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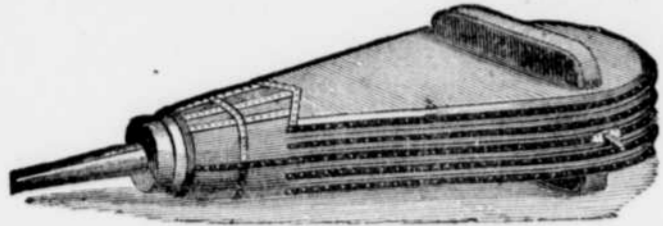
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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8, 1899.

## CITY ITEMS.

Wedding and Ball Stationery, Programmes, etc., quickly and neatly printed at fair prices at the EXAMINER office.

Considerable satisfaction seems to be expressed at the reduction embodied in the electric light rates of the Gas & Water Company for January.

Mr. J. C. Sutherland, Richmond, went down to Quebec this week as a member of the Special Committee of the Pharmaceutical Association to oppose the amendments to the Pharmacy Act.

W. C. T. U.

The regular monthly meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. S. Stevens, High Street Friday at 3 o'clock.

GAINED 6 LBS. A DAY.

A pair of three year old steers owned by a Mountain Hill farmer, weighed three weeks ago, and again on Monday, showed an increase of 150 pounds in weight, an average gain of 6 pounds a day.

## SKATING CARNIVAL.

Mr. C. G. Back returned from Montreal last night where he secured a number of very pretty costumes for the Carnival to-morrow night. These costumes will be rented at a very moderate price and can be seen at the rink at any time during the day.

S. S. S. C.

The Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club will entertain the Turpie Rouge Club to-night. A full muster of the members is urged at the Magog House at 8 o'clock. Headed by Club "band" they will march to Continental Hotel and escort their guests to the Club House.

MR. WM REED WILL GIVE AN ORGAN RECITAL IN THE CITY.

The numerous friends of Mr. Wm. Reed, organist of the American Presbyterian Church, Montreal, will be pleased to learn that he will give an organ recital in the Methodist Church in this city on the 21st inst. In addition to Mr. Reed's organ selections which will be of particular interest, the programme will be varied by several vocal selections.

The "Webster House," near the Bonaventure Depot, Montreal, is a good and convenient stopping place for travellers from the Townships. Rates \$1.50. E. C. Perkins, proprietor. tf-82

A very pleasant gathering took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. S. C. Nutter, under the auspices of the East Sherbrooke Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church. There was a large attendance and during the afternoon the company was favored with a recitation from Miss Saml, song from Miss Maguire, piano duet by Miss Bostwick and Miss Wiggert. Miss Dorothy Nutter, about four years of age, rendered a song that was much appreciated. During the afternoon refreshments were served.

## PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. A. F. McGregor, B. A., will speak at the regular prayer meeting this evening. Mr. McGregor is the newly appointed missionary superintendent and is on his way to visit some of the missionary churches in the townships.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. L. S. Channell, Portland Avenue, on Thursday. There will be a business meeting at half past three. Tea served from four to six.

Invoices, Letter and Note Heads, Envelopes, Cards, and in fact all kinds of printing done with despatch at low prices at the EXAMINER office.

## A CARD.

Reverend A. H. Marziani, Franktown, Ont., advises all men who are weak and who desire a speedy and perfect cure to write to  
DR. G. H. BOBERTZ,  
252 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

## TO ESTABLISH COLD STORAGE AT CREAMERIES.

The Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, has arranged to co-operate with the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Quebec for the holding of a series of meetings in the Province of Quebec to discuss matters of general interest to dairy farmers, and to promote the further establishment of cold storage at creameries, and the improvement of curing rooms at cheese factories, and further to give information on the disease of tuberculosis in cattle.

Several of these meetings will be addressed by Messrs. David McCree, A. W. Woodward and other prominent gentlemen.

A meeting to deal with the above subjects will be held at Bury on Tuesday, the 14th of February, at 7.30 p. m.

The following evening, Wednesday February 15, a meeting will be held at Compton in the new academy hall at 7.30 p. m.

On Monday, February 13th, a meeting to deal with above subjects will be addressed at Lennoxville by several prominent gentlemen.

## Municipal Council of Ascot.

ROAD TAX PAYABLE IN MONEY.  
QUESTION WILL BE VOTED UPON BY RATEPAYERS.

The usual monthly meeting of the Municipal Council of Ascot was held in the Town Hall, Lennoxville, on Monday afternoon, Mayor Wm. Morris presided. The other councillors present were: Councillors Mitchell, McFadden, Armitage, Cleveland, Hetu, and Duford, and in attendance, Mr. Wm. Barker, secretary-treasurer.

Mayor Morris, who was presiding officer at the recent municipal election reported that Messrs Mitchell, Armitage, and Hetu were appointed Councillors for the ensuing year.

The next business was the election of mayor and pro-mayor for the next twelve months.

It was moved by Councillor Duford, and seconded by Councillor Mitchell, that Mr. Wm. Morris be re-elected for the ensuing year.

It was moved by Councillor Armitage seconded by Councillor Cleveland that a vote of thanks be recorded and tendered Mayor Morris for the efficient manner in which he had managed the affairs of the municipality during the past year.

Councillor Cleveland moved and Councillor Mitchell seconded that Mr. Duford be appointed pro-mayor for the next twelve months.

The mayor and pro-mayor then took the oath of office and their seats.

## THE STONE CRUSHER UNSATISFACTORY.

Councillor Armitage reported that they had started the stone crusher on road district 46 on January 23 and that they had operated it until February 3. During that time he said they had only been able to accomplish four days work with it owing to frequent breakdowns of the machine.

## MONEY OR LABOUR TAX.

Councillor Cleveland moved and Councillor Mitchell seconded that the road tax for the ensuing year be payable in money, subject however, to the approval of the ratepayers, and that a meeting be held on the 18th instant, to approve or disapprove of this method.

This question has been agitated for a number of years, and the Council have decided to bring it to a climax by referring it to the people for their decision. Although a good many may be adverse to the new order of things it is confidently expected that the decision will be in favour of money tax. This is the only right and proper way. When the scheme is put on a proper working basis it will be found that not only will there be a saving of money but better roads will be the result.

The annual supplementary list of grand and petty jurors was submitted and approved.

A number of bills were presented and ordered paid.

## THE FAMOUS EL PRESIDENTE, THE INCOMPARABLE 10 CENT CIGAR.

We use only the very choicest Havana tobacco in the filling of this cigar, producing that delicacy of flavor and richness of aroma, much sought after by particular smokers, and which has heretofore been considered an exclusive feature of the choicest imported Havana Cigars.

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## S. S. S. C. EXCURSION.

All arrangements are now complete for the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club's trip to Quebec and it only remains for the members to go down in good numbers and enjoy a few days with their old friends the Quebec S. S. C. The low rates of \$2.30 should be taken advantage of by the public as those who wish to see the House in Session will be given the opportunity.

A senior hockey match between Shamrock and Quebec is to take place and with the many other attractions which the old Rock city is noted for all who go will enjoy the outing. See advertisement for time of departure of trains.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Home Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure a cold.

## BOARD OF TRADE.

A meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade was held this forenoon in the office of the Secretary.

The resignation of Mr. T. A. Bourque was received and allowed to lie on the table to be dealt with at a future meeting. Several matters of importance were discussed, including the holding of a Board of Trade banquet.

The various committees were then appointed as under:

Manufacture—Messrs J. S. Mitchell, chair-man, G. G. Bryant, W. H. Wilson, W. B. Neil, J. A. Wiggert.

Mercantile—Messrs W. H. Wilson, chair-man, L. A. Bayley, O. Dupont, J. M. Dufresne, W. A. Morehouse.

Railway—Messrs W. B. Neil, chair-man, J. S. Mitchell, J. A. Wiggert, G. A. LeBoron, G. Dupont.

Local Improvement—Messrs G. G. Bryant, chair-man, W. H. Wilson, O. Dupont, W. B. Neil, J. S. Mitchell.

Reception—Messrs L. A. Bayley, chair-man, J. A. Wiggert, W. A. Morehouse, G. A. LeBoron and J. S. Mitchell.

## ORLEANS COUNTY MUSICAL ASSOCIATION.

The 39th annual musical festival of the Orleans County Musical Association opened on Monday night at Newport, Vt., under very auspicious circumstances. The chorus was larger than is usual for the first rehearsal. The conductor, Dr. Palmer, and pianist, Miss Bues, cannot be improved; and by the appearance now, this festival will be "the finest of them all." The concert on Thursday and Friday evening promises to be a great success.

## REMEMBER THE

## M. A. C. CARNIVAL

Thursday Night, Feb. 9.

Skaters in Costume 15c. General Admission 10c. to Spectators 25c.

Children " " 10c. to Spectators 25c.

Reserved Seats 10c and 25c extra.

CHEAPER TO SKATE THAN TO STAY AT HOME!

## Joint High Commission.

AN EARLY ADJOURNMENT NOT EXPECTED.

## ATLANTIC FISHERIES QUESTION SEEMS TO BE THE CHIEF DIFFICULTY.

St. John's, Newf'd., February 8.—(Special)—An early adjournment of the Joint High Commission at Washington is not expected here.

Colonial Legislature was prorogued to-day till March owing to letters having been received from Sir James Winter, Newfoundland's representative, stating that he is not likely to return to the Colony before the end of this month.

It is gathered from various sources that the chief difficulty now before the Commission is the Atlantic Fisheries Question.

## REV. DR. HUNTER AT LENNOXVILLE.

On Monday evening the Rev. Dr. Hunter gave a lecture which was well attended and well delivered and which contained amusement and instruction for all. These sermons and lectures have been an intellectual treat to all who heard them and we hope the Dr. will come again. He was presented with a fine bouquet at the close of the lecture by a pretty little girl with a neat presentation in speech by Mrs. Reid.

The receipts of the evening were quite satisfactory.

The choir under the leadership of E. W. Parker rendered specially prepared music at the service Sunday evening.

Look out now for the 24th. Draw your pencil through the figures,—you'll want to be there.

## An Insurance Agent HELD FOR FORGERY.

Ottawa, February 8.—(Special)—P. F. Rowlinson, a former agent of the London Life Assurance Company in this city, and recently extradited from Adrian, Michigan, was down this morning in the Police Court charged with forgery.

## DREYFUS WILL RETURN TO FRANCE.

VESSL REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN SENT TO BRING HIM HOME.

Paris, February 8.—(Special)—A dispatch to the *Patris* from Cayenne, the capital of French Guiana, says that orders have been received there for the return of Dreyfus to France, with the statement that a vessel had been sent to bring him home.

## Death on the Track

YARDMASTER ARMSTRONG OF THE C. A. R. KILLED

Ottawa, February 8.—(Special)—Yardmaster Armstrong of the Canada Atlantic Railway, was run over by a shunter here this morning, and died two hours after being taken to St. Luke's Hospital.

Mr. P. H. Burns, of W. V. Dawson, Montreal, is at the Grand Central Hotel.

Miss Annie Ball returned yesterday from Vermont, and went to her father's at Waterville.

Miss Lulu Walley left to-day for Montreal to resume her lessons in voice culture from Prof. Landry.

## Before After Wood's Phosphorine.

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## BARN DAMAGED BY FIRE.

The fire brigade were called out this morning at 3.20 for a fire in the barn and carriage house belonging to T. W. and W. H. Fuller, situated at the corner of King and Gordon Streets. When the brigade arrived the fire had secured a firm hold on the hay loft, but the efforts of the brigade were successful in containing it to that portion of the building. The fire was a very difficult one to get under control as owing to the heavy smoke the firemen could not enter the loft. A portion of the brigade kept playing on the hay the most of the forenoon.

The fire was discovered by Constable Burns, who immediately on sending in the alarm, at once got the animals out.

When the constable arrived on the scene he found that the large main door was partially open. From that it would infer that some one had been in the building previous to the fire.

There was about four tons of hay and this was a loss.

The brigade appreciated very highly the thoughtful kindness of Mrs. Fuller in serving them with hot lemonade during the course of the fire.

Last night was 'Ladies' Night' at the T. R. S. S. C. Chateau. There was a large attendance of members and their lady friends and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

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## Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital.

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## DEATHS.

CAIRNE—At Sawyers' Hall, P. Q., Feb. 5th, 1899, Mr. Wm. Cairne, wife of Mr. Herbert Cairne, merchant, aged 24 years. Burial from Mr. Cairne's residence Tuesday 7th inst. at 10.30 a. m.

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## The Humpty-Dumpty Folding Egg Crates!

Broken Eggs NO Disputed Count Time Wasted

Easiest THE Cheapest Quickest Safest Best Way to Store and Market Eggs

Holds 12 Dozen Eggs.

With fillers removed it makes the handiest kind of a carrier for vegetables etc.

PRICE 35c EACH.

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FOR SALE. A KARN CATHEDRAL ORGAN, in good condition, cost \$170. To be sold for \$100. Extra fine stool. Apply MANE, Gould P. Q.

New Milch Cows For Sale. Apply to J. P. Atkinson, Suffolk, Que.

Dairy Farm For Sale. 100 ACRES of land, situated 2 1/2 miles from Bulwer (C. P. R.) Station. Farm in good state of cultivation.

Dairy Farm For Sale. Situated about two miles from Waterville on the road leading to Milby, and is known as the "Willie McIntosh Place."

Hillcrest Farm for Sale. The Home Property of the late G. W. Powers, M. D., in Waterville, 20 acres of excellent land in the best state of cultivation.

Farm For Sale. 150 ACRES—Situated 1 1/2 miles from Bulwer (C. P. R.) station, on road to Martinville—3 good barns, hog pen, carriage house, good dwelling house, running water to house and barn.

NOTICE. MONEY TO LOAN on farm and city property. Interest moderate. Apply to J. P. Atkinson, Suffolk, Que.

Insolvent Notice. IN THE MATTER OF S. W. BISHOP, MARLBTON.

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Inter Lining, Fronting Linen, Linen Lawn, Grass Linen, Apron Linen, Colored Border.

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A FEW PROMINENT NAMES. Ladies & Gentlemen.

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Cars run in both directions on the BELT LINE and make the circuit every 20 minutes each way, meeting each other and the cars of the other line at the Sherbrooke House junction every 20 minutes from 6.30 a. m. till 11.45 p. m.

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TRANSFERS from Lennoxville to Bell or from Bell to Park made at the Street Railway Office or at the Sherbrooke House Junction. All other transfers at Junction only.

NO CARS ON SUNDAY till 9 a. m. R. R. SMITH, Superintendent.



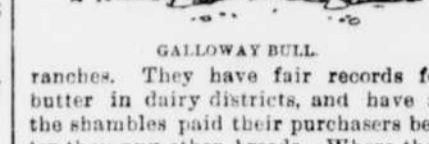
GALLOWAYS FOR BEEF. Points Scored by This Hugged Breed of Cattle.

In speaking of Galloways, Frank B. Horne of Missouri says: This hardy breed of beef cattle is doing well in America. They have not had the boom that has distinguished the pale faced Herefords, nor yet the widespread trial that has been given the popular Short-horns. They have had nothing to equal the smooth finished, shorn specimens of their black cousins, the Aberdeen Angus, who have a well deserved reputation, but they have made good, substantial profits for those handling them, and they are becoming yearly more popular both on eastern farms and western ranches.

They have fair records for butter in dairy districts, and have at the shambles paid their purchasers better than any other breeds. Where they have been tried on western ranches they have done splendidly. Hardy and active, they roam far and wide for food and water, and if these be scarce will feed on plants despised by other pure breeds. Frugal and good mothers, they raise a large percentage of calves and herd together more closely than any other breed. On the farm in the east they have made good progress and have paid their owners good profits. At the fair fairs in point of numbers, in the showing and in excellence of exhibit they usually stand second only to the popular Short-horns. In the feed lot they are already deformed, and can be herded together like sheep, and for forced feeding in long boxes they are found to be specially well suited.

The quality of Galloway beef is a feature that the breeders have never brought to the front, as they should have done. They put the very best marbled beef on the most valuable parts. Quality is becoming a point more and more noticed and valued. Recently at the Christmas show of the Smithfield club of London the directors made a new departure and offered prizes for the best and most valuable carcasses of beef. In the ring, judging for the sweepstakes, the Galloway entries alive were hardly looked at. The crossed Short-horn Galloway blue grey steer neck and neck for first place, but the real Galloways hardly got the second glance from the judges. The same animals when killed and hung up captured four out of five prizes offered. Galloway beef is of the best quality. They are not as smooth as the Aberdeen Angus, not as massive as the Short-horn, but they kill better than either, and on the table are second to none.

Careful experiments made at different agricultural colleges have shown that the Galloway makes beef at a low cost. On ordinary farms and in carefully watched feed lots the same thing has been shown. This is the most important point in the battle of the breeds. We claim the best beef at the lowest cost for the Galloway. The breed that can make the best beef for the least feed is the one for the farmer. Some time ago at the Great Agricultural college a series of experiments was made as between the different breeds to determine cost of production. The animals were taken soon after birth and were fed liberally—forced, in fact, as well as a good feeder could do. There were grade steers tried of several breeds, and the food each consumed was carefully noted. In gain per day the Hereford came first, Short-horn second and Holstein third. In this the Galloway stood fifth. In value when ready for the block the Hereford, Galloway and Short-horn were valued at same rate per pound live weight, all the others at a lower rate. Taking or-



INARY MARKET values of all the food used, the selling value of the animal, the Holstein grade showed a loss of \$8.22, the Short-horn a loss of 21 cents, the Hereford a gain of \$1.40 and the Galloway a clear profit of \$15.15. Similar experiments made at other stations have shown the Galloways' job in the front rank of cheap beef production. Such experiments require care and are too expensive for the ordinary farmer, but we should profit by the results, and from actual tests the Galloway claims to make the best beef at the lowest cost.

Texas Cattle. Texas cattle are no longer the long horned, long legged beasts of former years. They have been so improved by crossing with the pure blood Hereford, Short-horn and Galloway bulls that they now come into market as good grades and thousands of them are bought for export. Grass the year round and cotton seed to finish off these high grades make Texas a popular live stock state.—Live Stock.

ULVERTON. Dr. Harper, of Quebec, Inspector of Superior Schools, paid his annual visit to our Model School on Thursday, February 2nd, 1899. He was well pleased with the efficient work of our teachers and noted the improvements the pupils are making in the several courses of study.

The school walls were beautifully decorated with the Union Jack, Canadian flags, evergreens, and a good portrait of Queen Victoria.

Good Blood! Your heart beats over one hundred thousand times each day. One hundred thousand supplies of good or bad blood to your brain. Which is it? If bad, impure blood, then your brain aches. You are troubled with drowsiness yet cannot sleep. You are as tired in the morning as at night. You have no nerve power. Your food does you but little good. Stimulants, tonics, headache powders, cannot cure you; but

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Canada. Province of Quebec, No. 101. District of St. Francis. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

DAME DELIMA FORGUES, of the Township of Dudsval, in the District of St. Francis, wife commone in biens of Pierre L. Lessard, of the same place, Lumber merchant.

vs. PIERRE A. LESSARD, Defendant.

The Plaintiff did on the second day of December instant, institute an action in separation as to property against her said husband, the Defendant above mentioned.

J. LEONARD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Canada. Province of Quebec, No. 101. District of St. Francis. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

The Twenty-Second Day of December, 1898. BEFORE CABANA & AYLMER, P. S. C. DAME HATTIE LOUISE STACEY, of the Township of Dudsval, in the District of St. Francis, wife of Stewart William Bishop, heretofore of the said Township of Dudsval, in said District, Trader, and now absent in some place unknown to Plaintiff in the United States of America.

vs. STEWART WILLIAM BISHOP, heretofore of the Township of Dudsval, in the District of St. Francis, and now absent in some place unknown to Plaintiff in the United States of America.

Defendant.

The Defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

CABANA & AYLMER, Prothonotary. J. LEONARD, Att'y for Plaintiff.

The above mentioned Plaintiff did on the twenty-first day of December instant institute an action in separation as to property against her said husband, the Defendant above mentioned.

J. LEONARD, Attorney for Plaintiff. Dated 21st Dec, 1898. 4w38

Canada. Province of Quebec, No. 101. District of St. Francis. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

The Seventeenth Day of December, 1898. BEFORE CABANA & AYLMER, P. S. C. DAME DELIMA FORGUES, of the Township of Dudsval, in the District of St. Francis, wife commone in biens of Pierre A. Lessard, of the same place, Lumber merchant.

vs. PIERRE A. LESSARD, of the Township of Dudsval, in the District of St. Francis, Defendant.

The Defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

CABANA & AYLMER, Prothonotary. J. LEONARD, Att'y for Plaintiff. 4w38

RANDBORO. The weather is very reasonable just now. The lumbermen are improving the time now standing that there is very little snow. A few inches more snow would be very welcome as there are places which is very bare.

La grippe has visited this place with some severity, but most of the victims are getting better.

We understand that Mr. L. Chute has sold his farm to Mr. W. Barber. We hope Mr. Chute will not leave the neighborhood. We should be sorry to have him leave.

There was an oyster supper at Mr. J. Hamilton's on Thursday the 2nd.

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The Coming Century. Scene—Office of a publisher. Enter a genius. Genius—I want to see the manager of the book department. Boy—Oh, there isn't one, sir! Genius—Well, who looks after the pictures? Boy—That's done by machinery, sir. Genius—Isn't there a clerk who can examine patents? Boy—Quite unnecessary, sir. Everything that can be invented has been invented. Genius—Well, I want to leave a novel, a picture and an idea. Boy—You must be rather old-fashioned, sir. All sorts of work is done nowadays by mental photography.—Funch.



Safe! "Yes, you can come, Tommy; but I have plenty protection now."—Pick Me Up. Hit Again. Softleigh—I—aw—am snah we are going to have a beastly haved wintah, docher know. Miss Cutting—No; I'm sure I don't know. But why are you so sure of it? Softleigh—Because I—aw—feel it in me bones. Miss Cutting—Really? I wasn't aware you were a believer in the old goose bone theory.—Chicago News.

The Mad Poet's Retort. Many stories are told of McDonald Clarke, known 50 years ago in New York as the "Mad Poet," which show that he had a vein of great shrewdness, such as is often possessed by people who are counted insane. One day he was seated at a table in a New York hotel quietly eating his simple dinner when two young men took their seats at the same table. They were not gentlemen in the best sense of the word, and it occurred to them that they might have some sport with the poor poet. Consequently one of them said in an unnecessarily clear tone: "I have seen almost everything and everybody in New York except McDonald Clarke. I have a great admiration for his poems, and I would give a great deal to see the man."

Pursuit. "And yet," he exclaimed, striving to seem cheerful, "I shall still pursue the bright visions of hope!" Beryl did not love him, but she pitied him. "Oh, chase yourself!" she pleaded, for she sincerely desired to save him further pain.—Detroit Journal.

Ye Tent. "Have yer likeness took, miss. We can make a pretty picture of it, miss. Call it sweet seventeen, miss. What, yer won't, and tomorrow it may be too late, and yer in yer coffin, and nothin for yer growd up grandsons and granddaughters ter remember yer by."—Pick Me Up.

VOLUNTARY TESTIMONY Worth Having from a Well Known Physician. Two weeks ago I caught cold and now have pleurisy of the right lung. Since I had a blister on I find nothing relieves the pain and soreness better than MINARD'S LINIMENT. I have gotten up in the night when I could not rest, and after applying the Liniment it would soothe me so much that I would always soon fall asleep. I never used it on myself before and, to tell you the truth, had no more faith in it than any other liniment, but there is something in it that really acts wonderfully. Dr. Gaudet has been attending me and I told him how it acted and he was much surprised. This is no humbug but a genuine expression of my experience and you can make what use you like of it. GEO. BELL, M. D. Meteghan, N. S. t16

BREVITIES PERSONALITIES.

Senator Platt of New York has an enormous stock of conundrums which he originates himself. Samuel R. Collaway, president of the Nickel Plate railroad, began work at a salary of \$8.33 a month. Ethel Mary Charles is the first woman in England to adopt architecture as a profession, and she has already taken many prizes.

Of all New York's millionaires Cornelius Vanderbilt is said to be the most sensitive to criticism, particularly criticism in print. Frank G. Logan of Chicago gave \$50,000 to the Chicago Art institute as a Christmas present. The money will be used to build a library building. Congressman John Murray Mitchell of New York is a most enthusiastic wheelman. His bike is of the most expensive make, as are all its accessories, including a \$10 lamp.

The latest story of Lord Kitchener is that when asked if he contemplated a narrative of the Sudan campaign he answered: "No, no. Do let us have one general who has not written a book!" The latest sensation of Paris is a young Swiss giant, Constantin by name, who is amusing the audiences at the Folies Bergere. He is over 8 feet tall and so weak in the knees that he can scarcely walk.

Virgil N. Bakiluck, a native of Braza, in the Adriatic, and a member of San Francisco's police force, is a good Latin and Greek scholar and speaks English, Russian, French, German, Italian and Spanish.

It is related of Francis McKinley, great-uncle to the president, that when he was shot for participation in the Irish uprising of 1798 he snatched the bandage from his eyes and himself gave the command to fire.

Two of the most famous living Scotsmen are crippled—Lord Kelvin, who is the greatest living Scotch scientist, and Dr. James Macgregor of Edinburgh, who is said to be the greatest living Scottish preacher.

William Allen Butler, the transcontinental railway magnate, is the man who, 30 years ago and more, created the once famous Flora McFlimsney in "Nothing to Wear." He is now a successful New York lawyer.

The three greatest living British soldiers are from the Green Island. Lord Wolseley was born in Ireland, Lord Roberts of Kandahar was born in India of Irish parentage, Lord Kitchener of Khartoum was born in County Kerry.

James R. Keene is said to be the most methodical man in New York. He has his whole day laid out to the minute long beforehand and can remember at once the opening and closing, highest and lowest quotations of even the most obscure stock for any day of a week previous.

ITEMS OF INTEREST. It is said that out of 150,000,000 women in India not more than 1,000,000 can read. All of the New Testament has been translated for the first time into one of the Australian native dialects by two German missionaries.

To protect passengers from the extortion of cabmen in Havana the lamp-posts are painted in various colors—red for the central district, blue for the second, green for the third, etc. Naval experts put down the active life of a modern battleship at about 15 years. A hundred years ago battleships lasted nearly six times as long and were on active service nearly the whole of their commission.

Snow rarely falls in Smyrna. Consequently when in the performance of Puccini's "La Boheme" recently the property snowflakes were almost as large as newspapers there was no criticism from the audience.

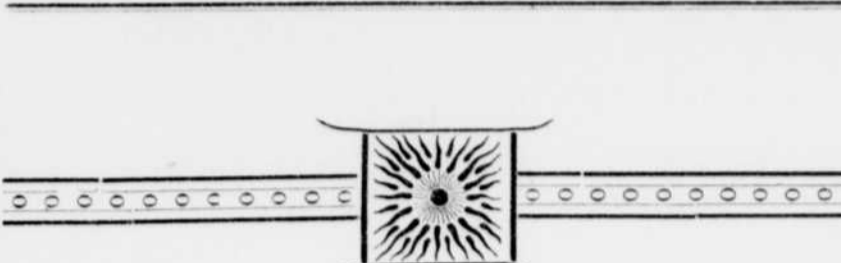
In 1801 France had three towns with over 100,000 inhabitants, while England and Germany had two each, but in 1870 the figures were: England, 18; Germany, 10, and France, 9, while in 1896 they stood: England, 30; Germany, 28, and France, 10.

King Charles of Roumania's Rembrandt, "Esther, Haman and Ahasuerus," lent to the coronation exhibition at Amsterdam, had a nail driven through it by the carelessness of the hangers. An attempt has been made to repair it, and the sum of \$2,500 has been sent to the king to compensate him for the damage done.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. Every tailor knows a lot of promising young men. Bellows are not boxes, yet they often come to blows. Some men are quite regular in their habits—but their habits are bad. An exchange of servants is one way to terminate feminine friendships. When a woman accuses a man of flattery, she wants him to say it some more. The man who is usually wrong never stops talking about it when he happens to be right. It's only in a crowded car that the standing of a well bred man is never questioned. The north pole is like a woman's pocket—we all know where it should be, but no one can find it. As a rule the man who seeks your friendship has a motive in view. The woman who does so usually has two or three of them.—Chicago News.

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AT THE CITY HALL.

Committees for 1899 Appointed. The Recent Fire at the Gardner Tool Works.

AN EXEMPLARY OFFICIAL.

The usual meeting of the City Council was held on Monday evening. His Worship Mayor H. R. Fraser presided, and the other members present were:—Councillors McManamy, Cate, Gusty, Jenckes, LeBaron, Olivier, Hebert, Belanger, Fortier. In attendance Mr. F. J. Griffith, assistant secretary.

RETURNING OFFICER'S REPORT.

Mr. F. J. Griffith read the report prepared by Councillor Hebert, who acted as returning officer at the nomination meeting for councillor in the North Ward. The report was to the effect that there being no other name than that of E. B. Worthington submitted for the vacancy that gentleman had been duly declared a councillor to fill the unexpired portion of Mayor Fraser's term in the North Ward.

TRANSFER OF A LICENSE.

A letter was read from D. W. Stenson, merchant, King Street, asking that he be granted permission to transfer his license from No. 90 King Street to No. 86 King Street.

REPLY TO A LETTER OF CONDOLEANCE.

Mr. Griffith read a letter from Councillor Belanger returning thanks to the City Council for the expression of sympathy shown towards him at the last meeting on the occasion of the death of Mrs. Belanger.

SNOW PLOUGH DAMAGED FENCE.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted a letter from Mr. Frank Grundy stating that the snow plough, while passing his residence on Queen Street, had damaged a fence that had only recently been erected.

DAMAGE BY SURFACE WATER.

A letter was read from Mr. J. P. Wells, acting for Mr. R. N. Arkley, Montreal Street, complaining that on account of the raising of the street level by the Street Railway that the surface water ran into his property and into the cellar and caused considerable damage.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The appointment of the various committees were then proceeded with.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors McManamy, Jenckes, and Gusty. Moved by Councillor McManamy, seconded by Councillor Fortier.

ROAD COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Belanger, LeBaron and Hebert. Moved by Councillor Cate, seconded by Councillor Gusty.

FIRE COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Jenckes, Fortier and Fuller. Moved by Councillor Gusty, seconded by Councillor Cate.

FOURTEEN COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Hebert, Worthington and Olivier. Moved by Councillor Belanger, seconded by Councillor Jenckes.

SANITARY COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Worthington, Olivier and Fuller. Moved by Councillor LeBaron, seconded by Councillor McManamy.

WATER COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors McManamy, Cate and Fortier. Moved by Councillor LeBaron, seconded by Councillor Olivier.

REAL ESTATE AND PARK COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Worthington, Olivier and Fuller. Moved by Councillor LeBaron, seconded by Councillor Belanger.

MARKET COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Gusty, Fuller, Belanger. Moved by Councillor LeBaron, seconded by Councillor Hebert.

Councillor Olivier, seconded by Councillor Hebert.

LIGHT COMMITTEE.—Councillor Gusty, chairman, with Councillors Worthington, Fortier and Fuller. Moved by Councillor Hebert, seconded by Councillor LeBaron.

CITY HALL COMMITTEE.

Chairman, with Councillors Fortier, Jenckes and Olivier. Moved by Councillor Gusty, seconded by Councillor McManamy.

POOL COMMITTEE.

His Worship the Mayor and Police Committee. Moved by Councillor Fortier, seconded by Councillor Jenckes.

AN EXEMPLARY OFFICIAL.

Councillor Belanger in moving the appointment of the Police Committee said that his relations with the Chief of Police had always been of a most pleasant nature.

THE SPECIAL LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Councillor McManamy drew the attention to the City Council to the fact that the special Light Committee was unemployed owing to the absence of Mr. H. Samuel, and before that Committee could do anything further another councillor would have to be added.

INSURANCE ON THE GARDNER TOOL WORKS.

Councillor McManamy said that some action would have to be taken with regard to the recent fire at the Gardner Tool works. A portion of the insurance was due and payable to the city.

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SITUATION AT MANILLA

Further Details of the Fighting. So Far 45 Americans Have been Reported Killed

REBEL LOSS PLACED AT 1900.

Manilla February 6—7.15 p. m.—Owing to the distance embraced in the scene of Sunday's engagement, a semi-circle of fully seventeen miles, details regarding individual fighting have been extremely difficult to obtain.

So far as can be gathered the brush commenced at 8.45 on Saturday evening, by the firing of a Nebraskan senter at Santa Mesa, upon Filipinos who were deliberately crossing the line, after repeated warnings, with the evident purpose of drawing out the fire.

The first shots from the American sentry evidently served for a signal, for they followed almost immediately by a terrific fusillade along the entire Filipino line on the north side of the Pasig river.

The American outposts returned the fire with such vigor that the Filipino fire was checked until the arrival of reinforcements. All the troops in the vicinity were hurried out and the Filipinos ceased firing for half an hour while their own reinforcements arrived.

At 10 o'clock the fighting was resumed, the American firing line consisting of the Third Artillery, the Kansas and Montana regiments, the Minnesota, the Pennsylvania, the Nebraska, the Utah battery, the Idaho, the Washingtons, the Californians, the Fourth Cavalry, North and South Dakotas, Colorado, Sixth Artillery and Fourteenth Infantry. The Filipinos concentrated their forces at three points, Calocan, Santa Mesa, and Calangitan, and maintained an intermittent fusillade for some hours.

They brought artillery into action at Calangitan at 10.20 but only one gun and only the Americans to any appreciable extent, a howitzer on the road to Santa Mesa. The Third Artillery silenced the Calangitan battery by firing two guns simultaneously, which was followed immediately by volleys from the infantry.

LULL IN THE FIRING.

At about midnight there was a lull in the firing, lasting until 3.45 a. m., when the whole Filipino line re-opened fire. The Americans poured a terrific fire into the darkness for twenty minutes, and then there was another lull until daylight, when the Americans generally advanced.

During the night, in response to Rear Admiral Dewey's signals, flashed across across from Cavite, the United States cruiser Charleston and the gunboat Concord, stationed at Matabon, poured a deadly fire from their secondary batteries into the Filipino trenches at Calocan.

At daylight the United States double-turreted sea-going monitor Monadnock opened fire of Malato and kept shelling the Filipino left flank while the other vessels shelled the enemy's right flank for several hours. By ten o'clock the Americans had apparently routed the enemy and had taken the villages of Panawhong, Santa Mesa, Paco, Sautana, San Pedro, Macorte, Pandocan and Passi, had destroyed hundreds of native huts and secured possession of the water main and reservoir, a distance of over six miles.

The Tennessee's joined the firing line at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and assisted in capturing Santa Mesa. One of the most notable events of Sunday's work was driving the Filipinos out of the rebel stronghold at Paco by the reserve, a few companies of Californians commanded by Daboco. The main road to the village was lined with native lulls full of Filipino sharpshooters. After they had been firing upon General King and his staff, killing a driver, and firing on an ambulance of the Red Cross Society Colonel Daboco ordered the huts to be cleared and burned.

DRIVEN FROM A CHURCH.

The Filipinos concentrated in Paco church and convent where they made a determined stand in the upper stories. A platoon of Californians stationed on a neighboring bridge, maintained a hot fire on the Filipinos but was unable to dislodge them. In the face of a terrific fusillade, Colonel Daboco and a few volunteers rushed into the church, set fire to the inside of it, set fire to the oil and retired.

In the meantime, Captain Dyer's battery of the Sixth Artillery bombarded the church, dropping a dozen shells into the tower and roof. Company L and part of Company G of the Californians charged the church, but were unable to ascend the single flight of steps leading to the story above.

A company of the Idaho's and Washington Guards, stationed on each side of the building, picked off the Filipinos as they were smoked out. Many of the rebels, however, escaped into the brush to the rear of the church. The Americans captured 137 of the rebels and during the fighting about the church 20 of the rebels were killed.

Some 2,500 women, children and non-combatants were allowed to enter the American lines after promising to go to the houses of friends and remain there. Another intensely exciting incident occurred during the engagement. The Washington and Idaho's and Companies K and M of the Californians made charges across the rice fields between Paco and Santa Ana in the face of a terrific fusillade. The ground over which they passed was covered to-day with dead and wounded natives. The former were being buried in groups of five or six about where they lay, and the latter were brought to the hospital. It was at this point and at Calocan that the Filipinos suffered their heaviest losses.

The 14th regulars were in a hurry to get a place near Sngalon and Colonel Daboco was compelled to rush past them with the reserve in order to prevent the regulars from being cut off. In the last line 12 men were killed before the rebels retired.

Both sides cheered frequently during the engagement. The American "Hurrahs" were almost invariably met by derisive "Vivas." Among the natives the "Vivas" were especially noticeable for their bravado, about 70 of these naked savages facing artillery fire with their bows and arrows.

EXCITEMENT IN MANILLA.

The scene at Manilla when the alarm was given on Saturday night was widely exciting. The American soldiers in the theatre and at the circus were called out, the performances were stopped, Filipinos scattered everywhere and the rattling of musketry and the booming of cannons outside the city were plainly heard. The residents of the outskirts of Manilla, flocked into the walled city, with their arms full of clubs. All the carriages in the city disappeared as if by magic, the street cars were stopped, the trolley lines were cut and the soldiers hurriedly but

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slightly marched out of the city to the stations assigned to them. The stores were closed almost instantly, foreign flags were to be seen flying from many windows and a number of white flags were hung from Filipino huts and houses.

On Sunday immense crowds of people visited the water front and gathered in the highest towers to watch the bombardment. There were no street cars or carriages to be seen and the streets were almost deserted.

The Minnesota's police searched every native and arrested many of them with the result that while there were several attempts to assassinate American officers on Saturday, there was none on Sunday. Absolute order was maintained.

The United States flagship Olympia sent across the bay on Sunday and took up a position near the German cruiser Irene and the British cruiser Narcissus, off the Mole. She was still there to-day. The Americans are determined not to give the Filipinos a chance to recuperate.

The official list of the dead and wounded has not yet been submitted for publication and it is impossible, owing to the fact that the regiments are scattered, to obtain a reliable list except from headquarters. Two Filipino commissioners from Iloilo and four rebel officers were arrested here to-day after boarding the steamer Uranus. Many suspects have been arrested in various parts of the city.

THE FILIPINO LOSS.

Hong Kong, February 6.—The latest advices from Manila say that the rebel forces have been driven back ten miles and their losses are estimated at 1,900 killed or wounded. During the fighting the United States warships shelled a train loaded with insurgents. Col. William C. Smith, of the First Tennessee Infantry, was in the thick of the fight when he attacked by apoplexy and fell from his horse.

Manila, February 6.—Careful estimates place the Filipino losses up to date at 2,000 dead; 3,500 wounded and 5,000 taken prisoners.

WOULD HAVE ARRESTED AGONCILLO.

Washington, D. C., February 6.—It was learned upon inquiry at the War Department that all the American troops at Manila have an abundant supply of smokeless powder. The regulars have the Krag Jorgensen rifle and about 5,000 of the same weapons are in the hands of the volunteers.

It is no secret that the authorities here were preparing to arrest Agoncillo just as he fled, but probably they are not sorry that he got off safely and thus relieved them from the performance of a disagreeable task. The conduct of the remaining members of the Filipino Junta is still under close watch and while the treatment to be accorded them has not been determined, it is recognized that they are in a precarious position locally, and can secure immunity only by the exercise of the greatest discretion.

U. S. SENATE RATIFIED THE PEACE TREATY.

Washington, D. C., February 6.—The treaty of peace negotiated between the

commissioners of the United States and Spain. Passed to-day ratified by the United States Senate, the vote being 97 yeas to 27 nays, or one vote more than the two-thirds majority necessary to secure Senatorial concurrence in a treaty document.

DECLARED WAR.

Aguinaldo issued a proclamation on Saturday declaring war against the United States. In his proclamation on Monday Aguinaldo states that the outbreak of hostilities was "unjustly and unexpectedly provoked by the Americans."

LENNOXVILLE COUNCIL.

W. H. Abbot Re-elected Mayor.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR THE ENSUING TWELVE MONTHS.

The municipal Council of Lennoxville held its annual monthly session in the Council Room, Lennoxville on Monday night. Mayor W. H. Abbot presided. One other member present were:—Councillors Wood, Ames and LeRay.

The presiding officer, Mr. C. S. White, report was read declaring Messrs Spafford, Smith and Orr councillors for the next three years. On the report being adopted the above named gentlemen took their seat at the Council board, after having taken the oath of office.

The minutes of last meeting and the cash account for the month of January were read. The latter report showed a balance brought forward of \$928.46; collections for the month \$143.88, collections for the month \$1041.88, a d a temporary loan of \$1,000, making a total of \$2,074.24. The amounts paid out were as follows:—Interest on coupons \$420; cost of suit of Lennoxville, vs. Compton \$1033.35; county taxes \$262.30; fire equipment \$117.70; general municipal expenses \$112.55; bridges \$65; road \$52; indigent \$11; salaries \$38.92; and to school Commissioners \$326.83; making a total of \$2,548.40, leaving a balance of \$423.94.

It was moved by Councillor Orr seconded by Councillor Ames that W. H. Abbot be re-elected Mayor for the ensuing twelve months.

THE COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

The following committees were appointed:—Finance Committee.—Councillor Orr, chairman with Councillors Spafford and LeRay.

Road Committee.—Councillor Smith, chairman with Councillor Ames and Wood.

Relief Committee.—Councillor LeRay, with Councillors Wood and Orr.

Fire and Police.—Councillor Wood, chairman with Councillor Smith and Spafford.

Town Hall.—Councillor Ames, chairman, with Councillors Orr and Wood.

Light.—Councillor Orr, chairman, with Councillors Ames and Spafford.

A letter was read from Mr. E. F. Waterhouse, secretary-treasurer of the Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company with regard to the contract for lighting in Lennoxville which expires on April 30th, 1899.

The company asked that they be advised of the requirements of the Village for a future term with a view to making a tender upon them. They would be prepared to supply both arc and incandescent lamps of any candle power now in use and maintain a service fully up to the times in every way.

The letter was referred to the Light Committee, and they were instructed to advertise for tenders for lighting to be in by March 1st. The Committee in the meantime will decide just what light will be wanted.

The supplementary list of grand and petty jurors was submitted and approved of.

BISHOP'S CROSSING.

Fine winter weather here, roads good and business brisk. The assembly in the Town Hall on Friday night was for those who were disappointed last week.

R. T. of Temperance held an open meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday night.

Miss Clara Hodge is the guest of Miss Ethel Bishop this week, and Mrs. Moffit is stopping a few days with her daughters, Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Larmonth.

The street is full of loaded teams, bark logs, ties, etc., and everything is prosperous and jolly.

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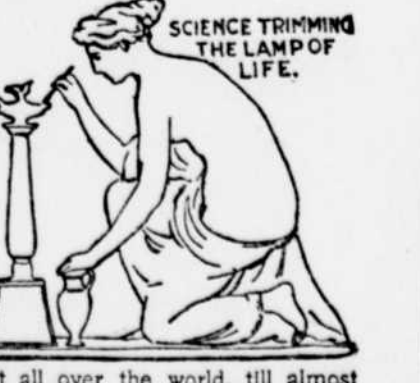
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