

LATE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The Lady and the Side-walk Again.

Advised not to Pay an Additional Charge Tacked on to the Original Bill—Taken Fall Out of the Burgomasters—Extension of the Electric Lighting Service—The Committee on Proxies Suggest Names to be Voted for Water Directors—Interesting Story About Deacon Eberle of Downey and How he Came Around the Justice's Court—Personal Intelligence—Local Briefs.

The Board of City Trustees met in regular session on Tuesday evening, present, Mayor Rust and Trustees Lewis, McWilliams, Conrad and Helmsman.

City Clerk Nebelung read the minutes of the last regular meeting, on Dec. 10, and the special meeting of Saturday evening last, which were approved as read.

Marshal Steadman reported the following collections for December: Licenses, \$197 36; water, \$129 96; electric lights, \$158 89; total, \$486 21.

Treasurer Cohen reported \$997 24 in the General fund, and \$2,317 17 in the Interest and Sinking fund.

The Clerk's quarterly report showed \$997 25 in the General fund, \$1,922 34 in the Bond and Improvement fund, \$394 83 in the Electric fund; total, \$3,314 42.

Recorder Pierce reported the collection of \$10 from Mr. William White, otherwise known as "Mysterious Billy" White, of Santa Ana, for violation of Section 3 of Ordinance 94, relating to the discharge of firearms within the city limits. Fees, \$3; depositions \$7 with Treasurer.

The ex-Officio Tax Collector reported the collection of \$177 96 delinquent taxes.

Trustee Helmsman of the Finance Committee reported that the committee had gone over the various accounts of officers and found them correct, but allowed the different demands, and had ordered a carload of oil for the city water works. In reference to the matter of placing an arc lamp at the intersection of Lemon and Broadway streets, it appeared that none of the signers to the petition asking the light were desirous of taking private lights with a single notable exception. The City Clerk, therefore, the committee recommended that no action be taken for the present. The crosswalks would have to lay over in *definito* owing to a lack of funds to prosecute the work. In regard to running poles and wires to Mr. Shanley's new residence, a difference of opinion existed in the committee as to the propriety of doing so, and the matter was therefore referred to the board as a whole.

Trustee Lewis, as one of the members of the committee, reported that much as he should like to place the electric lights in Mr. Shanley's residence, he was of the conviction that the city's finances were so strait as not to permit of the work at this time. He opposed the laying of the wire to such a distance—some 2000 feet—whereas, he considered it would be benefited. Suspending after the line was laid it was decided not to use the light, the city would be out the cost of the line. He thought the matter was a proper one for action by the full board, and while he personally would like to see the light in the handsome residence, Mr. Shanley is putting up, he doubted the propriety of so doing in the absence of some concession on the gentleman's part.

Trustee McWilliams argued in favor of introducing the lights, and hoped that if it were possible, the work would be done by the end of the month. He said that Mr. Shanley asked that his house be wired for the lights and that the bill for the same be forwarded to him.

Trustee McWilliams moved that the whole matter be referred back to the Finance Committee, with power to act.

Trustee Helmsman moved and he moved to grant the application and that a line of wire be run to the house.

Trustee Helmsman moved to amend by asking for a deposit of \$25, to defray the expenses of the pole line, the same to be taken out in lights. Agreed to and carried. Trustee Helmsman rolled up.

Trustee McWilliams of the Committee on Public Improvements reported that the covering for the steam pipe at the electric light station had not been made, and that nothing had been done toward the drainage.

The Mayor said he had instructed Engineer Des Granges to go ahead and make the necessary alterations and improvements as speedily as possible.

Trustee Lewis of the Ordinance Committee reported there was nothing to offer from that committee.

Engineer Des Granges reported electric lamps renewed for W. T. Brown, the back lamp for H. F. Rulman and H. A. Dickel, new lamps installed for Jos. Helmsman, H. A. Dickel, F. W. Fleischmann, T. S. Grimsley, E. B. Merritt, M. Nebelung and Roman Wiser.

The Clerk reported in the matter of the petition for a gravel sidewalk on Los Angeles street from Center to Broadway, that the outlook was favorable. He had interviewed Mr. Hussman, who informed him that he would give a deed for sidewalk purposes provided the city would pay for moving back the houses that now set out on the line of the walk. Other property owners on the block expressed themselves as being in favor of the sidewalk, and the committee was continued and granted further time.

Under the head of unfinished business, the Clerk read an unconditional acceptance by the Sanest telephone company of the franchise recently granted them. Filed.

The Clerk reported that he forwarded Mrs. Mitchell the bill amounting to \$37 50 for extras on the work of laying the cement sidewalk on the Center street side of Capt. Mitchell's park, and that the lady had at first not deigned to notice his communication, but had subsequently personally called her attention to the matter, and she promised to look the matter up, and thereafter she communicated with him as follows:

PARADISE, Dec. 30, 1895.
MR. M. NEBELUNG, Your letter regarding expenses claimed by the city received. I advised the my continued refusal, and that no such claim can be presented to me now. Respectfully,
MRS. HATTIE MITCHELL.

It appearing that the lady had the board on the hip the matter was passed for the present. The time for the presentation of the bill having passed the bill for the original amount for cementing having been presented and paid on December 10, when the bill for extras under the new sidewalk also have been presented—the lady takes a fall out of the board.

Application of P. A. Dargo for a water main to be extended to his place on the corner of Philadelphia and Broadway streets, where he contemplates the erection of a dwelling. Referred to the committee on Public Improvements to report at the next meeting.

The Chair—There are a couple of heavy timbers projecting some feet above the ground at Quentner's corner, that were placed there to protect the street lamps, and which are dangerous to people driving in the dark, and as there is no use for them now and they are an obstruction to the thoroughfare, they ought to be taken out.

Trustee McWilliams: There is a good deal of objection concerning them and they ought to be removed.

Trustee Helmsman: They have been removed already. [Then that official got up and put some more coal on the fire.]

Bills to the amount of \$740 97 were adjourned and ordered paid and the adjourned session was adjourned.

The board met in special session on Saturday evening to receive an application from the water company for a franchise to run ditches along the streets of the city. The application was submitted by Mr. Spencer who entered into an explanation of the affairs engaging the joint attention of the franchise and the water board. The application was drawn up by the City Attorney to be signed by the committee of the water board asked

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—The new Christian church building is being shingled.

—The proprietor of the bowling alley has folded his tent and silently slipped away.

—The Redlands Puchs and Pomona Progress are again welcome visitors to our exchange table.

—The annual meeting of stockholders in the co-operative best company is called for Feb. 10th.

—Prof. Frantz is going in for magazines and periodicals, and makes quite a display of them in his front window.

—Rev. Mr. Campbell of Los Angeles will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church morning and evening of Jan. 19th.

—Costumes for the masquerade ball to be given a week from Friday evening by the Chosen Friends will be supplied by F. Crist.

—The Trustees of the Christian church contemplate the purchase of Dr. Pfening's residence adjoining the building, to be used as a parsonage.

—The Riverside Enterprise copies our item about the story told by Mr. Dickel's rain gauge and credits it to the Santa Ana Standard.

—The additions to Mr. Nebelung's residence on Lemon street give the building quite a transformed and pretentious appearance.

—The obstruction in the Olive ditch has been removed, water is running to irrigators again, and the goose hangs at a respectable distance from terra firma.

—The weather yesterday was cloudy and the indications for rain were good. A couple of inches of moisture would be all that is amiss, Mr. Weather Clerk.

—The boys on the Board of Audit had a good one on Newman Road yesterday, but they wouldn't tell us what it was. But we are a cigar ahead by promising not to say anything about it.

—Clarence Groat has a large force of men engaged in the cementing of the Southside ditch running from the cement ditch on East street. The ditch will run to Katella and will be about four miles long.

—The annual meeting of the street-car stockholders will be held at the company's office in Kroeger's block on the 25th inst, at 10 a. m., when a new Board of Directors will be elected.

—Agent Clabough of the Santa Fe informs us that the company has placed on sale round-trip tickets to all points on its lines based on a reduction of 10 per cent on double first class fares.

—A rumor comes by way of Santa Ana that Bob Taylor of South Riverside intends starting a new bank here. Mr. Taylor was in town several days last week, but the precise nature of his business was not ascertained.

—The rumor is revived that it is the intention of the Southern Pacific soon to build their line up town and begin work on the section of their freight and passenger depot on Santa Ana street, either at the corner of Lemon or Los Angeles streets.

—Julius Schneider has the thanks of the editorial household for a lot of oranges that for size, appearance and flavor would come near taking the gold medal for excellence anywhere. Julius knows how to do the right thing, and he always does it at the right time too. Call again, Julius.

—The press clipping bureau of Los Angeles sends us a lot of extracts showing how extensively THE GAZETTE was copied in December. But the press clipping bureau doesn't find near so many references to us as we find ourselves. Eh?

—Col. Barry has received his commission as Colonel of the reorganized Seventh Regiment. Among the names mentioned for Battalion Adjutant on his staff we notice that of Capt. Gilbert Landell of the mustered out Company G of this city. Glib is a great boy, and would make an ideal adjutant, and we'll all pull to get the company back when the Legislature meets again.

—In the list of real estate transfers this morning appears the sale by Tim Bege to Fritz Rahms of his half interest in the lot on Los Angeles street, upon which it is the intention of the new proprietor to erect a large brick block. The plans for the building will be ready in a few days, when bids for its erection will be asked for and work begun as soon as possible.

—Mrs. Langenberger lost a valuable horse on Monday which succumbed to lockjaw in Mitchell's stable. The animal had been in training on the track at Santa Ana and some two weeks ago stepped upon a nail. The wound was healed, but the horse was killed after being brought home and placed in the stable it broke out afresh and although everything was done to save it, it could not recover. It was valued at \$400.

—Charley Pederman's store seems to be regarded by the bands of tramps that periodically grace our town with their presence, as being their natural prey, for while we are still wondering at the audacity that prompted a couple of them to enter his establishment and make off with an armful of overcoat and other wearing apparel, a week or two ago, here we have reports of another theft, on Friday evening, when a tramp, passing by the display of shoes on the sidewalk, seized a number of pairs and bolted down the road. Louis Kroeger distinguished himself by putting after him and recovering two pairs of the stolen footwear. He also took a third pair hid under his coat when he was finally permitted to go, in a question which the proprietor of the store is of opinion must be decided in the tramp's favor.

—Bishop Montgomery will preach at St. Boniface Catholic Church on Sunday, the 26th inst, morning and evening. Morning service will be at 10:30 and evening service at 7:30. The ladies of the church are forwarding the Bishop a public reception and banquet, to be held at the Opera-house, the Saturday evening preceding, to which quite a number of the friends among the citizens of this city will be invited to attend. The Bishop is an able speaker, and will no doubt be greeted by a large concourse of our people, both at the reception and banquet and at the church.

—Deacon Eberle of the Downey Champion, who was one of the party of alleged editors who went around the kite-shaped track last week, is a great bit of a man, even if he does come from Downey. The possibility of the creation of a city and county government by Los Angeles at the next session of the Legislature, as well as the fact that Pomona will make a strong pull to set itself up into a county government of its own, engages the Deacon's attention seriously, and while he is persuaded that it would be in all respects seemly for him not to fight the Pomona proposition, if the Morichonville chaps insist upon division, yet as to the former proposition, the indefiniteness of the lines is such as to give him no little concern for his future welfare. He is uniformed whether, in the event of division, he will be permitted to remain in Los Angeles county, or be ejected into Pomona, or tacked on to Orange county, or whether it were better to form a county of his own. However, he is not so much drawn as to place the Deacon in Orange county, it would not be to his disliking, and that, as the society reporters would make a desirable acquisition to the community—we think he would. Seriously, however, in the event of the establishment of a city and county government by Los Angeles, there will be a large strip of territory, taking in La Mirada, and the Norwalk and Artesia

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. A. D. Porter has been quite seriously ill at her home with an attack of la grippe.

Misses Elizabeth Kuebel and Jessie McRose are visiting with friends in Los Angeles.

Michael Neipp is confined to his residence with injuries sustained by being bitten by a vicious dog on Tuesday of last week.

W. L. Metcalf, representing the Fullerton Tribune, was in town yesterday and made a fraternal call at this office.

Stephen Kieffer has been employed for some weeks past in the Surveyor's office at Los Angeles. He takes the 8 o'clock train up every morning and returns in the evening.

Mr. Ryan took his departure yesterday for the mines near Barstow in which he is interested, the discovery of a rich lead bringing a call for him to depart thither. He will be gone a week or ten days.

E. E. Beizley has purchased the Carlton bank building, the last remnant of a once glorious boom village. He will take it down and move it to Fullerton and occupy it as a store and residence.

Capt. Wreda was in town on Saturday after a detention at home for five weeks with an aggravated attack of la grippe. His sense of taste was impaired during his illness so that he could eat very little, but his usual robust personality remains as of yore.

E. H. Smith, a capitalist of El Cajon, San Diego county, came to Santa Ana on a visit to his possessions here. Mr. Smith informs us that San Diego is enjoying quite a building boom and that travel is picking up. He owns a tract of young orange groves, but gives his friends water limits and will doubtless move to have it included in the water limits.

The great discount sale of the Red Front, Santa Ana, is over and it has been a great success, they have sold a large portion of their winter stock, thereby giving the public an advantage in low prices and relieving themselves of surplus stock. The Red Front's theory of business is bound to meet the approval of everyone. Read what they have to say in their new advertisement.

As Mr. Dunphy was about to leave the lodgeroom at the conclusion of the work of the Old Fellows on Tuesday evening, he was overcome with illness, and his condition was such as not only to prevent his return to his home at Fullerton, but to give him a serious concern as well. Dr. Chapman was called and ministered to the patient during the night. Mr. Dunphy was reported to be somewhat better yesterday.

Henry Rogers died at his home in Garden Grove on Tuesday, in the seventy-third year of his age, and was buried from the residence of his son-in-law, G. W. Rolfe, yesterday morning, the interment being in the Santa Ana cemetery. Deceased had resided in this city for many years, and was held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends who mourn his loss. The family have their condolences to the entire community in their bereavement.

Contractor McWilliams has a force of carpenters at work upon Mr. Shanley's new residence on Lemon street, and the building is rapidly assuming the proportions of an architecturally handsome as well as substantially constructed dwelling. The building has a good brick foundation, the rooms are large and spacious and the residence will have all modern conveniences. There is also a tank house and windmill hard by, and a deep well affording an abundance of pure water. The building will be ready for occupancy in the latter part of February, when Mrs. Shanley is expected to arrive from the East. Mr. Shanley is a newcomer here, but has all modern conveniences in his new home by making a very substantial improvement.

Peter Arimond has made some experiments in the way of making pressed brick, using sand and lime in their composition, on the lot next to Seal's grocery, and tells us he has been uniformly successful thus far. He turned out 4300 brick on Monday, and in the yard has some eight or nine hundred that he turned out in the last month in the part of the public. The bricks are 4x4x8, just twice the size of the common burned brick of commerce, and can be sold per thousand at less than twice the cost of the old brick. Sand is used in the proportion of seven parts to one of lime, and Mr. Arimond's purpose is to rig up a machine to make them, if he can find a market for his manufacture, and go in for making brick extensively. Sand is cheap here.

Frank Young, a youth lately arrived from China, was arrested on Friday last on a charge of grand larceny, he having stolen two watches and chains and a revolver from L. Rightmeyer, who lives on Tin Can roll's place at the big well, while Rightmeyer stepped out of the house in which both were living to get a pail of water. While the latter was out Young, who is an ex-convict, ransacked his trunk and committed the theft. After his arrest his father, who lives at Chinatown, was contacted with, and came over on Tuesday to intercede for his convict son. He introduced himself to the Judge as being the unfortunate father of the young culprit, and stated that he had been liberated from a sixteen months' term in prison for theft, and he pleaded that the charge against him be reduced to petty larceny, a fine for which he would pay.

As the amount of the theft—\$55—was but a few dollars over the petty larceny limit, this request was on advice of the District Attorney granted, although the law makes grand

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

For the Week Ending Jan. 13, 1895.

—Furnished by the Orange County Title Company, Santa Ana.

John Timmerman, Francis M. Bishop, of Monterey and Los Angeles—NW 1/4 of Sec. 25, T. 4, R. 11, S. 10; \$400.

Stearns R. Co. to J. C. Floyd—E 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 15, T. 5, R. 10, S. 10; \$200.

J. C. Floyd to Johnson Clement—Same property; \$10.

Francis Atkinson and husband to E. Avery McCarthy—East 1/2 of Sec. 34 of E. 1/2 of Sec. 25, T. 4, R. 11, S. 10; \$400.

Stearns R. Co. to W. W. Coffin—7 1/2 acres in the Oge and Bond tract; \$140.

Jeremiah A. Grinnell to Ella C. Wilcox—1/4 acre in the Oge and Bond tract; \$140.

Wilson W. Hill and wife to William K. Smith—1/4 acre in the Oge and Bond tract; \$140.

Stearns R. Co. to Fred J. B. Bushard—E 1/4 of Sec. 7, T. 6, R. 10, S. 10; \$100.

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