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STRAYED-TWO IRON-GRAY PONIES, not broken, 3 years old, from Norwood Farm, adjoining Hellmuth Ladies' Col-lege. Reward for information. C. J. Mills, 184 King street. 50c

LOST-SABLE RUFF, DEC. 3, BE-TWEEN William and Pearl streets, Finder please leave at 218 Hamilton road. Reward.

WILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO TOOK away the wrong hat from the St. Andrew's dinner at the Tecumseh House, kindly leave it at The Advertiser office?
The hat was marked inside, Graham Bros.

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WANTED - COMMODIOUS APART-MENTS for traveling men's club; two or more rooms. Address Box 40, Ad-vertiser office.

WANTED-HOUSE OR COTTAGE, 6 TO 8 rooms, good large barn, small piece of land preferred. Send card to J. B. Cosens, Odell P. O. 44c-yty

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FOR SALE-BUILDING LOTS, NEAR new Normal School, Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 278 Ridout street.

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FOR SALE — TWO-STORY BRICK; slate roof, bath, w.c., and furnace; large lot. Must be sold. If you want a real good home for very little money, call on J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT-TWO-STORY brick residence of Francis Love, 24 Hope street, rear of Princess avenue school; gas, furnace, etc. Francis Love, police magistrate.

FARM FOR SALE-NEAR STRATHROY -75 acres. Good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

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TO LET-HOUSE, WITH STABLE. 392 Colborne street. Apply Fraser House.

TO LET-EXCELLENT SUITES OF offices, with vaults, in Fitzgerald block; most desirable location; premises remodeled and thoroughly refitted. Apply T. H. Luscombe or W. L. Fitzgerald, or the fitzgerald.

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TO LET-NO. 355 TALBOT STREET, Apply A. T. Parish, next door. 50c-ywt

TO LET-COTTAGE, \$8 50 PER MONTH.

TWO OFFICES, WITH VAULT, IN Albion Building, to let. Apply T. H. Carling, or H. & C. Colerick, on prem-

TO LET-HOUSE, NO. 29 PICTON street; double parlors, four bedrooms, furnace, bath, etc; central locality. Fraser & Moore, solicitors. 29tf

TWO-STORY HOUSE ON TALBOT

STORE WITH VAULT TO LET-IN
Albion Buildings; immediate possession.
Apply to T. H. Carling or H. & C.
Colerick, in building.

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Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates free.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty, 194 Hamilton road 'Phone 1.231.

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DR. W. S. WESTLAND, DENTIST—Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Block, Richmond street. 'Phone 960, Residence, 287 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 420,

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

don, Ontario, grocer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O., 1897, Chapter 129, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said George Shaw, who died on or about the 21st day of October, 1901, are requested to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to Andrew Greenlees, of the said City of London, solicitor for the administrator, on or before the 6th day of January, 1902, their names, addresses and descriptions and a full statement of the particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if

ny) held by them; and that after the id day the administrator will proceed distribute the effects of the deceased

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE George Shaw, late of the City of Lon-n, Ontario, grocer, deceased.—Notice is

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street, near Horton; rent moderate.
Apply 93 Horton street.

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LONDON, CANADA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1901.

WHOLE NO. 16450

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIET. JOHNSON-In this city, on Sunday morning, Dec. 8, 1901, Amy, the beloved wife of Philip Johnson, in her 32nd year. Funeral on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1901, at 3:30; service at 3 o'clock, from her sister's residence, Mrs. William Cook, 23 Mount Pleasant avenue, West Lon-don. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Inter-ment at Mount Pleasant cemetery.

GUILLEMONT-At rest, Melanie, beloved

AMUSEMENTS. LECTURES. ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion

Jas. H. Wallick's Scenic Production of the Great English Melodrama, "When London Sleeps." Popular prices: 50c, 85c and 25c.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 11. MR. HARRY GLAZIER. PRINCE In Otts Skinner's great play. Beautifully staged. Exceptional cast. \$1, 75c, 50c. 25c. Seats selling.

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 13, Charles McCarthy in the favorite drama, ONE THE BRAVEST. The famous fire scene, introducing the Arabian horses, the hose carriage and the steam fire engine. 50c, 35c and 25c. Seats on sale Wednesday.

Mat. & SATURDAY, DEC. 14 Mat. & Even's HE JOLLIEST AND CLEVEREST COMIC OPERA OF THE YEAR,

COMPANY OF 80. BURGOMASTER,

PRICES Matinee, \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Evening, \$1 50, \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Seat sale opens Thursday at 9 a.m. You'll Have to Hurry!

GRAND ORGAN RECITAL-ST. PAUL'S Cathedral, Tuesday, Dec. 17, at 4 p.m., by Gomph, official organist, Pan-Ameri-can Exposition, assisted by Gilbert enn, baritone soloist of Trinity Church

DURING THE WINTER MONTHS THE Allan, American and Cunard lines have first cabin berths at \$50, single passage from Halifax and New York to Liverpool. Second cabin and third class, very low rates. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

DANCING-ADVANCED CLASS, WED-NESDAY evenings. Register this week; number limited. Special rate, season tickets. Private tuition any hour. Day-ton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

MEETINGS.

SPECIAL MEETING OF BARBERS will be held on Thursday, Dec. 12, at 8:30, Sherwood Hall. Urgent business.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 20, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C.—A regular communica-tion of above lodge will be held this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 in Sherwood Hall. Visitors welcome. O. Ellwood, W. M.; M. D. Dawson, secretary. b

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE South London Liberal Club will be held in its rooms, 154 Bruce street, on Thursday evening, Dec. 12. All Liberals welcome. John Macpherson, president; James O. Weldon, secretary. 50u

MEETING OF IMPERIAL ORDER Daughters of the Empire and Children of Empire will be held Wednesday at 3 p.m. in art rooms of Public Library. A. B. Shaw-Wood, secretary. b

MYRTLE LODGE, K. OF P.-MEETING tonight, Albion block, Richmond street Degrees. C. G. Ellis, C. C.

A MEETING OF THE IRISH BENEVO-LENT Society will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m., in their rooms, Duffield block, corner Dundas rooms, Duffield block, corner Dundas and Clarence streets. A large attend-ance is requested. John Forristal, president; John Stevely, secretary. 49u

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TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 3,

Applications received to Dec. 18,
y John McVicar, secretary-treas-

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TO BE WITHOUT A PIANO

is to be destitute of one of the most important aids in the educa-tion and enjoyment of the mem-bers of your family and your friends. It is a necessary feature in every well-furnished home. Several very fine Nordheimer Pianos just placed in stock. These are of the new designs, and it is interesting to mark the quiet elegance and air of refinement about each piano, denoting it distinctly Pianos of several other makes also sold.

The Nordheimer Piano and Music Co 188 DUNDAS STREET.

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A Safe Rubber LOST- SATURDAY, LADY'S ALLIGA-

We Are Leaders in Safe Rubbers and Overshoes.

and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant cemetery.

3UILLEMONT—At rest, Melanie, beloved wife of the Rev. Charles B. Guillemont. Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1901, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Funeral private.

3 Kindly omit flowers.

49u

They are safe for you to buy because they LOOK WELL, FIT WELL AND WEAR WELL.

We keep all kinds and styles galore. Our prices are always the lowest, quality considered. Special makes in feather-weights, and the kind that fit the extension sale boots are here.

The railroad companies all know we import double the quantity of Rubbers and Overshoes over any other dealer in this city. Our styles and prices must be right to command the trade.

POCOCK BROS.

TRUNKS AND VALISES-

We sell the best qualities at the lowest prices. Keep all

AGENTS WANTED.

\$3 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR address and we will show you how to make \$3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your addres and we will explain the business fully. Remember we guarantee a clear profit of \$3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fall to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box 504, Windsor, Ont.

THREE AGENTS WANTED FOR THIS city at once; \$3 per day guarantee. Apply Postoffice Drawer 531, city. 91tf

FEMALE HELP WANTED. to per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GOOD WASHER WANTED EVERY fortnight, 185 St. James street. 50u WANTED-FOUR SALESWOMEN FOR the crockery trade. Must have experience. Apply to W. J. Reid & Co. 49u 45c-xtz bw Chatham, Ont. SALESLADIES!—WANTED AT ONCE, salesladies. Apply personally, Bayley's, 172 and 174 Dundas street. 49c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY-A GOOD laundress. Apply at Home for Incurables, Dundas street.

WANTED-LADIES TO COPY LET-TERS, evenings; good pay; inclose stamp. T., Box 144, Cleveland, O., U.S. WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL, servant. Apply Mrs. Butler, 290 Prin-cess avenue. 35tf

GIRLS FOR CANDY DEPARTMENT.
Apply immediately, McCormick Company.

WANTED TODAY-25 GIRLS, \$2 TO \$3 per week, housework; also agents, male and female. Lockhart, 442 Park avenue. 'Phone 964.

25 MORE GIRLS WANTED IMMEDI-ATELY. D. S. Perrin & Co. 29tf

ARTICLES FOR SALE. 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

SALE-PORTLAND CUTTER.

new last winter. Buffalo robe, 54x5 inches, best in city. Horse-hide robe 56 inches square. 125 Maple street. 50c CROWN VAPORIZER AND INHALER -Cures and relieves affections of the nose, throat and lungs. At T. C. Thornhill's, watchmaker and jeweler, 402 Tal-bot street, agent. Price, \$1.

50bc-ywt BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS in China Painting at Kennedy's Drug Store, Dundas street, Thursday, Friday

FOR SALE-ONE FIRST-CLASS WELSH pony and harness; also one extra fine driving horse, young and gentle. Apply J. A. Croden, Heintzman & Co., corner Dundes and Clarence streets Dundas and Clarence streets.

SKATES HOLLOW-GROUND WITH special machinery, at 15c a pair. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street, one door south G. T. R. station.

20 PER CENT OFF LADIES' FELT Hats and Mercerized Sateen Under-skirts. Astrachan Muffs, \$150, worth \$250. Also cheap furs and drygoods, at Cunningham's, 662 Dundas street.

FOR SALE — TEN PERMANENT shares of People's Building and Loan Society. Offers solicited. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont.

EXTENSION LADDERS, 20c A FOOT— Best on earth for cleaning eaves-troughs, placing storm windows, paint-ing, etc. Catalogue free. The Wag-goner Ladder Company, Limited, Lon-don Cott don, Ont.

THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co. 672 Bathurst street. WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 410 Horton street. Orders promptly attended to First-class work done Co., 673 Bathurst street.

BARGAINS AT ALFRED T. PARISH'S store in square and round baseburners and cook stoves. A large assortment of small coal and wood heaters. Mattresses, springs, bedroom suites and all household furniture taken in exchange for new, or sold cheap for cash. Parish, 357 Talbot street, three doors south of King.

WE HAVE A FEW DOZEN GOLD fountain pens left. Will close them out at less than half price, at 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1. P. Hendershott & Co., 427 Park

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK - 8.
bacon, 12½c per lb; sausage, 3 lbs, 25c;
bologna and headcheese, the best, 3 lbs,
25c; beef at 6c and 8c per lb, at Park's
old stand, 1 to 5 Market House. ywt THREE CANS SALMON, 25 CENTS; 6 lbs rice, 25c; peaches, 15c can; Gold Seal Baking Powder, 15c. Give us a call and save our coupons for beautiful present, at R. A. Ross', corner York and Thames streets.

LOOK AT OUR PRICES

Sirloin steak, 10c.
Best crock butter, 17c.
Finest pork sausage, 3 lbs for 25c.
At Park's, corner Market Lane. ywt

\$5.00 WILL BUY A \$6.50 EXTENSION table this week at Keene Bros., 127 King street, opposite Market House. \$1 20 WOOD-FOR TWO WEEKS WE will sell a load of dry mixed sawmill wood for \$1 20 cash. All kinds of coal and wood at the lowest cash prices. Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141

among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated this 3rd day of December, A. D. 1901.

A. GREENLEES,
Solicitor for the Administrator. SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100. on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

PUBLIC MUST TOR pocketbook, containing sum of money. Owner's name embossed inside. Reward, 39 Craig street. 49u BE PATIENT LOST - ON SATURDAY, SUM OF money, in bills. Liberal reward. 324 Wolfe street.

Slow Work Ridding South Africa of Guerrillas. PURSE LOST—THIS MORNING, IN Canadian Packing Company's office. Contained \$6 in bills and small change. Reward if returned to 192 Queen's avenue.

Kitchener Partitioning the Country Erzeroum, Turkey, Nov. 8 last, is conby Means of Blockhouses With Wire Connections.

Lord Bufferin Recovering Very Slow-Coal Trade Alarming.

London, Dec. 10 .- The correspondent ter. of the London Times, writing from Pretoria, says that much remains to be done in the way of partitioning the country by means of lines of blockthe large districts of the Eastern Transvaal. It is found that blockhouses a mile or more apart are useless in preventing the passage of Boers at night when they are determined to cross. Nothing short of blockhouses six or seven hundred yards apart, and connected by means of formidable wire entanglements will prove effective. To thread the country in this way requires time and men, but in the opinion of the military authorities it is the only method of dealing with an enemy who refuses to and adopts guerrilla tactics. The British public must therefore be patient. North of the Delagoa Railway line the Boers are momentarily free from the presence of British

Supplies are plentiful, and wheat, which finds its way all over the country, is carefully concealed for future use. It is impossible to avoid this unless the Boers are kept moving, and to effect this many more troops are re-

columns. The mountain ranges afford

endless hiding places for the enemy.

of a thousand men. THE CONCENTRATION CAMPS. Lord Onslow, parliamentary secre-BRICK HOUSE—ONE AND A HALF stories, 8 rooms, basement and stables. No. 5 Hamilton road. Also frame cottage, 270 Burwell street, 7 rooms. By auction at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 17, 1901, on the premises. D. H. Porter, auctioneer. 43i-2.6,10,13,16 tary of the colonial office, speaking at Crewe last Monday night, announced that the concentration camps in South Africa had now been placed under the control of the civil authorities, that no pains or expense would be spared place them in the healthiest possible condition, and that those concen-

trados wishing to go to the coast would be freely permitted to do so. MEMORIAL SERVICES. service in memory of the Jewish soldiers of the King who have fallen in South Africa was held in the Central Synagogue of London Sunday evening. Fully 300 troops were present. Rev. L. Cohen, Jewish chaplain to the forces, who preached the sermon, mentioned that fully two thousand Jews had fought in the Boer war, and 325 had figured in the casualty lists. As he read out the names of those who had fallen, the congregation emphasized the solemnity of the occasion by rising to their feet. The service was brought to a close by singing the Na-

tional Anthem. BRITAIN'S COAL TRADE. The situation in the British coal trade is causing a good deal of apprehension and there is a resumption of the outcry against the export tax, which formed so prominent a feature of Hicks-Beach's last budget. Coal exports have decreased by 158,000 tons during the first ten months of the present year, and the average number of days worked by the collieries has generally fallen off, while in most of the principal districts the supply is in excess of the demand. The iron inwhich annually accounts for from 35,000,000 to 40,000,000 tons a year, has greatly reduced its consumption. In the face of all this new collieries which were begun and old ones which were reopened during the boom last year are increasing their capacity, and there is every probability of a con-siderably larger quantity of coal being put on the market. Prices are five shillings below the high water mark of last year, and the tendency is to drop still lower.

THE CANAL TREATY. The London Times, in an editorial on the Hay-Pauncefote canal treaty, says it is hard to see how Great Britain could concede more without pretending to give what she did not possess, namely, the rights and incidents of territorial sovereignty. "That fact, however," says the Times, "would not weaken the objections of those senators anxious to oppose anything making for good relations with Great Britain. As President Roosevelt and

BUSINESS CHANCES. FOR SALE - BLACKSMITH SHOP, tools, house and lot; established business. Apply at once, Box 8, Blyth, Ont.

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE—DO-ING good trade; good sts d. Good reason for selling. Address Box 36, this

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Glasses, Fine Gold Jewelry,

At 2:30 and 8 p.m., at Jones' Auction Rooms. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

public opinion both seem to favor this treaty, we venture to hope that it will surmount the threatened obstruction." THE ROUTE SECURED.

Dr. Fernando Sanchez, Nicaraguan minister of foreign affairs, and Wm. L. Merry, United States minister to Ni-caragua, Salvador and Costa Rica, on Monday signed a treaty in which Nicaragua agrees perpetually to lease to the United States a section of Nicaraguan territory, six miles wide, which includes the route of the Nicaraguan canal.

THE ERZEROUM EARTHQUAKE On account of serious earthquakes in tained in a dispatch just received at the state department from Vice-Con-sul Ojalvo, at Erzeroum. Many houses were destroyed, 20 persons killed and 15 injured. Up to the time the dis-patch was forwarded there had been fourteen heavy shocks and a large number of lighter ones. Report has it ly-Details of Erzeroum Earth- that 200 houses have been destroyed quake - Condition of Britain's and a large number of others rendered uninhabitable. Consul Ojalvo evidentand a large number of others rendered ly forwarded his dispatch before the danger was entirely over. He asks the department to allow him to take his family to some safe place for the win-

LORD DUFFERIN'S ILLNESS. The London Times says it regrets to lear that the progress of the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava towards convalescence after his recent severe illness is houses before the British can hope ef- very slow. He is still confined to bed fectively to clear the Boers away from during a considerable part of the day.

VAN TETS LIVES. The Central News retracts its statement from Amsterdam, Dec. 6, to the effect that Major Van Tets, who was Winnett has long wanted very, very reported to have been wounded in a much to be "His Worship, the Mayor." duel with Prince Henry of the Netherlands, had died Dec. 5, saying it was a telegraphic error.

TRADE DULL. The London Times, in its financial article, says the trade returns for November are unsatisfactory, showing decreases in the values of both imports and exports. However, a great deal of this is due to the lower prices ruling. The decrease in imports equals 5.8 per cent, and that in exports of English and Irish produce 7.2 per cent. The coal shipments were less in quantity by 590,000 tons, equal-Ing 14.4 per cent. and in value by £1,-359,637, equaling 87.96 per cent. Coal shipped for the use of steamers shows

47 MILES IN 32 MINUTES. The promoters of the London and Brighton Electric Railway make the

an increase of 21,300 tons.

The most notable development in the Orange River Colony is the concentraconvey passengers 47 miles in 32 mintion under Dewet, south of Heilbron, utes. The suggested length of the tunneling is enormous. It is proposed that there shall be fourteen tunnels, with a total of 191/2 miles. The scheme is looked upon as an interesting but costly experiment.

A PIG IN CLOVER. Miss Emily Hampton, of Nazeing, was summoned on Friday for keeping a pig in a manner dangerous to health. The nuisance inspector found the pig occupying the whole of one room in the house of the defendant. The animal was lying between clean sheets on a feather bed, covered with white lace counterpane, with his head resting on a pillow. The room was furnished like the usual parlor, and there were illuminated texts on the walls. The inspector said further that found the defendant kneeling at the bedside and kissing the pig and calling it a naughty boy, because it had eaten a small portion of its pillow. Miss Hampton pleaded that she had educated the pig as a Christian. She had reared it from infancy. young it used to occupy the sofa. It had always asked to be let out when it wanted to take fresh air. It never kicked the clothes off the bed, and was quiet and peaceable. Ladies and gentlemen came in carriages to see it. The magistrate gave Miss Hampton

six weeks in which to find fresh lodgings. RAN AMUCK. A sentry belonging to an Indian regiment stationed at Pekin ran amuck and killed two of his comrades. A company of Punjab infantry was at once turned out to secure him. In the meantime the sentry had been shot by German troops, who then opened fire on the Punjabies. A free fight ensued in which three German privates were killed and a German officer mortally wounded, while three of the Indian troops were killed and several were wounded. The German troops have been confined to their barracks until further orders. BOOKMAKER VS. BOOKKEEPER.

Thomas Peterson Goudie, ex-bookkeeper of the Bank of Liverpool; "Dick" Burge, pugilist, and F. T. Kelly, bookmaker, of Bradford, were sums of money. The public knows arranged at the Bow street police how well the city's interests were looked Bank frauds. Goudie admitted he had forged checks, but disputed the aggregate amount. Counsel said he would be able to prove that after Kelly had "milked" Goudie to the extent of £72,-000. Burge got wind of the situation, conjunction with Lawrie Marks, the American bookmaker, who is said to have committed suicide, and James Mances, a bookmaker known on the American tracks, decided not to leave Goudie in the hands of The trio therefore dispatched Mances to interview Goudie, with the result that they accumulated £91,000. of which Burge received one-half, Mances one-third and Marks one-

PRINCESS CHIMAY VISITS OLD HAUNTS.

Paris, Dec. 10.-A fashionable crowd supping at Paillard's the other night had a mild sensation when a swarthy beau left his companion, went over to the Tzigane orchestra and whispered to the leader, who promptly handed over his violin and seat. The musi-cians struck up a wild Hungarian melody and the audience cheered with great glee. It has recognized in the amateur conductor Rigo, who had been supping quietly with the former Princess Chimay on the scene of their first meeting.

CABLE NOTES. It is denied that Japan has given up Corean claims to please Russia. Rumors are afloat that Pope Leo and the King of Italy may soon be completely reconciled.

This is cattle show week in London.

The King is an exhibitor. The Bolivian congress is discussing in secret session the proposal from Britain to hand the administration of the Acre territory to an English syn-

The porte has been asked by the Cramps to send over officers to supervise the construction of a cruiser which the firm is ready to build for the

MAYORALTY CANDIDATES

Definite Developments in the Municipal Game.

Parnell and Winnett Will Probably Oppose Each Other.

Mr. Birtwistle Is Still in the Field-The Possibility of a Four Cornered Fight.

The vaporings of municipal gossip

the one exception, that of Mr. Peter

Birtwistle's candidature. It was understood, of course, that others had heart-cravings to sit as the presiding inated, you know. genius of the council chamber, but their modesty or discretion forbade definite announcements. It was known by everybody, for instance, that Ald. It is common talk that he would have liked to run two years ago, feeling then that the appointed hour had come, but was persuaded to the contrary when a strong candidate loomed up in the person of Mayor Rumball. Then the exigencies of municipal life necessitated a second term for the mayor, and Ald. Winnett had to curb his ambitions for another year. Now however, he believes that he sees his chance and has decided to grasp it. A week or two ago, he said to the Advertiser that he had not decided to ing cable was received by Sir Wilfrid run, but was waiting to be asked. He said that if an influential body of citi-Laurier today:

zens came to him and told him how much they would like him to run, he | ter." would, perhaps. Individual citizens had asked him, but he wanted the influential body. Well, the influential body didn't come, so Ald. Winnett decided that the individual citizens were enough. The truth of the matter was, he wanted to run, his intentions were to run, and influential body or no, he was going to run. So at last he has said that he is definitely in the field.

He rests his claim for the public suf-frage upon his service and sacrifice to the public interest. If service and sacrifice don't pull votes, then he can't help it. He has given the people a chance to show their gratitude and it's their fault, not his, if they don' take advantage of it. It was said at the City Hall today

ing the contest, helped Ald. Winnett to make up his mind and quench the public's thirst for information as to his intentions. It has been understood for some time that strong pressure had been brought to bear upon the popular South Londoner, to offer himself for the office. Whether or not he would do so was a matter for conjecture. He told the Advertiser today just where he stood in the matter. The rumors, he said, that he had been approached influential citizens was well founded. Many prominent business men had asked him to run, and, he added, you may say that I am seriously considering their request. To a large extent it depends upon how I can arrange my business affairs. If I went into it. would want to be in a position to fill the office advantageously to the city and creditably to myself. If I can arrange my affairs suitably, I will entertain the proposition very seriously." It may be said that his friends confidently expect Ald. Parnell to run, and maintain that his long municipal experience and ability, justify any desire he may have to be next year's mayor. They point to the fact that he has had an experience of local affairs that extends, with one year excepted, from 1891 to the present time. During these years he has served the city as chairman of No. 1 committee, twice chairman of No. 3 committee, and twice chairman of the board of works. He was also chairman of two of the most important sub-committees of the council that have been appointed during the past decade-the sewerage committee and the Western Fair grounds and building committee, each of which controlled the expenditure court in connection with the Liverpool after in both cases. Ald. Parnell has shown himself to be a careful and capable administrator of the affairs of the city, and if it should be that he will run, as his friends hope and expect, he will be a very strong candi-

that the rumor of Ald. Parnell enter-

Ald. Parnell and Ald. Winnett will not be alone in the campaign. As already announced in these columns, Mr. votes in particular—the more he gets. the merrier, Grit, Tory, Socialist, What he wants is a chance to apply his theories of business to the management of the City Hall. Socialists meet tonight, and it

is likely that they will then decide whether they will put a candidate in the field. In all probability they will. Although, as matters stand here present, they feel that the vote would be enormously against them, it is their policy, as part of their educational propaganda, to have a representative run. So far they have neither decided whether they will enter the campaign nor who would carry their banner in case they did. However, the their cause to drop into the background and will undoubtedly grasp this chance of presenting their views to the peo-

In some quarters Ald. Cooper is still considered among the possibilities. Two things tended to bring about his en-tering of the lists. The first was his election at the beginning of this year. He was quite tickled at being among the twelve chosen by the whole people. was quite natural for his favorite fourth ward to elect him, but to be elected by the people at Jarge could surely mean nothing else than his eligibility for the mayoralty. The se ond influence was his feud with Ald Winnett. To defeat his old antagonist in the accomplishment of his scheme, and at the same time gratify a natural and laudable ambition, would indeed be joy. But there is one thing, if no other, that will keep Ald Cooper

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from running-the possibility of defeat. regarding the mayoralty are now solid- under Parnell or even Winnett than He would much rather be an alderman ifying into definite shape. Heretofore an ex-alderman, and it will likely turn all has been more or less vague-with out that nomination day will Cooper among the nominees for alderman. He may be nominated for mayor and have the pleasure of withdrawing, and if one cannot be mayor, it's something to be able to say you were nom-

GREATLY BETTER!

Sir Wilfrid Receives Good News From Lord Strathcona.

A Jailbreaking Burglar Nabbed Just in the Nick of Time.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 10.-The follow-

"Lord Strathcona is decidedly bet-

NABBED-NONE TOO SOON. Charles Smith and James Martin. two notorious burglars from the United States, were caught in Bryson & Graham's departmental store a few weeks agoafter bursting two safes with dynamite. They were waiting their trial in jail here. Early this morning Martin was caught in the corridor of the jail, having sawn the door of his prison cell. How he got the saw is a mystery. A more crestfallen man than Martin when the guard got him was

BRICKLAYERS' UNION ELECT OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Was Held in the Union's Rooms Last Night.

The annual meeting of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 5, was held last evening at their hall in the Albion block. The following officers were elected: President, W. J. Nutkins; vice-president, F. Northy; corresponding secretary, H. Rymill; financial secretary, J. England; treasurer, T. Beer; conductor, J. Hardy; warden, W. Battensby; deputy-warden, J. Burgess; alternate deputy warden, J. Feeney; trustees, H. Kerr, J. Hardy, S. Baker; executive board, A. Bending, Isaac Clark, Ed. Halliday, J. Smith; auditors, J. Banks, W.

Young. The corresponding secretary, H. Rymill, was elected as delegate to attend at the 36th annual convention of the B. and M. I. U., commencing on Monday, Jan. 13, at Pittsburg, Pa.

LITTLE INTEREST IN TOWNSHIP POLITICS

Lobo Will Probably Return Its Representatives by Acciamation.

So little active interest is being taken yet in the coming township elections throughout the county that there is not much to be gleaned as yet in the way of ante-election news. The fact that there is no election for the county council necessarily takes away one source of interest in the Peter Birtwistle will surely run. He municipal contests. In Lobo the townsays that he caters to no class of ship offices will probably go by acclamation, the electors being seemingly satisfied with the present holders. In Caradoc Reeve Lamont is retiring, and Councilor Faulds is out for the honor, but it is not known whether he will have opposition or not. In Westminster a lively contest for reeve is promised, Reeve Cousins retiring and Councilors Brown, McDougall and Lit-

tle all being after the office. CHANCELLOR OF TRINITY. Toronto, Ont., Dec. 10.—Christopher Robinson, K.C., has been elected chancellor of Trinity University, and has

accepted the honor Thomas Underwood has been elected mayor of Calgary.

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