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Capes and Tailor Made Suits

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WANTED—Dining room and nurse girl wanted at once, at GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL.

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AGENTS:—"Light of Life." Latest best selling Souvenir for canvassers. Large book, Low price. Big profit. Freight paid. Credit given. Outfit free. BRADLEY GARRETSON CO., Limited, Brantford.

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TEACHER WANTED—Protestant, S. S. No. 12, Camden, for the year 1900. Apply J. W. STEWART, 1d 8s-w Secy., Box 306, Thamesville.

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WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS FOR DISTRICT office managers in this state to represent me in their own and and surrounding counties. Willing to pay yearly $600, payable weekly. Desirable employment with unusual opportunities. S. Simmons exchange'. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. S. A. Park, 300 Caxton Building, Chicago.

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YOUNG MEN WANTED.

Wanted—Young men to learn barber trade. Only eight weeks required, position guaranteed. Write for circular and other information. MICHIGAN BARBER COLLEGE, 55 1-2 Cadillac Square, Detroit, Mich. 1y

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GUN FOR SALE CHEAP—A Greener make No. 12 bore, breech-loader. Apply at D. M. Marvin's Hotel.

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—Corner Harvey and Lacroix Sts., fine gardens attached to each, city water. About eight minutes walk from Post Office. Apply to LOUIS STANIEWICZ, 268-tf Planet Office.

I HAVE a new 45 bbl. Tank, made with quarter sawn white oak staves. I will sell for last dollar unless Blonde Bros. will say it is worth. 1d 1s-w D. R. VAN ALLEN.

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FOR SALE—Two shares in St. Luke's Club Lodge, St. Clair. Apply to A. C. McKAY, Planet Office.

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LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Avenue, and six lots on Maple Street. Apply to, MRS. TISSIMAN, 196 tf Victoria Avenue, or the Planet Office

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Store and dwelling with general stock and fixtures, and two acres of land more or less, together with out buildings thereon, stable, drive shed, storehouse with brick cellar, smoke house with brick foundation, oil house, etc., horses, harness, light and heavy wagons, sleighs, etc., this is a good business stand with a Post Office, and is well and conveniently situated in a good farming and fruit growing section and about 150 yards from Jeanettes Creek Station, G. T. Ry., where recently a large warehouse has been built. This rare chance will be offered for sale up to Dec. 15th, unless sooner sold. Reason for selling going to California. For further particulars apply to F. C. PECK, Jeanettes Creek P. O., Ont.

PURSE LOST—On Tuesday, on King Street, small leather purse, with three clasps. Containing a sum of money and a photographers card. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

NOTICE.

My wife Sarah Joseph, having left my bed and board, I hereby forbid any one trusting her on my account, as I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract.

AUGUSTUS JOSEPH, Chatham.

November 9th, 1899.

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given forbidding any person giving credit to Maria Ripley, my housekeeper, on my account, as I will not be responsible for any liability contracted by her.

Dated at Camden, this 11th day of Nov., A. D., 1899.

WM. KELLY, 4id-2iwk Wabash, P. O.

Nicer than Fresh Fruit

That looks a little strange, but such is the case. The Pineapples are absolutely ripe and perfect when canned, you cannot get them so in the fresh state. All eyeless and coreless and sliced—25c a can.

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Baken Beans, 10c a can.

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Dover Taxes

The collector of Dover, for Division 2 and 3, will be at the Montana House, every Saturday until January to receive taxes and give receipts for the same.

H. N. BECHARD, Collector.

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CAMPAIGN RAGES.

Premier Greenway Bluffed by an Independent Candidate

At One of His Own Meetings—The Feeling said to be For a Change of Government.

Winnipeg, Nov. 24.—There was a large attendance at the meeting at Russell called in the interest of Mr. Crerar, the Government candidate. Mr. James Fisher, Independent, had called a meeting for the same evening at Millwood, but cancelled it in order to meet the Premier. When the meeting was called to order Mr. Fisher asked to have an opportunity to speak during the evening. He explained he had already asked Mr. Crerar and the chairman, who had refused after consulting the Premier. He further said that the chair an had intimated that if the audience chose to remain after the regular speaking was over, there would be no objection to his (Mr. Fisher) addressing them, but the Government candidate and party would not remain. Against this decision there were loud protests.

Mr. Greenway said he was a strong believer in the Hudson Bay Railway, and promised a ten-cent rate to Lake Superior.

At the close of the speech Mr. Greenway and his party, including the Government candidate, left the hall, while on the platform was left the chairman and Mr. Fisher alone, the audience nearly all remaining.

Mr. Fisher addressed them at length, dealing with the Dauphin and Southeastern Railway schemes, and the gerrymander.

There was much comment on the action of the Government party in refusing to let Mr. Fisher take part in the discussion in their presence, and Mr. Fisher's friends claim that his cause has gained thereby.

The general impression here is that the fight will be really between Mr. Fisher and Mr. Mulline, the Conservative. Mr. Greenway speaks here on Friday night.

GOVERNMENT SCARED.

J. Stewart Tupper, son of Sir Charles, in a speech, declared that the Government was discredited, as was apparent by the fact of their attempting to steal the election by springing it on without proper notice; also by the Prime Minister's confession of weakness in his own constituency. Afraid of certain defeat, he had gerrymandered the constituency of Mountain, cutting off 150 votes. The opponents of the Government would have to be on the alert, and prepare themselves, for the Government were willing to resort to any means to save themselves. The speaker said he had just heard of a supporter of Mr. Macdonald being offered a tempting bribe by a man in high position to induce him to act against his convictions and support the Government. Other influences and schemes might be resorted to, and the Conservative party would adopt a means to combat them. He urged all to work for the bringing out of the honest will of the people, which was all the Conservative party desired. The feeling throughout the province was for a change of Government. (Applause.)

RICH CHEST OF GOLD.

Treasure Found on Wrecked Spanish Battleship.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 24.—The wreckers working on the sunken Spanish armored cruiser Almirante Oquendo discovered a chest containing $19,999 in Spanish gold, which the Cendoya Co., the firm employing the divers, will retain. Work on the cruiser has been in progress for five months, and many thousand dollars' worth of treasure have been secured. The safe was found in the bottom where it fell during the burning of the ship. Only a few days ago the wreckers began on the torpedo boat destroyer Furor. They have already found a service of heavy silver plate. Experts assert after inspecting the destroyer that she might easily have been raised and repaired. The wrecking operations have proved a source of large returns to the companies, estimated at $500,000.

HARD ON THE HACK BUSINESS.

The great discovery made by a Brantford druggist and known as Four T's does away with hacking and coughing in two days. As a lung tonic and lung tissue reconstructor it has no equal. Children take Four T's and it cures whooping cough and croup. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold at Central Drug Store.

THE NEW FIREMAN

Chief Jacques Recommends Thos. Taylor to the Committee

And he is Appointed—Feeling in the Brigade Reported More Harmonious.

There were present at last evening's meeting of the civic property committee the chairman, Ald. Cowan, Mayor Smith, Ald. Fleming, Ald. Liddy and Chief Jacques.

Ald. Cowan explained that since the last meeting the application of Hector Johnson for the position of permanent fireman had been withdrawn. The chairman also drew attention to clause 5 of the by-law regulating the Fire Department, which read as follows:—"The firemen shall be appointed on the recommendation, in writing, of the chief, subject to the approval of the council."

Ald. Cowan then read a communication from the chief, saying that he had looked over the applications and recommended the appointment of Thos. Taylor.

The mayor asked how it was that Taylor was at present working at the hall. He said it was being much commented upon on the streets, that the matter had been "cut and dried," and was bad policy.

Ald. Cowan said that Taylor had been put on at his suggestion, after Johnson's withdrawal.

The mayor said that Taylor was undoubtedly a good man, but he did not believe that the action taken had been in the best interests of the city. He thought a man who thoroughly understood horses should be selected. Lack of this knowledge had already cost the city money. The mayor nominated John Jones for the position, at the same time paying a tribute to him and his 14 years' faithful service in the employ of the Express Co.

Ald. Fleming nominated Thos. Taylor for the position. He said the committee held the chief responsible for the conduct and efficiency of the department and it was best to act upon his recommendation.

The mayor thought preference ought to be given to a married man. It was alleged in reply that Taylor would shortly be able to comply with this specification.

Ald. Liddy—I would like to second both nominations and nominate a third on my own account. How would it do to all nominate one. I'll nominate Hiram Winegarden.

Ald. Cowan said if all were to nominate a man no decision could be reached.

Ald. Liddy said that, if such were the case, acting upon the by-law he would be bound to second the nomination of Taylor, although there were many splendid names submitted.

Taylor's nomination was then put and carried.

"I was told it was practically useless to come up," said the mayor rising to leave, "but remember, gentlemen, this has still to go before the council as a whole."

The chief thanked the committee for the recent resolution passed relative to the dissatisfied firemen tendering their resignations. Its effect had been magical in the department.

J. B. Stringer & Co. wrote, asking a special rate in weighing on the market scales. The matter was left to the clerk to look into.

In the matter of requests for additional lights an indefinite postponement was made.

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Fine Whipcord and Herringbone Top Coats light colors, French facing, Italian linings, tailor made, extra special..... **$10.00**

Whipcord and Herringbone Top Coats light colors, French facings, fine satin linings, well worth $16 00, for..... **$13.00**

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BELLE RIVER CASE

Two of the Trustees Convicted by the Court.

Defence was That They Would not Attend Meetings Without the Bishop's Permission.

Magistrate Bartlet, of Windsor, went to Belle River yesterday to hear the charge against Charles Girard and Leon Desrosiers, two public school trustees, who were accused of having neglected their duties. Crown Attorney Clarke, of Windsor, looked after the prosecution, and Francis Cleary, also of Windsor, handled the case for the defendants.

The claim was made by some of the other trustees that the defendants had refused to attend any meetings of the board for the past few months and, as they were duly notified, they had not been attending to their duties.

The reason given for this was that Bishop McEvay had ordered that the public school in Belle River should be made a separate school and some of the trustees objected. However, a majority was in favor of the bishop's order, but they were unwilling to grant the minority members of the board a public school or give them the money due on the present site.

When court opened Trustees Desrosiers and Girard said they they would not attend a meeting of the board until they had received word from the bishop as to what action should be taken to release the school. Nicholas Conway, secretary of the board, informed the court that he had received several legal notices to call a meeting of the board, but that he would not do so until the courts compelled him.

Magistrate Bartlet found the two defendants guilty, but he adjourned court for a week and the case will be finished in Windsor. In the meantime the trustees agreed to hold a meeting this evening and try and patch up all differences.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture.

Andrew Thomson, jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Miss Eberts, who is leaving the city for British Columbia, to sell all her household effects including one Chickering Piano, on Tuesday, Nov. 28th, at one o'clock sharp. The sale will take place in Eberts Block over Central Drug Store first story. Rooms will be heated the day of sale. All will be sold without reserve. Remember day and date, Tuesday, Nov. 28th, 1899, at one o'clock sharp.

A. THOMSON, Auctioneer.

WOMAN'S WAYS.

Woman is bound to be master or slave, and is usually master.—Galveston News.

Kissing a woman's lips is considered a great insult in Finland.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

As most girls get married merely to find out what it is like, I wonder why widows get married again.—St. Louis Star.

It isn't that a woman cares so much about losing a man; she just doesn't want some other woman to gain him.—Bangor News.

If a woman has any style to her she is always dressed in such a way that she can't eat with any comfort.—Atchison Globe.

She—Would you be satisfied if I let you have just one kiss? He (courageously)—No. She—Then you may have one.—Exchange.

In volume vii., page 357, Alabama law reports, can be found the case of Hobson vs. Kissam. Quite appropriate.—Atlanta Constitution.

He (sympathetically)—You have a bad cold. She (huskily)—I am so hoarse that if you attempted to kiss me I couldn't even scream.—Boston Journal.

To be remembered by a woman, it is only necessary to tell her something nice about herself that she knows already, but fancies that nobody else has found out.—Detroit Free Press.

At a recent afternoon party in Atchison all the guests got to crying. The songs were sad, and the elocutionists recited sad pieces, and a perfectly lovely time was had.—Atchison Globe.

Miss Palisade—Now that I have accepted Jack, tell me honestly if he has ever kissed you. Miss Summit—Why don't you ask him? Miss Palisade—I have, and he says no.—Detroit Free Press.

It is well that there is a sort of sworn secrecy regarding what the particular man said when he proposed. It saves so many women from the embarrassment of confessing that they never had any proposals.—Philadelphia Press.

The joys of parents are secret, and so are their griefs and fears; they cannot utter the one, nor they will not utter the other. Children sweeten labor, but they make misfortune more bitter; increase the cares of life, but they mitigate the remembrance of death.

There are few wild beasts more to be dreaded than a talking man having nothing to say.

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TUESDAY, NOV. 28th

First appearance of W. H. ANDERSON, King of Scotch Character Comic. J. H. CAMERON, Humorous Entertainer. FLORA McIVER CRAIG, Soprano. GEO. W. GRANT, Tenor. F. BEATEN, Pipe Major 48th Highlanders.

Admission 25c, Reserved Seats 50c. Plan for Reserved Seats opens at the Rink.