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That's why we are asking so much for money these last few days.
It's this way—you pay your bill, then we can pay our bill, and the next man can pay his.
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FEARFUL STORM IN ENGLAND

London, Portsmouth and Southampton

SUFFER FROM FLOODS—DEVASTATION ON LAND AND SEA.

The Thames Overflowed its Banks, Much Property Destroyed.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]
London Jan. 14.—Widespread devastation on the land and the sea has been the result of yesterday's storm, and the aggregate losses to property are immense. Last evening reports gradually filtered through from the Provinces telling of dismantled houses, overflowing rivers, inundated streets, buildings flooded, cattle and sheep drowned, railroads disorganized, and disasters to life and limb from falling debris.
LONDON, Jan 14.—The parks and buildings here suffered from the storm heavily. The Thames overflowed its banks along the upper reaches with serious loss to the dwellers on the bank.
Most of the coast towns suffered severely. Promenades have been swept into the sea, and harbors and piers damaged.
Parts of the city of Southampton are under water. The schools were closed and the tide is overflowing all boundaries and threatening serious results.
In many parts of Portsmouth, boats were employed in the main streets to take school children home. Numerous small wrecks are reported and life boats are kept busy. Three men returning from a funeral near Castle Island, Ireland, were lifted by the wind, buried into a pit and killed.
The channel steamers have had terrible experiences.
The pier at the entrance to Dieppe, France, which was recently damaged is completely demolished and great havoc is reported along the Normandy coast.

Hon Nelson Dingley Dead.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]
WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Hon Nelson Dingley, of Maine, leader of the Republican side on the floor of the House of Representatives and representing the second congressional District of Maine, in that body died here last night.

Very Ancient Grave Stone.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily News says: "A discovery most interesting to scholars has been made in the excavations of the Roman forum nothing less than the celebrated block of stone marking the spot where, according to legend, Romulus should have been buried."

SUPREME COURT.

SATURDAY JAN. 14.
The trespass case of Jewell vs. Buchanan is still before the court.
The prisoners in the Proud case will probably come up for trial on Monday.

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NEWS NOTES.

An epidemic of grip has broken out to an alarming extent among the fine horses of Kentucky. Thoroughbreds especially are suffering.

A traveller named Daniel Brun is organizing an expedition to start during the coming summer in search of traces of Prof. Andree, in Eastern Greenland.

Canada has grown wheat this year as far north as Fort Providence, on the Mackenzie river, near Great Bear lake. This is six hundred miles beyond Edmonton. If this can be done, what may not be done in the Territories?

The British law making intoxication a disease like insanity, and requiring similar treatment, puts the limit at four convictions a year. Anyone exceeding that will be liable to indefinite incarceration, with treatment which may make the disease popular in certain classes.

It is understood that the Empress of Russia is in such a delicate state of health that she requires special care at the present moment. On this account the Tzar has postponed the departure of the Court for St. Peter-burg, and has decided to prolong his stay in the Crimea.

A record of train hold-ups in the United States has been prepared by a Cincinnati paper, covering a period of nine years, beginning with twelve in 1890, the figure rose to 49 in 1895, but again fell off, and last year was 28. The average has been over 27 a year. In all 165 people were shot, 88 of them fatally.

Rev. Mr. Maxwell, the British Columbia clerical M. P., is a busy statesman. On Sundays he preaches. On week days he gets up political smoking concerts, does campaign work, writes party editorials, distributes the spoils, and acts as purchasing agent for the White Pass and Yukon Railway Company, a corporation now looking for legislation at Ottawa. It is an exhibition of versatility that few could make.

The Semlin Government has obtained a majority of six on the first test division of the session of the British Columbia Legislature. This is more than the count of parties at the general election justified it in expecting, and more than it may have in the future, as some of the members were not in their places when the vote was taken. Mr. Semlin's is a coalition government, however, and experiences in other provinces show that more is possible for these than for straight party ministries, in the way of deals especially.

A week or so ago Archbishop Bruchsi, of Montreal, urged the press to discontinue the publication of pictorial representations of murder, on the ground that these illustrations promote crime. Now his Grace has issued a circular declaring against the raising of money for religious and charitable objects by means of bazaars. He says: "Charity is ingenious. It will certainly find the means to carry on its work in some other way. It will be more Christian, disinterested, more supernatural. People will give generously as before; but they will give for the poor themselves for the maintenance of our asylums and hospitals, for the success of parochial work, without taking into consideration the personal advantages of pleasure that they might derive from their alms."

The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk railways earn about the same amount of money. The receipts of the Canadian Pacific for 1898 were \$25,795,050, while the Grand Trunk earned \$24,112,050. The former gained \$1,973,000 over 1897. The gain of the Grand Trunk was \$532,012. While there was a gain in the gross receipts, the net income of the two railways was not larger in 1898 than in 1897. With one month to hear from, the Canadian Pacific was \$54,050 behind the same eleven months of 1897. The decline in the Grand Trunk is supposed to have been a little more. But in both cases there was a good December business, which it is thought will make the net earnings about the same as in 1897. The rate war between the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific is said to have cost the Grand Trunk \$250,000 from the net profits, and the C.P.R. suffered nearly as much.

Some time ago a French female, named Pavlmer, wife of a Deputy, shot a journalist the acting editor of the Lanterne, on account of an article in which references to her triangular household had appeared. The poor fellow did not write the article, nor had he read it. The woman purchased the revolver, went to church and evoked a passionate prayer, then rushed off to shoot the first man she met in the office. This beauty is described as she appeared in court smartly dressed in black, which set off her golden hair, pale face, and "spirituelle expression." She smiled at the jury, who promptly acquitted her, although they knew the real value of that "honour," which she avokod as the reason for her crime. The victim is maimed for life, and gets £600 damages! The culprit is acquitted amid tumultuous applause! There you have French justice in all its beauty!

Remember the important auction sale of the "North American Hotel" Kent Street, occupied by Mrs Kent, which takes place at the premises on Monday the 16th day of January at 12 o'clock noon, as this is one of the best hotel properties for sale in the city offers a rare chance for investment. R. Beaireto Auctioneer.

A SPANISH WAR TELEGRAM

Reports American Troops as Mutinous

REFUSED TO OBEY THEIR ORDERS AT MANILA.

Says the Situation at Manila is of the Gravest Character.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MADRID, Jan. 14.—The Government has received the following official despatch from Manila.

The American troops here, which were ordered to Iloilo mutinied and refused to start.

Gen Miller has been ordered to abandon Iloilo and return to Manila.

All American troops have been ordered to concentrate here, the situation being of the gravest character.

L. O. A. B. A.

The annual Crapaud District Lodge was held on Tuesday, the 19 inst., in Prince Arthur Lodge, room Crapaud. All the Primary Lodges under the jurisdiction of Crapaud District were represented with the exception of one. The returns from the different Primary Lodges show a considerable increase in membership during the past year. The arm chair presented by the District Master Brother O. B. Wadman, will go to the Primary Lodge adding the most members to its roll during the year.

The business of the Lodge was transacted in a very harmonious manner, and the reports from the different officers were very gratifying, especially the report from the District Master, which received the applause of the brethren. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year and installed by Brother Wadman, Past Master:

- Edward Francis—D.M.
- W S Leard—Deputy M.
- C Moore—Chap.
- R W Clark—Rec Secy.
- G A Simmons—F Secy.
- D Quigley—Treas.
- W H Collett—D O C.
- W J McNeill—Lecturer.

After the business of the session was completed, Brother Wadman entertained the brethren at the residence of Mr Trowsdale, the table set did credit to the host and hostess, Mr and Mrs Trowsdale, a vote of thanks being tendered them by singing "For he is a jolly good fellow." Then the following toasts were proposed and responded to:

- The Queen—responded to by Bro Murdock McLeod
- The Governor General of Canada—D Quigley.
- Govt of Canada—N C Pearson.
- W Clark Wallace—J J McLeod.
- Prov Grand Master—E Francis.
- Past Dis Master—W J McNeill.
- Host and Hostess—O B Wadman.
- H W CLARK, Recd. Secy.

Had a Tough Trip.

BARCELONA, Jan. 11.—The Spanish transport Notre Dame de Salut, which sailed from Havana, December, 19 for this port, has arrived here with 1,100 repatriated soldiers on board. The vessel was overcrowded, and many of the troops were found to be ill on the steamer's arrival. During the voyage 39 deaths had occurred. The sick soldiers were speedily attended to and 360 of them were taken in ambulances to the hospitals, and 100 others were removed to the Sanatorium. The remainder of the troops were in a fearfully emaciated condition, and were hardly able to stand. Crowds of persons who assembled, to welcome the returning soldiers were horrified at the sights presented by the men, and wept and crused at the mismanagement of the officials.

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GERMANY

Has no need for American Beef and Pork.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The reichstag reassembled to-day. Count Von Posadowsky-Wegner, the secretary of the interior and representative of the chancellor, answering an interpellation, averred that the alleged scarcity of meat in Germany was unfounded. He added the price of beef was about the same as usual, though the cost of pigs and pork has risen in some places to a notable extent. Nevertheless the secretary pointed out the supplies of meat kept pace with the increasing demand and had so increased that importation was unnecessary. The supply of cattle was adequate and therefore prohibitive measures against importation must be maintained in order to prevent the introduction of disease.

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