

NEWS ABOUT THE CITY.

Ex-Ald. Oates is seriously ill. The city ministers are to exchange pulpits on March 20th. The military school at the armory will close in a fortnight. Mr. Hamilton is still encouraged in his work by large audiences.

OUR NEW CITY FATHERS.

THE SALARY BILL LEFT FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION.

Alteration of Street Names—Post-Office Parliament—The Waste of Water—Ontario and Quebec Railway.

The city council met last night, there being a full attendance of members. After routine the following clause in the executive committee's report was discussed at some length: In compliance with the request of council, conveyed through a resolution adopted 24th January, your committee have duly considered the question of...

Under the new management the performance of the Theatre Comique have been much improved. Large audiences assembled last night, and if plenty of applause is any criterion they are well pleased with the amusement offered. Miss Eva Bennett's comic songs produce a good effect, while David Cooks does some marvelous feats with the Indian club.

THE CITY GOAL.

Are There too Many Officials—Can Salaries be Cut Down. The following letter was last night read in the city council by Mr. Langmuir, inspector of prisons. It explains itself.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE. All the members were present at the meeting yesterday. The people of Parkdale, Parkview and the Harbour want their several roads leading to the city connected.

CITY COUNCIL NOTES. Ald. Baxter pronounced Croaker. Ald. Crocker don't like it. It was hinted last night that the handsome plug the mayor wears was made in Paris.

A STREET SCENE. Two of the eternally fanatics yesterday created a diversion on Wellesley street. They passed each other on different sides of the street.

PARLIAMENTARY NEWS.

The Ontario Legislature.

Yesterday, in reply to Mr. Caldwell, the premier stated that no policy had yet been adopted with respect to the cancellation of grants to railways which are not being actively prosecuted, and admitted that the subject was a difficult one to deal with.

PERSONAL. Col. Bagot, member of ceremonies to the Queen, is dead. Wm. Ellis, an eminent writer on social science, is dead.

AN UNFILIAL SON.

He beat the father unmercifully and is arraigned at the Police Court this morning. To-day a big, heavily built man of about twenty named Daniel O'Hollaran was charged with the murder of his father.

POLICE COURT.

As soon as the much-undoubtedly had the flock of the lawyers scattered themselves and the police took their accustomed places. While the magistrate awaited the calendar...

YOUTFUL OFFENDERS.

Hardly a day passes that a batch of youthful delinquents do not appear in the dock charged with petty offences. They seem to be innumerable, and the police and the courts are overburdened.

EUROPEAN QUESTIONS.

South African War. The Boers are making overtures for peace with Gen. Colley, the effect of which the British evacuate the Transvaal, and the frontiers are appointed to settle their relations with Great Britain.

THE IRISH QUESTION.

In the Imperial House of Commons yesterday notice was given of a question to be put to-day, if Parnell's speech at Clara on Sunday was not an instrument to punish the Boers, especially that passage in which he advised neighboring tenants to plough up the land in case of an eviction to prevent the landlord from grazing his cattle thereon.

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A LONG JOURNEY.

The Man Who is Walking Steadily on to Death. He stood at the corner of Yonge street and the Esplanade, puzzled and undecided.

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