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Congressional Proceedings

Thursday, February 1, 1906.

The Senate was called to order by Vice President Fairbanks. The bill to admit Oklahoma into the Union as a State was taken up and passed by a vote of 57 to 5. The bill to admit Arizona and New Mexico as a State was taken up and passed by a vote of 57 to 5. The bill to admit Oklahoma and Indian Territory