

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

The senate passed the naval bill. The house passed the bankruptcy bill. The senate passed the Peffer bond resolution—51 to 6. A bill for the purchase of Lincoln's birthplace has been introduced in congress. A bill for the protection of forest reservations has been introduced in the house. Senator Hill has reported a bill defining contempt of court and providing for trial. Friday, May 8, has been set apart for discussion of the immigration bills before the house. The senate has taken up Peffer's bond resolution, displacing the river and harbor bill. The house by a vote of 60 to 44, refused to pass a bill to give Alaska a delegate in congress. Senator Tillman made another sensational attack on the president in a speech in the senate. The senate accepted the Marquette statue, presented for the Capitol Statuary hall by Wisconsin. Congressman Dockery severely scored the extravagance of the present Republican congress in the house. The Chandler amendment to the naval appropriation, providing for 20 torpedo boats, was defeated by the senate—23 to 89. Brigadier General Brooke has been directed to take charge of the military ceremonies in connection with the Hancock statue unveiling. The house ways and means committee has decided to report favorably the bill introduced by Representative Evans of Kentucky to allow bottling of distilled spirits in bond. The monthly statement of the public debt issued by the treasury shows that on April 30, the debt, less cash in the treasury, was \$949,287,670, an increase for the month of \$5,945,417.

POLITICAL NEWS.

New Jersey Democrats declared in favor of the gold standard. Indiana Republicans instructed for McKinley by a vote of three to one. The Tennessee Prohibitionist convention nominated Joseph Hopwood for governor. Senator Irby says South Carolina Democrats will not follow Senator Tillman in a bolt. McKinley Republicans and Populists pooled their issues in the Alabama state campaign. Senator Sherman declares that Indiana's action settles the presidential fight in favor of McKinley. Congressman Livingston of Georgia is talked of for a candidate to complete the Democratic presidential ticket. Michigan Republicans declared for McKinley and endorsed the financial plank of the Minneapolis convention. The Illinois Republican convention nominated John R. Tanner for governor and W. A. Northcott for lieutenant governor. Senator Cameron and party are at Mexico City. The senator says he is not a candidate for the presidency, and that newspapers have manufactured the story. Chairman Harrity has called a meeting of the subcommittee of the Democratic national committee to be held at the Hotel Wellington, Chicago, on Friday, May 8, at 12 o'clock.

NEWS OF NOTED PERSONS.

Ada Rehan has played 166 parts in various plays since 1874. The czar of Russia, it is said, is privately practicing riding a bicycle. Lemuel E. Quigg, M. C., has retired from the editorship of the New York Press. Minister Willis has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia at San Francisco. Mrs. Booth-Tucker is seriously ill at San Francisco. All engagements have been cancelled. The remains of Secretary Gresham have been removed to Arlington cemetery, Washington. Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, an ex-American, is the private watch dog of the British treasury. Mr. Goshen, the British secretary of war, who is 65, has followed Mr. Balfour's example and taken to the bicycle. A Richmond paper declares that Fitzhugh Lee mixed the first mint julep that President Cleveland ever drank. General Wolseley says the man who believes the time is coming when there will be no wars is a dangerous dreamer. Mrs. Robert Golet is as practical in regard to housekeeping affairs and as attentive in details as if her income were only \$500 a year, instead of \$500 a day. Hon. Thomas L. James, ex-postmaster general, and Mrs. Jeanne Freeburn Barton of Aiken, S. C., were married

at Aiken. The bride is a sister of the first Mrs. James.

John Ruskin is evidently near the end of his life. His memory is gone completely, and he imagines that he is in danger of starvation. He has given away enormous sums during his long life, and it is a fact that his generosity has left him comparatively poor.

NEWS OF A LEGAL NATURE.

Northern Pacific receivers have been sued for \$100,000 on account of the late Paul Schulze's stealings. Judge Acheson, in the United States circuit court, signed the decree of foreclosure of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad and the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company. President Kruger has commuted the death sentences passed upon the Johannesburg reform committee leaders. Their final punishment has not yet been determined. Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister at Washington, will be soon transferred to the Japanese legation in Italy, where a vacancy now exists. His successor will be Hoshi Tori, a man of great reputation in Japan. There is no hope of the recovery of the czarowich. He is said to be in the very last stages of consumption and arrangements have been privately made in case of his death to cancel the coronation festivities.

SPORTING NEWS.

Harvard freshmen defeated the seniors in a boat race. Montreal has imposed \$2 annual tax on bicycles, and Syracuse, N. Y., will follow suit. George Green, better known as "Young Corbett," got the decision over Owen Zeigler in a 10-round contest at San Francisco.

LABOR NEWS.

Adams Express company employes are likely to strike. The strike of dock laborers at West Superior has ended, the strikers being victorious. Every bituminous mine in Indiana, with the exception of three, is idle on account of strikes. Mechanics employed by the American Steel Barge company at West Superior are on a strike. The strike at Glenwood, Wis., has been settled through the efforts of the state board of arbitration. Nine hundred electric railway and light employes in Milwaukee have struck for more pay and other things.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Warren Fisher, who came into prominence in 1876, through his connection with the investigation of charges directed at James G. Blaine, died at his home at Roxbury, Mass. Professor Gefeiken, the well known authority on international law and editor of the diary of Emperor Frederick, was suffocated in a fire caused by the explosion of a lamp at Munich. George S. Coe, the banker who originated the plan of issuing clearing house certificates, which was of such great service when Jay Cooke & Co. failed in 1873, died at his home in New Jersey.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

It is believed that the Methodist conference will finally admit the women delegates. The Methodist conference referred the woman question back to the churches. The 22d quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal church is in session at Cleveland. Rev. G. Mott Williams was consecrated bishop of the new diocese of Marquette at Grace church, Detroit. A special committee of the Methodist general conference at Cleveland has recommended the admission of women as delegates. President H. A. Bultz of Drew Theological seminary says that the church must firmly maintain the supernatural to continue its existence. The German Lutheran synod of Missouri, embracing nearly every state in the Union and Canada, is in session at Fort Wayne, Ind. The meeting will last 10 days.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS ITEMS.

A model city is to be built in New Jersey. New York's electrical exposition has opened. John Wright, a leading planter of Ceylon, protects his employes from cholera by giving each a teaspoonful of charcoal every morning. The wife of Oscar Lyons, a Kentucky farmer, gave birth to five children, all boys. The children are all well developed, their total weight being 23 pounds. The United States gunboat Petrel has arrived at San Francisco. The Petrel is one of the smallest gunboats in the navy. She has been in Chinese waters.

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LATEST MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.
MILWAUKEE, May 7, 1896.
FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 61½¢; No. 1 Northern, 64½¢ July, 62½¢.
CORN—No. 3, 29¢.
OATS—No. 2 white, 20¢; No. 3 white, 19½¢@20½¢.
BARLEY—No. 2, 32¢; sample on track, 27¢@32½¢.

Minneapolis Grain.
MINNEAPOLIS, May 7, 1896.
WHEAT—May closed at 60½¢; July, 61½¢; September, 61½¢; No. 1 hard, 63½¢; No. 1 Northern, 61½¢; No. 2, Northern, 60½¢.

Duluth Grain.
DULUTH, May 7, 1896.
WHEAT—Cash, No. 1 hard, 64½¢; No. 1 Northern, 63½¢; No. 2 Northern, 60½¢@61½¢; No. 3 spring, 59¢@59½¢; rejected, 55¢@59½¢; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 64½¢; No. 1 Northern, 63½¢; July No. 1 hard, 68½¢; No. 1 Northern, 63½¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
SOUTH ST. PAUL, May 7, 1896.
HOGS—Market steady and active. Quality good. Range of prices, \$3.15@3.50.
CATTLE—Market steady and active. Good demand for fat cows and butcher steers. Stockers strong and active.
SHEEP—Good demand for good sheep. Receipts: Hogs, 1,800; cattle, 100; sheep, 200; calves, 25.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
CHICAGO, May 7, 1896.
HOGS—Market now weak and 5c lower. Trade dragging. Sales ranged at \$3.45@3.75 for light; \$3.3@4.65 for mixed; \$3.80@3.60 for heavy; \$3.20@3.30 for rough.
CATTLE—Steers slow and barely steady cows strong. Receipts: Hogs, 29,000; cattle, 13,500; sheep, 16,000.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
CHICAGO, May 7, 1896.
CLOSING PRICES.
WHEAT—May, 62½¢; June, 63½¢; July, 64¢; September, 64½¢.
CORN—May, 29¢; June, 28½¢; July, 30½¢@30¾¢; September, 31½¢.
OATS—May, 18½¢; June, 19½¢; July, 19½¢; September, 20½¢.
PORK—May, \$7.90; July, \$7.97½; September, \$8.10.

The Better Part.

If men cared less for wealth and fame
And less for trickery and glory;
If, writ in human hearts, a lame
Seemed better than in song and story;
If men, instead of nursing pride,
Would learn to hate and to abhor it;
If more relied
On love to guide,
We all would be the better for it.
If men dealt less in stocks and lands
And more in bonds and deeds fraternal;
If love's work had more willing hands
To link this world to the supernal;
If men stored up love's oil and wine,
And on bruised human hearts would
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