ignoring the State law relative to maintaining the standard analysis of fertilizers but no action was taken. This law requires so much phosphoric acid that it is injurious to trucking. The truckers in the east want more ammonia and less phosphoric acid.

The Secretary of the R. R. Commission says that there will be more building of roads in 1898 than there has been this year. He says there are about 8 that expect to be built, and 3 of these are important ones.

The Commissioner of Agriculture says that the sales of commercial fertilizers will next year be as large as those this year. He declares if the farmers reduce the cotton acreage it will be because the low price will force them to do so. They do not believe in the law of supply and demand, but think the manipulators make the price.

There were 14 convicts from Beaufort county sent to the penitentiary, 13 of these were left at the Halifax farm and 2 were brought on here to the prison. The movement for the use of convict labor for public road work is increasing. The authorities do not seem inclined to make any assignments for this work, though there is a law allowing it, and several counties have sent in applications for convicts.

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They Are Opposed to Annexation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Ex-Senator Dubois, of Idaho, who visited Hawaii during the summer to investigate for himself the sentiment there regarding the proposition to annex the islands to the United States, has written an interesting letter upon the subject to Senator Pettigrew. Mr. Dubois deals not only with the sentiment of the Hawaiian people, but also with the resources of the island, which have been represented as in such an undeveloped state as to guarantee a new field of operations for enterprising Americans in the event of annexation. Senator Pettigrew regards the letter as an important contribution to the arguments that have been advanced in opposition to the annexation treaty, and will use it in the Senate when debate upon that proposition occurs.

Speaking of the treaty today, Senator Pettigrew said: "The defeat of the treaty is already assured, and if time enough is allowed for a full discussion of a resolution annexing the islands that will be defeated also."

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