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WASHINGTON NOTES

"Many men of many minds," just about fits the condition of the representatives and senators now pouring into Washington by every train. Upon whether these many minds can be got together or at least a majority of them will depend whether this session of congress will be productive of important legislation, aside from disposing of somewhere in the neighborhood of a billion dollars, and always regarded as a matter of course legislation. A few senators and representatives are expressing flat-footed opinions as to what will or will not be done, but the most of them, knowing how largely the matter will be determined by circumstances are keeping quiet and trying to find out what their colleagues think. President McKinley is paying special attention to republican senators, as he has an idea that if he can get them to act as a unit, enough other votes can be secured to pass several measures he wants. The house will, of course, do anything he wishes.

While it may be true that the administration desires peace and expects peace with Spain and all the rest of the world, it has been doing a large number of things of late which indicate both the desire and the intention to be prepared for war if it should come. One of these things was the placing of a contract for war material, in the shape of the latest improved armor piercing ammunition, and light calibre guns, such as can be used with advantage upon auxiliary cruisers. The contract, which is the largest placed by the government since the close of the civil war, was marked "urgent," and the delivery of the material will be rushed. When this contract, and others which have preceded it have all been filled, every gun in the United States navy will have about five hundred rounds of ammunition of the very highest grade, which naval officers say is more than any navy in Europe has, and will be prepared for any emergency.

Secretary Long's annual report is an unusually peaceable sort of a document to emanate from the head of the navy department, and indicates no expectation on his part of war. He recommends that congress restrict the additions to the navy, to be provided for at this session to one battleship for the Pacific coast and a few torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers, and says that the policy of his department will be to gradually take warships out of commission and put them into reserve, in order to reduce running expenses.

If the radical opponents of the civil service law in congress can be induced to stop their agitation for the repeal of the entire law, and to unite with those who believe that the law is all right if it be restricted to covering only those positions which are purely clerical, there is very little doubt that they could win their fight, notwithstanding the opposition of President McKinley to any change. They will be given the opportunity when the committee now investigating the subject shall present its report to the senate, which Senator Pritchard, chairman of the committee says will be done in January. It is almost certain—Senator Pritchard thinks certain—that the report of the committee will be in favor of exempting all

executive positions from the operation of the civil service law and rules. Many votes can be obtained for a bill providing for this change that could not be had for repealing the whole law.

Talk among southern senators and representatives indicates that if the Gage proposition to allow National banks to issue notes to the par value of the bonds they have deposited with the United States, to reduce the taxation on National bank notes to the actual cost of government supervision, and to permit the establishment of National banks with a capital of \$25,000 in towns of less than 4,000 inhabitants, be incorporated in a bill by themselves, the bill will have a good chance to become a law. While a number of southern senators might be willing to vote for this bill because they believe it would result in benefitting their section by increasing its banking facilities and making money easier, it is doubtful if a single one of them would support the bill if any of the other financial recommendations of Secretary Gage are included. Quite a number of influential republicans in both branches of congress have privately expressed themselves in favor of not attempting anything further in the way of financial legislation than the above amendments to the National banking laws.

Agents of the A. P. A. are circulating among senators and it is understood that they are trying to ascertain whether it would be worth while for that organization to make a fight on the nomination of Attorney General McKenna to succeed Justice Field on the bench of the supreme court. The organization has not been very successful in controlling the senate.

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School Report. Report of Inavale school, Dist. No. 6 for month ending November 24, 1897. Number enrolled, 33. Average attendance, 30.

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