

News of the Week.

XLIth CONGRESS—First Session.

Senate.—March 10.—The Diplomatic Appropriation bill was considered and passed, the appropriations for the missions to Portugal, Ecuador and Bolivia being retained. This gives Mr. Harvey his pay. The bill authorizing fifty additional clerks in the Second Auditor's office (to facilitate payment of bounties) was passed, with an amendment.

House, joint resolutions against purchasing additional territory were adopted.—The Republican Convention met, March 11th, in this city. Resolutions were adopted declaring for Grant and Curtiss as President and Vice President, and that the public debt should be paid "to the full extent of its legal requirements."

March 12.—London.—In the Commons, to-night, as to the present state of the controversy with Spain, concerning the *Tornado*, Lord Stanley said the last step taken by England was to demand the release of Macpherson. Earl Mayo said he would submit to the House a plan for a new Irish University, the officers were to be named by the Catholics, but its privileges not to be confined to Catholics.

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Supreme Court.—March 16.—Permission was granted to file the Georgia complaint; and the law of Nevada, taxing all who leave the State by coach or railroad, was declared unconstitutional.