

NEWS OF THE WIRES.

Happenings of the Past Week told in Short Paragraphs.

SOME NEWS OF IMPORTANCE.

Foreign, Domestic and State Squibs are Included, Which Makes it Interesting.

TUESDAY.

Natal is now free of Boer troops. General Brobant gains a victory over the Boers.

President McKinley still favors free trade for Porto Rico.

Edward Flanagan, the famous Atlanta murderer, is dead.

Many women who are good shots are found among the Boer prisoners.

The senate agrees to the conference report on the financial bill.

The Kentucky house tables a bill to repeal the Goebel election law.

The national convention of the social democratic party convenes in Indianapolis.

The scenes on the recent battlefields between Ladysmith and Colenso are most horrible.

Recent British victories have a very quieting effect on the rebel Dutch of Cape Colony.

Alfred Harmer, of Pennsylvania, who was elected to every congress, save one, since 1870, died today.

Near Baxley, Ga., two negroes kill a white man. They also mortally wounded his wife and kill his infant.

The preliminary trial of Harlan Whittaker, charged with the murder of Governor Goebel, was begun today.

Joseph C. Metcalfe, of New York, a real estate broker, is arrested on charge of being a fugitive from justice from North Carolina.

On account of bad health Admiral Watson will give up command of the Asiatic squadron and he will be succeeded by Admiral Remey.

In West Virginia 100 or more miners are entombed by an explosion. Many wounded and fifty dead bodies have been brought out.

WEDNESDAY.

Newport News plumbers go on strike.

A British force has entered Transvaal from Zululand.

There are no Boers within twenty miles of Ladysmith.

Philadelphia has a \$700,000 fire in the retail dry goods district.

Cornell's base ball schedule includes two games in this state.

There is a supposed case of bubonic plague in Chinatown, in San Francisco.

A British steamship libels the Old Dominion on steamship Jamestown for \$3,500.

Grover Cleveland passes through Charlotte going to Florida. He is in good health.

By a flank movement General Roberts drives the Boers from their position in his front.

Ratifications of the Samoan arbitration treaty are exchanged between the three powers.

Four negroes supposed to be the murderers of Dan Mims, in Georgia, have been arrested.

In Hinds county, Mississippi, there is a terrible epidemic of smallpox. Nearly 100 deaths have occurred in one section in the last six weeks.

THURSDAY.

Secretary of War Root reaches Havana.

The condition of affairs at Mafeking are becoming horrible, still there is no talk of surrendering.

Another batch of Kentucky democrats are indicted in the federal court for attempting to intimidate voters.

A Russian, said to be an American citizen, has been sentenced to imprisonment at Kimberly for signaling to the besiegers.

Senator Bacon introduces an amendment to the Porto Rican bill providing for free trade between Porto Rico and the United States.

Secretary Hester shows that up to the close of February the cotton brought into sight was 1,754,524

bales less than for same time last year.

Three battalions of troops who have been the longest time in the Philippines are to be returned and recruits are to be sent out to take their places.

A Filipino society in Manila has raised a fund from which to reward the slayers of prominent Americans. The man who killed General Lawton got \$25,000.

FRIDAY.

Both British and Boers are preparing for the siege of Pretoria.

When General Roberts reaches the Transvaal frontier he will have 70,000 troops.

There is a general impression in England that the South African war is nearing its end.

A Baltimore firm has brought suit to recover money paid as duties on tobacco from Porto Rico.

Two towns in Luzon garrisoned by our troops are besieged by Filipinos under a Chinese general.

The Boers say Johannesburg will be razed to the ground before the British will be allowed to occupy it.

Debs and Harriman is the national ticket of the amalgamated social democratic and socialist labor parties.

General Bates in South Luzon attacks 2,000 Filipinos. He thoroughly scouts the provinces and leaves garrisons in many towns.

The Boer forces in front of Roberts are completely disorganized. The latter is continuing his advance and expected to reach Bloemfontein in two or three days.

The Kentucky senate reconsiders its vote on the state guard bill and then passes it. Governor Taylor had, the night before, shipped the last of the rifles and other state guard property to London.

Warrants charging complicity in the Goebel murder have been issued for Secretary of State Powers, ex-Secretary of State Finley, John T. Powers, brother of the Secretary of State; Jno. W. Davis, capitol policeman, and W. J. Coulton, clerk in the office of the State Auditor. The last named only has been arrested.

Filipinos kill sixty-eight Chinamen and forty Spaniards.

SATURDAY.

General Otis is going ahead in organizing municipal governments in the Philippines.

Queen Victoria leaves London. The route through the city was lined with cheering crowds.

In Mississippi a negro is lynched by negroes because of a criminal assault of a 10-year old girl.

In South Carolina cotton mills with capital amounting to \$3,775,000 have been organized within the year.

The growing hatred between the people of France and England causes anxiety to the former government.

The circuit court of Kentucky decides that the legislature is the sole judge of the election of a governor of that state.

A bill is introduced in congress to relieve General Lawton's estate of a charge for rent of camp grounds at Huntsville, Ala.

The commissioner of internal revenue will enforce the law excluding gifts or orders for them from packages of tobacco and cigarettes.

Six New cotton mill companies are projected in Georgia; one at Columbus, with 20,000 spindles will manufacture only a high class of goods.

The troops at Lexington, Ky., are ordered to Frankfort, by Taylor, but a body of democratic soldiers guard the armory and will not let the arms be taken out.

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If the political weather vane in Washington is safe to predict from Wm. J. Bryan and Wm. McKinley will be rival candidates for the presidency in 1900. The courtesy of choosing their vice-presidential candidates is a new phase of political ethics that marks a long step from the earliest days in the country when the vice-president was a formidable rival for executive honors. New ideas prevail in political procedure as in fashions.—"The National Magazine" for March.

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