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- Advance and Toronto morning World, Daily.....\$2.55
- Advance and Montreal Star.....1.80
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- Advance and Youths' Companion (new).....2.35
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DOT'S CORNER.

Echoes From Toronto

THE MENDELSSOHN CHOIR

I had never been in Massey Hall before, so it was with mingled interest I looked forward to the Mendelssohn Choir concert of Tuesday evening. We took our seats just as Mr. Vogt, with conscious pride and importance shining all over his bald head and dominating his roly poly little figure, paced across the stage in front of his adoring choir. After bowing his acknowledgements to the acclamations of the vast audience filling to overflowing pit, gallery and gods, he mounted his stool, placed midway between two Steilway Grands, lifted his magic baton and the concert had commenced.

The two hundred men and women who rose to the sway of that baton, with a rattle like the wind in distant tree tops, were arranged very attractively, the black cats in one solid triangle whose base tapered up to the back of the stage, while the gleaming white silks and satins were massed up its two sides and across the front of the stage.

Never did the members of a chorus respond with greater precision to a conductor's baton: perfect familiarity with their work and confidence in themselves and their leader characterized them. This with the tenor solos of Wm. H. Rieger and the piano playing of Fannie Bloomfield-Zeisler, conspired to make this concert in the opinion of many competent judges, the best thing of its kind ever produced in Toronto.

A friend of Rieger's said to him before the concert, "you are going to hear some singing to-night." Now Mr. Rieger, being a New Yorker, answered skeptically: "Oh, I often am told things like that when I sing in these little country towns." But he looked up his friend next day to tell him that he never in his life heard the equal in chorus singing. Quite a tribute this, from a member of the Apollo club of New York—said to be the finest male choir on this continent! Mrs. Fanny Zeisler was equally commendatory. And it was indeed marvelous—the absence of all cheap effects, the crisp attack, the quality of tone produced and the admirable maintenance of pitch, which never dropped a hair's breadth in the unaccompanied numbers.

We are not at all surprised that Mr. Vogt began at 7 o'clock on Wednesday morning and continued most of the day glued to the phone, receiving congratulations on the immense artistic and financial success of his concert.

Of course while the chorus was grand, and Wm. Rieger's tender and conscientious rendering of his Italian and German love songs were warmly received, the chief event of the evening was the piano playing of Zeisler. An Austrian by birth but an American by adoption, this dark-haired lady has achieved while yet young the distinction of being numbered among the half dozen or so truly great pianists of the world. Every woman will know how to sympathize with her in first, being snow-bound all day in a railway carriage, and secondly in the fact that as her baggage did not get through, she could not appear in concert costume. This, however, far from detracting from her success, seemed to some of us to single her out more completely, to render her virtuosity more conspicuous, and to accentuate a naturally modest and unassuming manner—a modesty only seen in the truly great.

It was easy to dispense with external finery as her velvety tones crept in our ears, it was easy to forget that she wore no jewels, when her playing seemed to sparkle with them. But then! it is no use trying to express my delight and satisfaction with Mrs. Zeisler's playing. Plain everyday prose won't do when speaking of such musical perfection as hers; the rest of the world can only be thankful that there are such gifted people who have the patience to practice the self-denial necessary to the perfecting of these gifts. Dot.

Chesley, Feb. 17.—At 7.30 o'clock this morning the boiler in Messrs. Moore & Wallace's sash and door factory here exploded. Fortunately no one was in the building at the time, all the hands having left a few minutes before for breakfast. The force of the explosion was so great the whole building was torn into atoms, and parts of the boiler were found over 100 yards distant from the ruins. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by the feed pipe to the boiler having become frozen. The loss will be slightly over \$2000.

IN REMEMBRANCE

Of Miss Aggie Carr, who died in Flesherton, Feb. 6th, 1896.

Gone in her youth is our dearly loved sister. Gone, we believe, to the realms of the blest: Where, in the pleasure of God and our Saviour, Each sanctified soul enjoys perfect rest.

Trying to walk in the footsteps of Jesus, Trying to follow her Saviour and King: Faithful in duty, her efforts to serve Him Cannot fail the reward of the faithful to bring.

Freed from this world with its sin and its sorrow, Freed from its cares, disappointments and strife: Safe in the arms of a dear, loving Saviour, Oh! who, if they could, would recall her to life?

Not even her lone, aged parents (God bless them), For they are assured that their loss is her gain: And the God, whom they worship, will guide and sustain them.

Yes, He who has promised, will faithful remain. For, tho' He may wound, He will send consolation.

And, with every trial, give grace to endure; 'Tis but a proof of His love that He chastens. In this infinite love, may their hearts rest secure.

And, too, may we all live closer to Jesus, Walking in righteousness, mercy and love, Shaping our lives by His blessed example, Strong in the strength that is ours from above. M. H.

The Spring Assizes

The first case called was that of Queen vs. James Howey and Samuel Lowrey, charged with assault and wounding. The case had been left over from the fall assizes, when the jury disagreed on a verdict. The following jury were impanelled: Jonathan Latimer, Jas. Buckingham, Jno. Lawrence, W. J. Richardson, William Thompson, George Alexander, Wm. Kennedy, Wm. Long, Robt. Noble, Wm. Mountain, Jas. Watson, Jonathan Huddle. The jury retired at 5.45, and after an absence of three hours brought in a verdict of not guilty. The prisoners were then allowed out on bail until the charge of conspiracy was called. MacKay & Hutton for the crown, Jas. Masson Q. C. for the private prosecutor, Tucker & Patterson for Samuel and A. B. Alysworth H. C. for Jas. H. Howey.

KEER v. McMURCHY—This was an action for libel. The parties live in the township of Collingwood, and are well known as they served in the township council for a number of years. The plaintiff alleged that the defendant had libelled him in a letter which was published in the Thornbury Standard. The letter compared him to the boodling aldermen who were tried by Judge McDougall. The Judge advised that the matter be dropped by the defendant publishing an apology. They could not agree and the case went to the jury. Several witnesses were called, some treated the letter as a random joke and others paid no attention to it. The Jury brought in a verdict of \$150 for the plaintiff. A. B. Alysworth and Masson and Evans for the plaintiff, and H. C. Clute for the defendant.

WEDNESDAY

QUEEN v. BEATON—The prisoner was charged with having administered poison to a child three years old, and thereby almost causing death. Beaton pleaded not guilty. Mr. A. G. McKay explained the matter to the jury but his lordship held that there was no cause for criminal action to be taken against the prisoner. He then directed them to find the prisoner not guilty. County Crown Attorney MacKay for the crown, Tucker & Patterson for the prisoner.

ARMSTRONG v. ROBINSON—Slander. The parties live in M. lancton and are neighbors of Mrs. Armstrong accused the defendant with having called her offensive epithets in the presence of her daughter. The defence alleged that Mrs. Armstrong had insulted him instead. The jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff McKay & Hutton for the plaintiff and Lucas & Wright for the defendant.

Jas. H. Howey and Samuel Lowrey were charged with conspiracy in connection with the assault which had been committed on Dr. Bull. Mr. MacKay said the crown did not wish to press the matter as they had been acquitted on the charge of assault. Mr. Wm. Norton, one of the bail sureties, was called and identified Messrs. Howey and Lowrey, and they were then discharged.

SMITH vs. BARBER—breach of promise. The plaintiff sued for \$1,000 damages from the defendant breaking the engagement to marry the plaintiff. The defendant claimed that he had given her a watch with the understanding that the engagement would be declared off. The jury awarded the plaintiff \$500. MacKay & Hutton for the plaintiff, and Tucker & Patterson for the defendant.

WONOWSKI vs. HAMPTON. This was an action for assessment of damages for seduction. The defendant was not present and the case was postponed in order to summon him, MacKay & Hutton for the plaintiff.

VANWICK v. C. P. R.—Action for injuries received at crossing. Verdict for plaintiff for \$700 and costs.

The Markets.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Flour.....	\$4 00 to \$4 50
Oats.....	22 to 23
Peas.....	50 to 50
Butter.....	13 to 13
Eggs, fresh.....	15 to 15
Potatoes bag.....	30 to 30
Pork.....	4 00 to 5 00
Hay per ton.....	15 00 to 16 00
Hides.....	4 00 to 5 00
Sheepskins.....	25 to 50
Geese.....	5 to 5
Turkeys.....	7 to 7
Chickens per pair.....	20 to 25
Ducks per pair.....	40 to 50
Wool.....	20 to 24

Time Table.

GOING SOUTH.	
Markdale—6.40 a. m.	4.40 p. m.
Flesherton—6.53 a. m.	4.53 p. m.
GOING NORTH.	
Flesherton—11.48 a. m.	9.17 p. m.
Markdale—12.04 p. m.	9.30 p. m.



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