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8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	6	79.7	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	12	78.3	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	18	68.2	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	24	58.3	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	30	48.4	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	36	38.5	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	42	28.6	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	48	18.7	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45	54	8.8	8.00	8.15	8.30	8.45
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NEWS OF CONGRESS

Improved Car System Wanted in Washington.

BATTLE FOR PROHIBITION

Efforts Will Probably be Made to Restrict European as Well as the Asiatic Immigration—Object Land Fraud Cases Being Tried There.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27—Beyond the preliminary of the currency question and the introduction of numerous measures calculated to cure financial ills, Congress thus far since the holiday recess has busied itself principally in planning numerous and sundry bills for the immediate benefit and relief of the residents of the District of Columbia. There has been agitation in previous congresses to secure cheaper gas, lower street car fares, and universal transfer as for the nation, but never before was there such interest taken in these matters by so many different members in both houses of the national legislature. The attention of the members to the needs of Washington doubtless was first attracted by the need for an extension of the street railway tracks to the new union station. The terminal was formally opened and put into use by the railroads only a few days before the Sixtieth Congress assembled, and the incoming members were thoroughly impressed with the need for immediate action by the long walk they were compelled to take over muddy roads and dirt pavements to the nearest street car line. Then the champions of a universal transfer system and of three cent fares got busy, and have insisted that no trackage legislation be put through without provision for their pet hobbies. From this contemplation of the wrongs heaped upon Washington by the public service corporations, it was but a step to additional reforms, and these, hinted at in a "show me" resolution introduced by Representative Shackleford of Missouri, which directs the Secretary of Commerce and Labor to investigate and report upon the affairs of all public service corporations in the District, including street railway, telephone, electric lighting and gas companies.

While the attention of the general public is taken up with the talk of possible war with Japan and everyone is following the progress of the battleship quadron round the Horn, a mighty army is being quietly marshaled here in Washington and preparations for a bitter internecine struggle are being pushed vigorously. And it will be a fierce fight, ending only when the aggressors are victorious. This is the fight which the advocates of prohibition are planning to make before Congress for the enactment of laws which will shut out the "Demon-Run" from the District of Columbia. If anyone thinks that the matter is purely a local issue they will find themselves very much mistaken. For the hosts of temperance, believing that the time has come when they can force such a measure through Congress, and realizing what an impetus would be given their cause by thus committing the federal government, are determined to make every shot count and will leave no stone unturned in razing the bulwarks of the liquor interests. Washingtonians will have very little voice in the fight which is to leave the city "wet" or "dry", for the outcome will very largely depend upon the pressure exerted on the individual members from their home districts and states. No quarter will be given, none asked; it will be a fight to the finish!

Renewed efforts probably will be made in the 60th Congress to restrict European as well Asiatic immigration. Friends of the movement to put at least a temporary stop to the influx of low class Europeans are pointing out that fully \$100,000,000 of American gold was taken back to Europe last year by the emigrating foreigners who had come to these shores 500,000 strong and recouped their broken fortunes at the expense of this country. They point to these figures to show that instead of the labor and money brought from Europe remaining here to help develop this great country, these aliens have only stayed in America long enough to turn their capital over and then have gone back from whence they came, leaving the United States poorer; but not even wiser. They urge that these figures relate only to those who have

landed on the eastern coast from the nations of Europe and ask significantly about the Oriental immigration that swarms into Pacific ports, accumulates a goodly portion of Uncle Sam's gold and then turns back to the Far East. While this argument is by no means a new one, it is very probable that it will prove more potent in winning friends for the restricted immigration movement, in view of the recent money famine.

Washington taxpayers have raised a big howl over the action of the Department of Justice in removing the western land fraud cases from the Pacific coast to those of the District. Secretary Bonaparte submitted to Congress a request for an emergency appropriation of \$49,000 to cover the expense of trying these cases in this city. Under the law one half of the expense of running the District government is borne by Congress and one half by the taxpayers of the District. The trial of the Hyde-Benson-Diamond and Schneider cases in this jurisdiction will mean that one half of the expense of witnesses fees, jurors' fees, bailiffs' fees and miscellaneous court expenses must be paid by the property holders of Washington. They are imposed upon often enough as it is, but when it comes to making them pay for something which they don't want and in which they have no interest, they feel resentful. However, it is not believed that the Department of Justice will change its program, and if Congress sees fit to grant Secretary Bonaparte's request, the District government will have to pay the fiddler despite the fact that it doesn't dance.

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NEW YORK Jan. 27.—Intending to enter them in the leading trotting meets in Europe this summer, John Splan, the grand circuit driver, will ship the trotters, Lotta 2:08 1-2, and Codero 2:09 3-4 to Vienna this week. Codero was champion four years old trotter last year. Lotta was raced all last season, getting her mark of 2:08 at Readville. Splan bought the horses with the intention of racing them abroad.

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