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Whole or separate tenders will be received by the undersigned for the erection of a brick addition to the Public General Hospital, hot water heating, slate roof, sun baths, etc. Same to be built according to plans and specifications, which may be seen at the office of the architects. All tenders to be sealed and addressed to Hugh McKay, Chairman, and the same left with the office of the architects. All tenders to be in by the 29th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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I have received instructions from Mr. G. L. Pearson who is leaving the city for Toronto, to sell his household effects without reserve, on

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REV. DR. GRIFFIN

Preaches the Park Street Church Anniversary Sermons.

He Did the Same Pleasing Duty a Quarter of a Century Ago.

The Rev. Dr. Griffin, of Toronto, treasurer of the superannuation fund was preaching in Chatham in 1873. Yesterday Dr. Griffin preached both anniversary sermons in Park Street church as he did 25 years ago when the church was first opened. His text in the morning was, "Covet earnestly the best gifts and yet show I unto you the best way." All people, said the reverend doctor cannot acquire the same gifts because some people are what is called brainy but each one should do the best possible with the brains he has. There are intellectual, moral and spiritual gifts. Intellectual gifts extend as high as man is able to attain but there are better gifts in store. The moral and spiritual gifts are the best. Then there are home, social and church gifts. Among other things in the home gifts is the cultivation of home and the improving of the home life. This must be done in a way to increase the happiness of others. To covet the best social gifts, one must improve his or her talents and use them for good. If a person could sing he or she should use that talent to make others happy. A musical instrument might remain in a family for years and yet you would never have any music unless love and friendship bound the family together. Lastly we have the church work. In the churches of to-day there may be elegant choirs, trained singers and fine preachers. Yet unless the hearts of the people were thoroughly in the worship the beautiful church with their elegant choirs, trained singers and fine preachers would simply have Ichabod written on their walls.

In the evening the Rev. Dr. Griffin preached an eloquent sermon from the text "If thou canst believe; all things are possible unto him that believeth." My observations, said the minister, throughout life have been that those who undertake to tell men how to believe in the Lord Jesus Christ never accomplish anything nor are they satisfied. I have vivid recollections of good men, who when I was young told me how to believe. I also recollect I got no good from their advice. Long years ago I learned not to tell men how to believe. In the Bible examples are given of faith and the triumph of faith. These are the only necessary things to kill unbelief.

The singing at both services was of an exceptionally high order. The solos rendered by Miss Rothwell were exceedingly skilled and the rich tones of her full voice sent home to every heart the burning words of each anthem.

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JUST TWO WEEKS

Would be Required to Destory the French Navy.

What War Would Mean to France—Ruin Her Trade.

New York, Oct. 24.—The London correspondent of the New York Post telegraphs:—

"A war with England would resolve itself into a naval duel, in which the French fleet would be annihilated in a fortnight, and all the French colonies forfeited for ever. Moreover, French commerce would suffer a terrible blow; considering that of the entire exports of France, amounting to something like three billion five hundred million francs, one billion three hundred and twenty million are taken by England, nearly as much as Belgium, Germany and the United States together take.

"In holding out, therefore, in this matter of Fashoda the French Government must either rely on a yielding disposition such as England displayed in the Siam, Madagascar, and West Africa disputes, or they must be acting on an understanding with Russia. If the first supposition is correct, they must be very badly informed of the temper of this country in respect to the whole matter of Egypt. If the second, then we must be prepared for the long-expected turning-point in the affairs of the Old World.

"That the French press invariably withholds from the public information which may prove unpalatable or may clash with the interests represented by individual journals is a notorious fact; and in the present instance no exception has been made to the rule. The facts and arguments adduced in the English blue-book have not been reproduced with any fulness or fairness in Paris, and in consequence French public opinion stands, as it has found itself on many a critical occasion, on a misconception of the situation. But the French Government is not ignorant, either of these facts or of the unyielding attitude assumed by Lord Salisbury and unanimously approved by public opinion in this country. Now, as it is not likely that France has traced for itself in this matter a policy independent of Russia, it is suspected that a series of diplomatic manoeuvres are in contemplation, aiming at the revision, by some kind of European congress, of the whole position in Egypt. In fact, Major Marchand's expedition had in reality no other ultimate object than to force the discussion of that question. So far England justified the continuance of her occupation of Egypt by pointing to the danger menacing the country from the south. The dervish power having now been disposed of, Egypt, the French claim, can take care of itself. This British occupation of Egypt has been the one sore point in the foreign policy of France—a craving which the Russian alliance was relied upon to satisfy. So far France has obtained no compensatory service for the advantages which Russia secured through that alliance. If, in the present instance also, Russia's friendship be shown to be merely platonic, and France be compelled, for want of efficient support, to give in in respect to Fashoda, the dual alliance will hardly survive the ordeal."

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DRESDEN.

Oct. 24.—Mr. Mercer, of Toronto, agent for the Massey-Harris Implement Co., who has been here for the past few days, returned this morning.

Joseph Wannamaker has returned home from Walkerville.

Rev. Jos. Galloway, pastor of the Methodist church, exchanged pulpits with the pastor of the Wallaceburg church yesterday.

We regret to learn of the illness of Lemuel Peters, the well-known 'bus driver. Mr. Peters sprained his wrist some weeks ago, which, becoming worse is causing him muct trouble.

Ernest Moorehouse spent Sunday in Dresden, the guest of his uncle, Jamin Lawrence.

The public library has received a large consignment of the newest books which will greatly improve the already good collection.

The quarantine has been raised from the various houses in Camden by the health officer, Dr. W. Wiley, all danger of infection being evidently past.

A very fine new Copp heater has been placed in Christ church.

James Stephens, banker, who has been ill for some time past, was taken suddenly worse on Saturday last. His daughter, Mrs. E. J. MacIntyre, of Chatham, is attending his bedside.

THE LAKE ERIE EXTENSION.

Bonus by-laws are being submitted to the municipalities lying between Ridgetown and St. Thomas for the extension of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway between these points. Two thousand dollars only is asked from Orford on account of its proximity to Ridgetown, $7,000 from Aldborough, $7,000 from Dunwich, $2,500 from Dutton, and $20,000 from St. Thomas. The voting in all places takes place on Nov. 10th, prox. The railway company claim that the feeling both in St. Thomas and the townships has undergone a change, and is more favorable than in the spring, and they anticipate that all the bylaws, including St. Thomas, will be carried. Messrs. Lewis Wigle, Charles Macdonald, Wm. Woollatt and others are holding meetings nightly. Mr. Macdonald will address the people of St. Thomas in the Opera House on Wednesday night next, and Mr. Wigle a week later.

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and common carelessness can make a combination strong enough to defy all the healing skill of the physician. Common carelessness lets the cold root and grow. Common carelessness says, between paroxysms of coughing, "It will be all right in a day or two," and the common end is confirmed lung trouble, perhaps consumption. The common-sense treatment of a common cold is a prompt dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It is the most efficient and reliable cure for colds and coughs, and is constantly prescribed by physicians.

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WALLACEBURG.

Oct. 24.—Wallaceburg Methodist church held its anniversary services yesterday. Rev. J. Galloway preached morning and evening. A grand international teameeting will be held tomorrow evening in the town hall. Tea will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock after which an excellent program will be rendered.

Two new barber shops will be opened in town in a short time. J. Coughlin will re-open in the vacant store next to H. McCrae's on James street and Joe Lane in the shop now occupied by P. Benedict, who will remove to one of the stores on Nelson street. Wallaceburg will then have seven barber shops.

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IT'S A FINE POINT

Could Mr. Bruneau Withdraw the Resignation

Which He Sent to Speaker Edgar—A Suit Hinges on the Question.

Montreal, Oct. 24.—An action has been entered at Sorel against A. A. Bruneau, M. P., for Richelieu, charging him with having illegally occupied a seat in parliament after having formally resigned his mandate to the Speaker of the House of Commons.

It will be remembered that Mr. Bruneau sent a letter to Sir James Edgar resigning his seat for Richelieu, but it was alleged at the time that the letter was secured and returned to Mr. Bruneau before the document reached the hands of the Speaker. The case will, of course, hinge upon the rightful ownership of a letter after it had left the hands of the sender. The law provides that a man who sits in the House of Commons without proper qualification shall be liable to a fine of $150 for each and every day on which he so sits.

OUR FIRE ALARM.

Is the New System Equal to the Old?—A Correspondent Thinks Not.

Editor of The Planet:

Sir,—The disastrous fire of Friday morning must certainly lead to grave doubts in the minds of many ratepayers whether installing our present fire alarm system and abolishing the night watchman was a step in the right direction. For my part, I believe an error was made in doing so. While we have to bow to the whims and fancies of an underwriters' association I claim that that body has yet a deal to learn. My contention is, if a watchman had been in the old stand the fire of last night would have been detected before the alarm was sent in from box 31. We have many places of business, lumber yards, factories, etc., having watchmen employed during the still hours of the night. These places would be partially destroyed before detected and the alarm sent in. Our fire and light committee in their re-organization of fire hall matters have certainly not improved our position. I believe that I voice the sentiments of citizens generally when I say get back to the old system, build an addition say 15 feet higher on the tower or high enough to command a view over the entire city, put your watchman up there and let him be on the alert whilst we are in peaceful slumber. Your fire alarm system may be all right providing you have someone to give the alarm. At present we are depending at night solely on chance and the policemen on duty. Who knows but what they may not be around and if we all sleep then what?

SLEEPYHEAD.

AN APPLE MARKET.

Norway is Much in Need of This Fruit.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—The department of trade and commerce received to-day official reports from two of the Canadian commercial agents in foreign countries. C. S. Sontum, the agent at Christiania, reports that the summer season has been very bad for the crops in Norway. The result is that cereals are being imported, and already several cargoes of wheat, flour, and rolled oats have been imported. The apple crop has been almost ruined, and Mr. Sontum directs the attention of Canadian shippers to the possibilities of this trade. The Norwegians prefer Baldwins of first-class quality. Evaporated apples would find a ready sale, fifty-pound boxes being preferred to any other system of package.

THE SOUTHERN STATES

Mr. Cherry Says Will be the Klondike of the Future.

Charles T. Cherry, King street east, returned last week from a visit to his parents in Littleton, N. C. He reports times there very lively. The war has increased the sale of merchandise. The rich mineral deposits of this district have begun to be opened up. They have both mica and iron. The country is also rich in timber, especially pine and black walnut. The crops this year have been very good. Mr. Cherry predicts that the south is the coming land. That this country will be the Klondike to which the people will flock in the next ten years.

During his trip Mr. Cherry spent a few days at Baltimore, his old home. The oriole city is quite different since Mr. Cherry's last visit. Electric cars have taken the place of the old horse cars, and the street cars nearly all run under ground, thus lessening greatly the many accidents from this source. The prices in Baltimore differ somewhat from the prices here. Baltimore dressed steak brings 18 cents a pound, Chicago 12c., butter 25c, eggs 20c., flour $2.25 a hundred weight., coal oil eight cents a gallon. In the markets you can find every kind of fish that swims in the water.

A New York firm is putting up a 12 story building. The first story will be occupied by a bank, and the rest by offices.

This city has the latest fire department. They use a ladder which can be elevated at any angle by levers and the firemen play on the fire from above.

The A. M. E. African church adherents are putting up a church of which the structure alone will cost $60,000 and when completed the church will cost $40,000 more, making $100,000 in all.

The Macedonian church has erected a new stone building on the old site on Saratoga street, near Mount street. The Sunday school is on the ground floor and the church above.

The Tissier denomination have purchased a new church on Lexington avenue. On Sunday, September 9th, they had a rally, and the collection amounted to $1,000. Trinity church had a rally the following Sunday and raised $2,000 by the collections.

Mr. Cherry came home Wednesday, the day after last Tuesday's storm. He states that the storm extended from Baltimore through Canada, even Chatham got her share. In Niagara Falls the pavement was covered with worms, which fell from the clouds.

ECZEMA FIVE YEARS

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I have been an intense sufferer of that awful, dreaded and everlasting disease, Eczema, for five years. I tried every one's advice in medicine, besides four doctors, one a specialist in skin diseases, with no improvement at all, and from time to time setting me almost frantic with dreadful itching. At last I gave myself up to Cuticura Remedies, expecting them to result as all previous ones. To my great and agreeable surprise I found a wonderful change in three weeks, and after using three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and one box of Cuticura Salve, I found myself completely cured.

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I was afflicted with Eczema for seven years, and my scalp was in a bad state. I had a bad back, three inches of which was covered with a dry scab with a moisture underneath. The itching was so bad I thought it would drive me mad. I tried all remedies I was told of, but could not get cured. I was advised to try Cuticura Remedies. I used five bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, five cakes of Cuticura Soap, and five boxes of Cuticura Salve, and I was completely cured. I have not had a pimple on my head or body since.

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