

News of the Week.

September 1-7.

The President, after holding a Cabinet meeting last week, received various leading politicians. Gov. Brown received assurance that U. S. officials in Tennessee, who supported Senter, would not be removed, and that that gentleman was accepted as a good Republican, while Stokes was assured that the military would protect his constituency—the Freedmen and Unionists. A Cuban representative and Gov. Walker, of Virginia, had interviews. The counsel for persons on trial before a court martial in Mississippi were assured that the writ of Habeas Corpus would be respected. As Wm. C. Howard refuses the Mission to China, some other successor to Browne will shortly be chosen.

The President left for Saratoga, but has returned on hearing that Secretary Rawlins is at the point of death.

Departments.—The decrease in the public debt during August was \$5,604,234, making a total reduction of \$49,500,758 since Grant was inaugurated. The net total, September 1st, was \$2,475,962,501. The current expenses of the Government in August were \$20,788,651. The resurvey of the distilleries has been begun.

Sec. Robeson and Gen. Sherman, on their tour of inspection, find the coast defenses of the country utterly defective. Even New York is not safe if a fleet choose to run past its boasted forts.

Secretary of War Rawlins lay dying all through Monday. He has since died.

General.—The general drought is opening people's eyes to the folly of cutting down our woods and forests, and affording the farmers a fine chance to clear their lands. A well managed farm loses much less by a "dry spell" than a wet one. Sir Henry Holland, the great English physician, who attended several of Dr. Samuel Johnson's friends, and also two English queens, is on a visit to our country. Sir J. Garth Wilkinson has also come to see us.

New England.—Senator Fessenden is so ill that life is despaired of. Boston celebrates Humboldt's birthday with an address by Agassiz on his life and works.

Middle States.—Cuban filibusters are steering from New York to Halifax. The water supply of the Metropolis is to be greatly increased by the purchase and annexation of lakes forty miles north of that at Croton. The city Democratic politicians are making a united effort to remove Belmont from the chair of the National Committee, and put Tweed, (the Grand Sachem of Tammany) in his place.

—Good Bituminous coal has been discovered near Buffalo, N. Y.

—At the auction sale of Seranton coal, held in New York City, August 31st, prices were reached averaging \$2 per ton higher than in the last of April. Stove coal went to \$7.75.

—Cape May has had a disastrous fire. Camden is to have a paid Fire Department.

—Gov. Geary refuses to appoint delegates to the National Capital-Moving Convention at St. Louis. The Delaware and Lackawanna coal mines have resumed work.

City.—Richard Carter, foreman of the stonemasons at Fairmount, has been murdered by Jos. Snyder, a discharged workman. Our death rate still falls. The total last week was 255; the decrease 41. In the middle of July the total was 411. Nine plans for the new public buildings on Independence Square have been offered to the Commissioners. The Building Inspector granted 417 permits to build in August: one for a church, one for a chapel, and 357 for dwelling-houses. George Peabody stopped here for a few days last week on his way home from Virginia. Earle's picture gallery, containing Bierstadt's "Yo Semite," was burnt down on Tuesday night; also a livery stable with thirty-eight horses. Our coasting trade employs 5723 vessels, against 2,976 last year. A site in the park has been given to the Germans for a bust of Humboldt. Only 1.28 inches of rain fell here in August. The thermometer ranged from 58 to 95 degrees at the Pennsylvania Hospital.

South.—An International Exhibition in Washington City in 1871 is mooted. Attorney General Hoar decides against enforcing the test-oath in the Virginia legislature, and Gen. Canby will announce the result of the election as soon as one disputed county is ascertained.

—A suspected filibuster has sailed from New Orleans, nominally for Florida. The port's gross receipts of cotton for a year past was \$41,216 bales. Louisiana sends delegates to the St. Louis Capital Convention.

Interior.—Gov. Fairchild of Wisconsin is again nominated. The National Temperance Convention in session at Chicago, votes to establish a Temperance Party. Gerritt Smith was a leading spirit, and Hon. Jas. Black, of our State, presided. Chicago proposes to spend in three years \$1,500,000 on a second Lake Tunnel.

—The colored men of Nashville are investigating the outrages on the Freedmen of Rutherford Co., Tenn., and preparing for action. In the election Senter had 120,204 votes, a majority of 65,330. In the Presidential election the total vote was 89,668. By a blunder of a Kentucky Clerk of Court, a death warrant was issued before conviction.

—A war of the Sioux upon the Paw-

nees is reported. The Peace Commission—Felix R. Brunot, Wm. E. Dodge and Nathan Bishop—report good progress in their big councils with the various tribes. Gov. Ashley of Montana has been displacing Territorial officials elected by the people.

Pacific.—The returns of the California election, indicate the re-election of a Democratic Legislature, postponing the adoption of the XVth Amendment. Of seventy Massachusetts women who emigrated to Oregon two years ago, sixty-nine are married.

Canada.—Vanderbilt has secured control of the Great Western Railroad, to the great dissatisfaction of the Dominion, who say that Parliament would have subsidized it, rather. Quebec has a ship builders' strike of a riotous character, and the militia have been called out. The *Hornet* seized in our river as a Cuban filibuster and released, has been seized at Halifax on the same charge.

Spanish America.—That "decisive contest" has not come off in Cuba, military changes, enlistments, subscriptions and skirmishes being still the staple news. An incendiary proclamation has been posted over Havana.

—The Hayti rebels are bombarding Gonaves. Slnave has raised the siege of Aux Cayes, and has gone to Port au Prince, but has to wait for an iron clad from the U. S. before relieving Gonaves. —Peru has recognized the independence of Cuba.

Great Britain.—The *Morning Post* (official) hints that Canada is unprofitable as a colony and a military post, but hopes she is improving. The *Times* confirms the denial of the rejection of the Chinese treaty with the U. S., and admits the unquestionable merits of our diplomacy. It says the want of a sense of national responsibility is the difficulty in the way of bringing China out of her seclusion by peaceable means. The last Parliament secured women a right to vote in municipal elections, and the Commons passed a bill to enable them to hold property independently of their husbands. A recent agrarian assassination in County Mayo, Ireland, is deplored, as showing that lawlessness of this kind is not confined to Tipperary.

—The Stowe-Byron revelations excite much attention. Lady Byron's family's soliticians publish a card to discredit the statements made, but do not directly contradict them. They charge Mrs. Stowe with breach of trust. Wm. Howitt discredits Lady Byron's statements, while The *Morning Post* doubts Mrs. Stowe's faithfulness as a reporter. The *Daily News* accepts the story as true. The *Times* thinks Lady Byron was mistaken. The *Pall Mall Gazette* defends Mrs. Stowe.

—The Oxford and Harvard crews were entertained at a grand banquet at Crystal Palace on Tuesday week, when Dickens and Hughes made speeches, the former a very fine one and highly complimentary to Harvard, and her war, and scientific record. Oxford claims that they were retarded by a row-boat towards the close of the race. Most of the Harvards sailed on Wednesday week for New York.

—The import of cotton is great beyond precedent. The weather is very favorable for the crops, and cereals have fallen very low. A company to run a telegraph cable from Naples to New York has been organized. The mercantile marine of the British Islands and colonies numbers 40,337 vessels, measuring 7,236,125 tons. Iron ships are driving wooden out of use.

France.—Eugenie has given up her trip to the East and returns to Paris, on account of the Emperor's ill health. He was well enough to preside again at a Council of Ministers. His physicians are hopeful. Prince Napoleon is making speeches in the Senate in urgency of further reforms. The Ministers protest against them in public as "scandalous," but the Emperor allows it to be understood that he privately approves. Financial reforms on a huge scale are promised. The Senate rejects the proposal for liberal reforms in its own body.

—The report of a mutiny and executions on the U. S. Frigate *Sabine* is a lie.

Germany.—Blazer's statue of Humboldt "has been shipped from Berlin to New York." A line of steamers from Stettin to the U. S. is proposed. The German Arctic explorers are all well, off Greenland.

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—The five hundred anniversary of the birth of John Huss was celebrated September 5th, in Prague. There was a very large gathering and crowd of strangers. The occasion was political rather than religious.

—Austrian men-of-war hoist the Austro-Hungarian flag. The Emperor's feté was observed on Wednesday week with genuine enthusiasm. The quarrel with Prussia will be amicably settled.

Turkey.—The Sultan, expresses his satisfaction with the Khedive of Egypt's reply, but orders him to hand over the iron-clads and breech-loaders bought in

Europe, keep his army down, abate taxation, publish his budget, borrow no money in Europe, and abstain from diplomacy. The Khedive has begun preparations to visit Constantinople. A serious revolt has broken out in Tyrrana, and troops have been ordered thither.

Spain.—The administration of justice is so corrupt that the resort to lynch-law is contemplated. Territorial grand-jury is ruining Andalusia. The Imperial favors the young Duke of Genoa as candidate for the throne. Carlists are surrendering themselves under the Amnesty proclamation. Don Carlos has sailed for England, or has gone to Paris. The papers are despondent about Cuba, but 4,000 troops are soon to sail thither, and 6,000 will follow them.

—The regent, Serrano is a prominent candidate for the Crown.

China.—The Chinese authorities cordially recognize the treaties concluded by Burlingame, but postpone ratification. Prince Kung thanks him for his services, and asks him to intercede for the coolies in Peru.

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