

of \$1 on each member. This should be sent the treasurer without delay as it is hoped to order the medal by April 1.

The recipient of the medal will be chosen by a vote of the faculty and will be presented with it Commencement night.

Before a select audience, Mrs. A. S. Callahan, Mrs. A. R. Jones at the piano, rendered a charming selection of old English, German and miscellaneous songs last Friday evening at the Highland Park club. Her "Plantation Melody" by Clutsum was an appreciable feature of an exceedingly enjoyable evening. As part of the program the Highland Park Dramatic club presented "The Case of Sophronia" by Margaret Cooke. This was an exceptionally clever little two act college piece and was a marked hit. The dramatic recital by Miss Ethel Turnley in the title role made a marked impression. Others in the cast were the Misses Praul, Salem, Morgan and Pacey together

entertainment.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

"The Gay White Way" will come to the Garrick theater for a limited engagement, May 3rd, following Nazimova in her repertoire. Jefferson de Angelis, Alexander Carr and Blanche Ring are in the cast. "The Flower of the Rancho" will be the summer attraction at popular prices. This piece recently made a great hit at the West End Theater in New York.

Two seasons ago when the "Rose of the Rancho" was first produced at the Majestic theater, Boston, little Frances Starr was an unknown actress, whose little reputation rested on some careful stock experience and a season with David Warfield. Today Miss Starr as the star of the same play is probably known from coast to coast. That is the Belasco method.

J. Harry Benrimo who was for many years a favorite stock actor on the Pacific coast. He was one of the original members of the now famous Alcazar Stock company when that organization was formed some eighteen or twenty years ago. From the Alcazar company Mr. Benrimo went directly to the David Belasco farce and he has remained with Mr. Belasco constantly since that time. Mr. Benrimo is now playing an important part in "The Rose of the Rancho."

In David Belasco's play, "The Rose of the Rancho," there is given a realistic picture of that famous mission in California which provided the inspiration for the wonderful picture, so well known in engravings, "The Shadow of the Cross." In the portico of this Mission at evenide the sun's rays fall in such a way as to throw the figure of a perfect cross over the threshold.

"THE SECRETARY" AT RAVINIA THEATER.

Last Saturday evening at Ravinia Theater the production of "The Secretary," a two act musical comedy by Messrs. Lowrie and Prior of this city, was presented.

Generally speaking, it was the best Mr. Lowrie has produced here. The audience was large and was very responsive. The entertainment was presented under the auspices of the Commercial Club.

The story of the play is about a southern academy which is turned into a seeming matrimonial bureau by a combination of events. The play hinges on the attempts of "Willie Hawkshaw" (the secretary) to pre-

vent the union of Violet Lea, one of the pupils of the academy, and a fortune hunting German baron.

Particular mention should be made of Mr. Lowrie, Willie the secretary, of Mr. Prior, as the Professor of the academy, of Miss Joy Miller and Miss Alice Evans for solo work of more than ordinary excellence, and of Mr. Henry K. Coale for his realistic impersonation of Dinah the negro cook.

It is understood the Commercial Club plans to repeat the performance later in the year.

For the benefit of those who were unable to attend the performance, Mr. Lyman Prior has had printed in an attractive form, four of the most popular songs. These retail for 50c and will be placed on sale shortly.

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"Father," said the small boy, "what is an optimist?" "An optimist, my son, is a man who believes the weather bureau when its predictions are favorable, and who congratulates himself on its unreliability when they are not."

tle boy or girl tell me the difference between flowers and weeds? What are flowers? What are weeds? "Weeds," said Walter, who had been struggling with the sorrel in his mother's garden, "are the ones that don't grow, and flowers are the ones that don't."

On the 17th of March two girls were overheard talking in a restaurant. "I am perfectly sure it is Saint Patrick's Day they are celebrating," said one. "You're much mistaken," returned the other. "It is Evacuation Day. I know because there is a monument up on Dorchester Heights that tells all about it, and there isn't a single word on the monument about Saint Patrick."

Lawyer: "As your husband died intestate, you will, of course, get a third." Widow: "Oh, I hope to get my fourth. He was my third, you know."

The teacher was trying to explain the difference between good conduct and bad. "Good actions," she explained, "are the lovely flowers. Bad ones are the weeds. Now can any lit-

The Atlanta Georgian has become unduly excited over the report that the Philippines have a tribe of wild men who are poets. Possibly they are merely wild because their manuscripts are continually rejected. We have some of those in this country too.