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THE CITY'S THEATRES

"THE ONLY GIRL" AT THE GRAND WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Cyril Maude in "Grumpy" To-night—"The Campbells Are Coming," a Fine Photo-drama at Griffin's.

Something new and unusual in musical comedies is "The Only Girl." So many musical comedies that come along are merely so in name, but in "The Only Girl" which was presented at the Grand Opera House Wednesday night before a large audience there is real music, real comedy and real singers to sing and real actors to act.

Above all, these are connected with a genuine musical theme and an intelligent plot, and the result is an evening's entertainment of unbroken pleasure.

Perhaps this is only to be expected when Victor Herbert wrote the music and Henry Blossom the book, because both are delightful. The story of "The Only Girl" is familiar to many, but with the music it is invested with a warmth and fascination that is altogether enchanting.

As to the very adept group of people who formed the company, to them every praise is due. Most striking is the very high standard of the singing. Ruth Thorp, as Ruth Wilson, the composer, is very clever and bewitching, and she sings with a voice that has great range and color. This is instantly apparent when she sings "When You're Away" in the opening act.

Miss Marjorie Carson as "Patsy," the soprano, sings in a very winning way, and besides she dances most delightfully. Ellen Crane, Lydia Crane and Adele Hassan as the three wives prove themselves admirable singers. William McNaughton, as Kim, has a fine appearance with a splendid voice and ability as an actor to go with it. Harry Luckstone, Richard Thompson and William Lennox as the three pals are most excellently suited for their parts. There is also Theodore Kehrwald as Saunders, a most appealing characterization.

Great Photo Drama at Griffin's.

There was a large audience at Griffin's last night to see the great photo drama entitled "The Campbells Are Coming," depicting scenes in the Indian Mutiny of 1857 and the relief of Lucknow garrison by Havelock's Highlanders, the Campbells. For a real old-fashioned battle scene this photo drama takes the cake. Fighting in the open and behind hastily constructed barricades, the storming of the walls, Sepoys falling from horses at full gallop and also tumbling off the city walls during the assault, are some of the sensational and historical scenes of the play, which is probably the most vivid war picture ever produced. The march of the Campbells over the hills of India to the relief of Lucknow is a grand scene. The pipers head the long columns of Highland riflemen and the sound of the pipes brings joy to the hearts of the hard-pressed and weary defenders. The picture enthused the audience. It will be shown again this afternoon and tonight at Griffin's.

St. Patrick's Day.

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day in a fitting manner by attending the excellent attraction at the Grand Opera House matinee and night under the auspices of the United Irish Societies. The programme includes: Irish melodies, "Come Back to Erin," "The Last Rose of Summer," "Wearing of the Green," "Oft in the Stilly Night," "Kerry Dance," "St. Patrick's Day," "Norah Crean," "As Long as the Shamrock Grows Green," "A Little Bit of Heaven," "Strains From Kiltara," "The Great Irish Play in three acts," "The Wild Irish Rose," will also be on the bill. Miss Katherine Hart will sing "That's How the Shannon Flows," "Killarney," "Aileen Allanna," and other Irish songs. James Finerman, "The Boy From Galway," an Irish singing and dancing comedian, will sing some Irish songs and do some sensational high staturary pedestal and clog dancing. Mr. Finerman is considered one of the best Irish comedians now travelling. Some of the most beautiful scenes from Erin's Green Isle will be shown, accompanied by a descriptive lecture. Many other good features will also be presented.

"The White Feather."

The seat sale for "The White Feather," return engagement on Saturday, matinee and night, opened at the box office of the Grand this morning and had a steady line of purchasers. It will be good news to theatre-goers of Kingston and vicinity to know that this play will soon be with us again. "The White Feather" has rushed straight into the heart of everybody. Here is a wonderful play, presented in so even a key, that the effect is overwhelming. What a perfect sumptuous relief to spend a couple of hours at a theatre in an atmosphere of life, of reality. To get away from the trickery of the stage from cut and dried situations, from mock heroes, to live with a set of clean cut characters and to dwell among comrades—could anything be more pleasing! All this happens when you see "The White Feather."

The man who does things works with his hands and plans with his brains to-day for the work of tomorrow. Sometimes what has a right to be called good society is not backed up by a surplus of money.

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Two Different Assessments Of The County Municipalities

The following tables show the difference in the assessment of the Frontenac municipalities by the township councils and the County Council, the assessment by the latter being higher and nearer the real assessable value:

Table with 3 columns: Municipality, Township Assessment, County Assessment. Lists municipalities like Barrie, Bedford, Clarendon and Miller, etc.

GERMAN FOOD SHORTAGE BECOMES ACUTE.

Traveller Says Every Cat and Dog Has Been Consumed.

London, March 16.—There is a changed atmosphere here from semi-depression to buoyant optimism that is remarkable. The public is again discussing and forecasting an early end of the war. This ultra-cheerfulness, while exaggerated, is not without cause.

Despatches from every neutral European country emphasize the effect the German triple check at Verdun is having upon the Hun policy. Returned visitors from Germany continue to bring stories of great distress.

"There is not a cat or dog left in Germany. They have all been eaten," said one returned Dutchman. These accounts require accepting observers fresh from Berlin say that, while the shortage of food is growing, there is not actual hunger.

One sign of a growing shortage is that the supply of food issued to prisoners of war has markedly deteriorated during the past two months.

Baking a Watch.

Only the best made chronometer would ever survive the tests made at the Royal observatory, Greenwich. Usually, there are about 200 watches under examination for use in the royal navy. On certain occasions there is a complete trial of chronometers open to all makers who have sufficient confidence in their watches being able to withstand the severity of the tests. During the competition the watches are exposed to every possible variation of temperature. They are baked in furnaces sufficiently hot to cook a joint. In fact, so great is the heat that a badly made watch has been known to tumble to pieces during the baking test. The moment a watch is taken out of the oven it is plunged into mixtures registering 40 degrees of frost. To such perfection has the manufacture of some chronometers attained that even the most stringent tests fail to cause the slightest variation.—London Telegraph.

Making Pastel Colors.

The lack of permanency of pastel pictures is largely due, according to Birge Harrison, to the bad quality of the materials employed. Unscrupulous manufacturers dip sticks of white chalk into liquid baths of brilliant but ephemeral dyes, and pictures produced with these soon fade. Writing in Art and Progress, Mr. Harrison says artists should make their own pastels, a process that is very easy.

"The materials used," he says, "are precipitated chalk mixed with the best dry powdered colors in the proportions necessary to produce the various tints desired. This impalpable powder is moistened to the consistency of a thick paste by the addition of an extremely dilute solution of gum tragacanth and water. It is then very thoroughly kneaded and finally pressed or rolled into sticks of the desired size."

Dogs in Moccasins.

After the first severe freeze at the beginning of winter a band of prospectors working in northern Canada found themselves on the wrong side of a lake over a hundred miles wide, on the other side of which was the winter headquarters.

They were without any means of transportation other than a boat in which was stored all their belongings and provisions. Hiring a halfbreed with his dog team, they put runners under the boat and made their way easily and safely across the smooth miles of frozen water, helping along the dogs by setting a sail on the boat. To protect the feet of the dogs from the hard surface of the ice small moccasins of buckskin, well padded, were provided for each.

Greece Only an Oligarchy.

Greece, as many people do not know, is a country managed by 500 families who hate one another like poison in true classic Greek fashion. The peasants, the back drivers and the fishermen talk radical politics all day long, but when election day comes they vote for a member of one of these big aristocratic families, namely, "best" in the Greek sense—families. A republic for Greece would mean anarchy, chaos, World's Work.

Bored Audience.

"Mr. Jaggs never opened his mouth while his wife was entertaining our guests the other night." "Oh, yes, he did several times." "I didn't hear him. What did he say?" "Nothing. He yawned."

EXTRAORDINARY NOTE

BY THE PROVINCIAL AUDITOR IN PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Differences Likely Over the Hydro-Electric Commission's Statements—Expenses of Government House.

Toronto, March 16.—Prominent among the plights in Mr. Rowell's speech on the budget were the following:

Mr. Rowell drew attention to an extraordinary note by the auditor in this year's public accounts following the Hydro Electric statement as follows: "The foregoing statement was prepared by the Hydro Electric Power Commission and does not represent the accounts of the Commission as audited by the Audit Office." It is easy to foresee that much more will be heard during the session about this note. Mr. Rowell pointed out how deeply interested the people of Ontario were in the Hydro; how anxious they were for its success and how dear to their hearts was the power project. All the more, therefore, were they anxious to get the fullest statement and the most correct information in regard to the Hydro accounts. Year after year the Government had refused to bring down the details of Hydro expenditures as is done in other branches of the service and now this year comes the amazing note from the auditor to the effect that the Hydro statement did not represent the accounts of the Commission as audited by the audit office.

Mr. Rowell vigorously assailed the expenditure on Government House. In 1912 the Government's estimate of the total expenditure was \$400,000. Already a million dollars have been spent, with another \$172,000 to be spent this year. "Not only is the expenditure in itself extravagant and undemocratic," said Mr. Rowell, "but there is this inexplicable discrepancy between the original estimate and the actual cost."

Mr. Rowell also pointed out that the statement of receipts and expenditures as presented in the public accounts, was not the auditor's statement at all, but one prepared by the treasury board, controlled by the Government itself. "If we had an auditor's statement," declared Mr. Rowell, "the treasurer would have had to show us a deficit rather than a surplus on the year's transactions."

Mr. Rowell declared that if the Government in preceding years had followed the advice of the Opposition and had been economical in the expenditure of public money they would have been able to meet the expenses in connection with the war without having to levy any extra tax at all for that purpose.

Brockville, March 16.—The present conflict in this province over bilingual schools is to be deplored. Unity should be the watchword, but how can there be such while unfair demands are made by any class of people? We believe in equal rights for our French brethren, but no special privileges to any.

Such was the context of the proposition on the school question of H. A. Graham, of Kingston, Grand Master of the Black Chapter of Ontario East, in his opening address at the annual meeting of this branch of the Orange Order. He also made a flattering reference to the very large number of Sir Knights who had responded to the call for overseas service with the Canadian troops and took pride in the fact that the Orange Order stood loyal to the core in the fight for freedom. The reports of the grand officers showed that substantial progress had been made with a big increase in membership and in the number of new preceptories instituted.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

They Will Be Held During Second Week in May.

Ottawa, March 16.—Notice is given in the Canada Gazette that general competitive examinations for entrance into the civil service will be held at the usual points throughout Canada this spring during the week beginning May 5th. Applications to take these examinations must be filed with the Civil Service Commission before the 15th of April. During the coming fiscal year there will be vacancies for thirty clerkships for men and twenty clerkships for women in the third division, and thirty positions as stenographers and typists; fifteen clerkships for men in the second division, and for a staff of fifty temporary female clerks, beginning about the middle of June, for the compilation of the census returns of the Prairie Provinces. Initial salaries for these latter clerkships will be \$500 per annum.

His Capable Hands.

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MANY ORANGEMEN WITH THE TROOPS. Grand Master of Black Chapter Deplores Bilingual Agitation.

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THIS WILL INTEREST STOMACH SUFFERERS

Says Indigestion comes from an excess of hydrochloric acid.

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble, and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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ability, Lord Montague made a success of various enterprises connected with motoring, and it was a very good move on the part of the Government to appoint him Inspector of mechanical transport vehicles. His democratic ideas are shared by his eldest daughter, the Hon. Helen Cecil Douglas-Scott-Montague, who, as Miss Elaine Cecil has won quite a name for herself on the stage.

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