The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, JAN. 18, 1890.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

Senate not in Session—The World's Fair Question Again Considered in the House.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, January 17.—Senate not in session.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. McKinley called up his motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the House yesterday refused to substitute the resolution reported by the Committee on Rules (as amended by the adoption of the Cannon resolution), for the original resolution referred to the committee.

The motion to table the motion to reconsider was agreed to—yeas 144, nays 142.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the original resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That a select committee of nine members be appointed by the Speaker, to be called "The World' Fair Committee," to which shall be referred all matters relating to the proposed celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America, or the World's Fair of 1892.

The resolution was adopted—yeas, 141; nays, 136. Mr. Springle changing his vote from the negative to affirmative in order to enter a motion to reconsider.

Mr. Springer said that he only desired that the committee should be instructed to report next week to the House a plan by which the location might be selected. As it now stood the committee would be authorized to select a location. He withdrew his motion to reconsider, stating that he would trust to the fairness of the committee of the House.

Mr. Flower, of New York, introduced the New York World's Fair bill, and it was referred to the special committee when appointed.

Mr. Raines, of New York, offered a resolution increasing the membership of that committee from 9 to 13. Referred to the Committee on Rules.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the bill to provide for town-site entries of land in Oklahoma. Pending action the committee rose and the House adjourned until 1 o'clock to-morrow. This will enable members to attend the funeral of Walker Blaine.

WASHINGTON.

The Competition For the World's Fair.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Great interest was taken in the votes upon the World's Fair question in the House to-day. Members representing competing cities were active in consolidating their forces and keeping their men in line. Dozens of members kept tally and every vote was closely scanned. The most energetic of the Chicago men were Cannon, Mason, Lawier and Springer. The Missouri troops were marshalled by Hatch, Dockery, Frank and Bland; while New York interests were attended to by Flower, Farquhar, and Cummings. The result of the contest is that a special committee of nine members will be appointed, without receiving any instructions. It may choose the site if it sees fit, but it is more probable that the determination of that question will be relegated to the House.

THE WABASH FLOOD.

The Waters Still Rising—Hundreds of Families Driven from Their Homes.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

EVANSVILLE, IND., January 17.—The river at this point passed the danger line or gauge at 8 o'clock last evening, and is still rising at the rate of half an inch an hour. The water is rapidly spreading over the bottom lands, and those who have not already been driven from their homes by the rising waters are removing their families and stock. A great amount of corn has been destroyed, and farmers having grain in danger of being washed away are at work with laborers placing it above the high water mark of 1884. The prospects now are that the water will reach a much greater height than at any time since the flood of that year. With a rapidly rising river at this place, and advices of an additional rise of the upper Ohio and side streams, the situation is anything but encouraging.

Officers of the steamer Blue Wing, from Calhoun, which arrived here last night, report the river rising at the rate of two inches an hour. Hundreds of families have been driven from their homes, and many of them are living in churches and school houses.

THE NEGROES.

Large Numbers Reported Moving Into Oklahoma.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—Letters received by W. L. Eagleson, business manager of the Oklahoma Immigration Soeiety in Kansas, from points in North Carolina, say that a large number of negroes of that State are going through in wagons this winter to the new territory. Eagleson says there are now about 22,000 negroes in Oklahoma, and that by spring there will be at least 50,000. He claims that they ought to have that country, and says President Lincoln and the Republican party promised to give it to them. He adds: "We are determined to take it anyhow, and we will make it one of the grandest in the Union. I favor the scheme to purchase the Cherokee strip and other lands in Indian Territory, exclusively for negro settlement. Give us the Blair bill, the Indian territory, and Senator Butler's five million dollars, and we shall be content. Oklahoma, in my judgment, is the land of promise for the race, and migration the panacea for every ill affecting the negroes of the South."

The west bound limited express train on the Pennsylvania railroad struck and killed Edward Gallagher, aged 17; Michael Gallagher, his brother, aged 15, ane Mrs. Kate Stockhouse, a married lady, aged 26, at Morrisville, near Johnstown, Pa., last night.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE FOR THE WEEK.

A General Improvement Noted in all Branches of Trade.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—An important improvement in business is noted where the recent change to colder weather has been felt. Elsewhere, unseasonable weather is still the chief complaint, but everywhere the interruption of business and manufacturing by prevailing sickness is observed, and many factories have been forced to close because so many of their employes were unable to work. At one or two eastern points this interruption appears to be passing away, but it is still widespread and serious. To nearly all kinds of trade it means not only delay in the production or dealings, but some shrinking in the ability of great numbers to purchase products; but in spite of this the volume of trade is large.

The clearings of banks last week were not only the largest on record for that part of the year, but showed an increase over last year of 12 per cent., outside of New York.

The cotton industry is disturbed only by sickness. The demand for goods is slightly improved; staples and prints are firm, and the wool and woolen trades show distinct signs of division between light goods and worsteds, and heavier goods of nearly all kinds. The latter are seriously depressed by unseasonable weather, and the accumulation of stock from the last open winter or purchased early for this season but not yet disturbed. Many manufacturers of such goods buy sparingly, work part of the time or wait, and the kinds of wool which they require are weaker. But there is a marked revival in the trade for domestic and light goods, due to the change last year in Treasury rulings. Now, for the first time, manufacturers are bnsy and hopeful; and the demand for such wool as they can use is strong, prices being firm.

Reports from various quarters are, on the whole, more favorable. Mild weather has caused much depression, but where cooler weather has appeared there is clear and quick recovery. Collections are quite generally slow, because of retarded distribution, but uneasiness is reported at only a few points. All Southern reports note an active trade.

Exports of cotton, provisions, oil, breadstuffs and cotton in December were $74,419,727, against $67,045,345 in 1889, which points to an aggregate of exports exceeding $94,000,000 for the month, and again surpassing imports by $26,000,000.

Foreign exchange has weakened to 4-86, and the treasury has taken in for the week only $1,100,000 more than it has paid out, but money markets show on the whole rather more pressure, which the heavy business in progress and tardy collections explain.

Business failures occurring throughout the country during the last week number for the United States 307; Canada 31. Total 338, against 373 last week.

CHICAGO REVIEW.

Fluctuations in Prices of Grain and Provisions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, January 17.—A dull feeling was developed in wheat to-day, and while the opening was firmer there was not sufficient life to the market to sustain prices, and a gradual easing-up in values followed. Later the market became weaker, prices eased off gradually ⅜@½c, then held steady, but shortly before the close broke off ½c more, and closed about ½@⅜c lower than yesterday.

Corn ruled dull and neglected, trading being smaller than at any time for weeks past, and was confined almost exclusively to May. There was nothing new developed of interest to operators, about the only feature being the selling of May by a prominent local trader, who sold perhaps 2,000,000 bushels at 31¾c.

There was no change in oats. The receipts were again reduced uutil they have become quite small.

Offerings in pork were light, and the demand was limited. Shorts purchased a few lots in a quiet way, and there was no particular pressure to sell. Prices were without material change.

Very little interest was manifested in the market for lard. Offerings were moderate, and the demand was light. Prices exhibited very little change.

Fairly active trade was reported for ribs, and the feeling was steadier. Inquiry was chiefly for May.

RAILROAD WRECK.

Several Men Killed and Others Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MANSFIELD, MO., January 17.—A terrible wreck occurred on the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad, about three miles east of here, yesterday. The engine of the west-bound local freight train left the track, carrying five loaded cars with it. It then turned over, catching the engineer, Howland, fireman Herman and brakeman Hughey under it. Brakeman Widdoson was caught in the wreck of the cars and sustained severe internal injuries. Fireman Herman was instantly killed. Engineer Howland had one leg broken, and brakeman Hughey was frightfully scalded about the head and hands.

FIRE AT BOSTON.

Boot and Shoe Dealers Burned Out—Losses Heavy.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Claflin, Coburn & Co., boot and shoe dealers, 138 Summor street, were burned out this morning. The loss is between $150,000 and $200,000; insurance $100,000. The building was a four-story stone structure, belonging to the Boston University. Loss $100,000, and fully insured. The contents of adjoining buildings suffered some damage from water. The origin of the fire is not definitely known, but it is supposed to have been caused by workmen careless with matches.

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

A Columcus (Ohio) dispatch says: "State Senator Ashburn, of the Clermont district, died yesterday morning of pneumonia. Senator Brown, who is seriously ill, will be removed to his home."

The Argentine Republic has formally recognized the newly established Republic of Brazil. The Argentine Consul General in New York has received an official circular from his government conveying this notice.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Portugal and England—Influenza Still Spreading in England—Portugese Republicans Denounce the British Ultimatum.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LISBON, January 17.—The *Seculo* published to-day an unsigned manifesto, headed, "The Directory of the Portuguese Republicans to the Nations." It denounces vociferously the English ultimatum, and advocates a republican federation of the Latin nations, and the adhesion of Portugal to such federation. It declares that the movement for the federation of a Latin republic is steadily making great progress, and that the force of that movement is seen and felt in the revolution in Brazil. The manifesto does not advocate revolution in Portugal at the present moment, and is moderate in tone throughout, except as to the denunciation of England's action. All of the papers—Republican as well as others—advise prudence and moderation in the present crisis. Extravagances of school boys in street demonstrations seem to have opened the eyes of the men of the country to the folly and danger of that way of treating international difficulties.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The opening of Eton College has been postponed owing to the prevalence of influenza.

The influenza in a severe form prevails among the officers and crews of the American Squadron of Evolution now in the Mediterrancan. There are 180 cases of the disease on board the Chicago.

The influenza is spreading at Portsmouth; 200 employes in the dockyards are absent from duty on account of it.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The *Figaro* says that Portugal has complained to Prince Bismarck that Great Britain has violated the Berlin treaty, she therefore asks that a conference be convoeated to discuss African affairs.

LISBON, Jan. 17.—The English residents of this city, who have been victims of the public animosity occasioned by the attitude of England toward Portugal, propose to appoint a deputation to wait on Lord Salisbury to urge that Great Britain adopt a more conciliatory policy. The feeling toward England is very bitter. Many English employes of Portuguese houses have been discharged.

MADRID, January 17.—The proposed public meeting to be held in this city on Sunday, by the Republicans, for the purpose of expressing sympathy with the Portuguese in their dispute with England, has been abandoned. The Republicans intend, however, to visit the Portugese Legation and leave their cards as expressions of sympathy.

COTTON.

The New York Sun's Report of the Market Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, January 17.—The *Sun's* review of the cotton market to-day says:

Futures advanced 1@2 points, with Liverpool up equal to about that much, and buying here, while there was also good buying by Germans, locals shorts and others, the day being active and excited. One small failure occurred. The advance was about even, the spring and summer months being strong. Some of the Southern spot markets were higher. The South both bought and sold. Cotton on the spot was 1-16c higher.

Wm. Gerling, a mulatto, aged 32, died at Cincineati Thursday night in a fit of sneezing. He had been suffering from influenza only during the evening, and about 11 o'clock was attacked with sneezing, and died before relief could be obtained.

SAVANNAH, January 17.—Spirits turpentine steady at 40c bid. Rosin firm at $1 02½@1 07½.

CHARLESTON, January 17.—Spirits turpentine steady at 41c. Rosin firm; good strained $1 00.

THE MAILS.

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For Wrightsville	2:00 p m
For Southport	2:00 p m
For Clinton, Magnolia and Goldsboro. Train No. 40	3:15 p m
For Charlotte and points on C C R R. Train No. 51	6:00 p m
For South through. Train No. 27	9:30 p m
For South and way staions. Train No. 15	11:00 p m
For North through. Train No. 14	11:00 p m
For Landings on Cape Fear River, Tueseays and Fridays	1:00 p m
For Brunswick County and Little River, S. C	6:00 a m
For Onslow County, Sounds, &c., Mondays	6:00 a m

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From South through and way stations. Train No. 52	12:00 m
From Clinton, Magnolia and Goldsboro. Train No. 41	12:00 m
From Charlotte and way stations. Train No. 38	1:30 p m
From North and way stations—W & W R R. Train No. 23	7:30 p m
From Wrightsville	7:30 p m
From Southport	7:30 p m
From North through. Train No. 27	11:00 p m
From South through. Train No. 14	8:00 a m
From Landings on Cape Fear River—Tuesdays and Fridays	9:00 a m
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Respite (Nor), 475 tons, Jensen, Paterson, Downing & Co.

Paquita (Ger), 434 tons, Moller, E Peschau & Westerman.

Emily (Nor), 382 tons, Larsen, Heide & Co.

Argo (Nor), 601 tons, Arentsen, Paterson, Downing & Co.

Mermaid (Ger), 404 tons, Nieman, E Peschau & Westermann.

Deodato (Nor), 459 tons, Andersen, Jno W Bolles.

New York, (Ital), 388 tons, Gahero, E Peschau & Westermann.

Bjorntran (Nor), 349 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

Mizpah (Nor), 406 tons, Aanansne Heide & Co.

Auguste Sophie (Ger), 375 tons, Oheleerich, E Peschau & Westermann.

Hovding (Nor), 478 tons, Jensen, Heide & Co.

Antares (Ger), 466 tons, Nahden, E Peschau & Westermann.

Jacob Arndt (Ger), 436 tons, Nolandt, E Peschau & Westermann.

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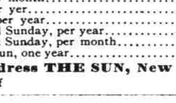

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For a year I have been suffering with a form of Kidney Disease which my physician (Dr. J. A. Hillman) thought was Diabetes, and advised the use of Otterburn Lithia and Magnesia Water. The quantity of urine passed was greatly in excess of the natural secretion, and I lost forty pounds of flesh in a few months. The use of the Otterburn Water corrected this excessive flow entirely in six weeks, and I am again a well man.

I tried many medicines without avail, and I attribute my cure of this troublesome and dangerous disease entirely to the use of the Otterburn Water.

R. N. BLANTON.

PERSONS OFTEN ASK "WILL IT KEEP?"

AMELIA COUNTY, VA., Feb 24, 1888.

I hereby certify that two years ago I obtained some of the Water of the Otterburn Lithia and Magnesia Spring for my wife, in a demijohn, and recently, whilst moving to another home, I found that some of the Water had been left in the demijohn. I poured it out and drank some of it, and found it to be as pure and nice as when first taken from the Spring.

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E. E. JEFFERSON.

RICHMOND, VA., April 8, 1887.

I have been suffering for years with a complication of Liver and Kidney trouble, suffering great pain in the region of the kidneys, and having my attention called to the Otterburn Lithia and Magnesia Water I commenced to use it, and never experienced such relief from anything. The very first half-gallon increased the flow of urine and cleared it up. My appetite has been restored, and I feel that I cannot commend the Water too highly.

R. F. WALKER.

MANNBORO, VA., March 17, 1888.

When I commenced the used of the Otterburn Lithia and Magnesia Water, on the 28th of January last, I had no faith in any mineral water. I had been suffering for over three years with a disease that was pronounced by a pronounced by a prominent physician of Richmond to be an affection of the kidneys, after making a scientific test.

I had only used the Water one week when I was entirely relieved of pain, which before had been constant and at times acute, and I have gained nineteen pounds in flesh, with a restoration of strength and energy. I gave the Water a fair test, using no other water and taking no medicine.

H. C. GREGORY.

AMELIA C. H., VA., December 15, 1886.

I have been a Dyspeptic for the past fifteen years, and lately have suffered with Derangement of my Urinary Organs, evidenced by great difficulty in voiding the urine. About six months ago I commenced the use of the Otterburn Lithia and Magnesia Springs Water, and since that time there has been a marked and gradual improvement in my entire condition and state of health. My digestion is better than it has been for five or six years, and the urinary trouble is entirely relieved, and has been for the past two months.

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