

News of the Week.

XLth CONGRESS—First Session.

Senate.—July 21.—A joint resolution declaring the Fourteenth Amendment ratified by the vote of three-fourths of the States, and therefore a part of the Constitution, was adopted. The joint resolution admitting steam plows free of duty, was passed. The conference report on the Indian Appropriation bill was agreed to; a joint resolution of Crete, reported by the Foreign Committee, was adopted.

July 22.—The credentials of Messrs. Sawyer and Robertson, from South Carolina, were presented and after some discussion, a joint resolution, both were sworn in. The next Monday, the 23rd, the House bill was adopted. The House bill was adopted. The House bill was adopted. The House bill was adopted.

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