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PAGANINI AT GRAND

GEORGE ARLISS IS A GREAT CHARACTER ACTOR.

An Interesting Story Which Centres Around the Life of An Italian Wizard of the Violin.

In "Paganini," at the Grand last night, George Arliss demonstrated that he is to-day without a peer as a character actor. His work all through the play was refined and deeply human. It was the opinion of many that he was even more powerful in this than in "Disraeli." A good-sized audience was present, and every one enjoyed it. While "Paganini" is not a play that would appeal to the average theatregoer, it is one in which every character is a study, and one which grips the attention of the audience from start to finish. The story is one of the eighteenth century, and centres around Paganini, an Italian wizard of the violin, a man who lived supremely for his art, and who possessed an eccentric temperament. Paganini, in the year 1830, visits a home in England, and there meets a young woman who falls in love, not so much with the man as with his music. When he leaves her home she follows him, and, meeting him at Calais, endeavours to make love to him. He commands her to return to her home, but she will not listen to him. Cyril Maude's daughter, Marjory Maude, takes the part of Charlotte Watson. She becomes so infatuated with the man that she throws over her lover, a dashing young guardsman. The lover and the girl's father follow her, and there is an interesting scene in the presence of the great Paganini, in which the girl he loves, the celebrated violinist and composer, holds her only second in his affections, his violin coming first in all his thoughts. It was not until this stage was reached that Charlotte decides to return to her home. Miss Maude gave a splendid portrayal of the part. Winsome and romantic, she presented a beautiful picture, and her work was so marked as to make her a general favorite with the audience.

Miss Arliss gave a finished performance in the role of Lady Strongford, while Miss Florence Auer, as Antonio Branchi, was good as the Italian lover of the great violinist, although at times she indulged in the melodramatic. Edgar Kent, as Sir Richard Strongford, was an interesting character. He possessed a love for the "strong stuff," and in one scene, in which he managed to get away with several choice bottles of Burgundy, he was very amusing. Dudley Digges, as George Harrys, secretary to Paganini, and Charles Harbury, as Thomas Watson, father of Charlotte Watson, did well in their parts.

The scenery and stage furnishings were picturesque and in keeping with the time, 1830, while the gowns of the ladies—hoop skirts and pantaloons—were quite a novelty.

KINGSTON WOMAN COMPLAINS

About Action of Some People in The Moving Picture Shows.

A few days ago, the Whig received a letter from a Kingston woman, complaining about late comers at the theatres, spoiling the first part of a play for those who came on time.

"This is not the only complaint," said a Kingston lady to the Whig, on Thursday morning, "even in the picture shows there is trouble. In nearly every show you will notice that when the people see the end of the programme approaching, they commence to put on their clothes and make a bolt for the door. As a result people who want to see the finish of the show are disturbed and sometimes the last part of the show is spoiled for them. I think it is a shame. There are some who will not even wait till the National Anthem is played."

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GIR of Socks From Kind Friends At Home.

The following letter has been received by George Perryman, from Corp. Straughan, No. 4 Company, 5th Battalion, at the front:

"Just a few words of thanks on behalf of your generosity in supplying socks to the boys. You have no idea as to how these small gifts are appreciated especially when one has just finished a long march and has a pair of clean socks to fall back on which are a decided relief to the feet. Having come to France over twelve months ago with the First Canadian Division, I got to know the real value of a good pair of socks, which go a long way in keeping a man's feet in good condition. We all appreciate the way in which our Canadian friends have kindly and thoughtfully kept us supplied with these small comforts while undergoing many untold hardships in muddy Flanders. Every gift helps to keep up the spirits of the boys who are not only sacrificing pleasure and comforts but their lives to uphold the good old name of Canada and the traditions of the British Empire."



JOHN E. KELLEID, in a Shakespearean Festival at the Grand, presenting "Hamlet" on Friday night, "The Merchant of Venice" on Saturday afternoon, and "Macbeth" on Saturday night.

WHISKY ADVANCES IN PRICE

Owing To British Government Taxing Over Distilleries.

Almost from hour to hour the price of imported whiskey is increasing, until to-day a case of whiskey imported from Great Britain is from 50 to 75 per cent. higher than what it was six months ago, while whiskey in bulk has increased in price as much as from 100 per cent. to 150 per cent.

Advices from Britain indicate that within a very few days the price is going to make a still further jump and dealers will not be able to obtain Scotch or Irish whiskeys at anything less than nearly double the ordinary price.

The reason given for this is the action of the British Government in taxing over all the whisky distilleries, which have an annual output of forty million gallons a year, and in turning back the whisky commandeered into alcohol for use in high explosive shells. There is no knowing when the war will be over, and so the manufacture of Scotch and Irish are holding the supplies that they have left to them and making big increases in the price.

The price of Old Mull has gone up eight shillings a case, that of Bullock Lade, five shillings a case, and that of White Horse, six shillings a case. In the bottle, Irish whiskey has gone up fifteen to twenty cents a bottle this week. Brandies have also gone up fifty cents a bottle. The price of Canadian whiskey has not shown so much alteration.

THE VALUE OF CHEESE.

Greater Use of Daily Product Would Save Canada Millions.

Just a year ago Prof. H. H. Dean, of the Ontario Agricultural College, in an address before the dairymen of Ontario strongly urged a greater home consumption of cheese. He contended that by so doing not only would the cost of living be reduced but an additional market would be provided for our dairy products. He argued as follows:

"The food value of a pound of cheese is estimated to be equal to that of two pounds of average meat. Estimating the present meat consumption at 25 lbs. per capita (a low estimate), Canadians are consuming about 200,000,000 lbs. meat annually, at a cost of about \$40,000,000. By a proper understanding of food values, we might save about \$16,000,000 annually on this one item alone by substituting a part of the present meat ration for cheese. This would mean some what as follows: A cheese consumption of ten pounds per head would be about 80,000,000 lbs. This would take the place of about 160,000,000 lbs. meat, and still leave 40,000,000 lbs. meat for those who prefer corpse to cheese. The eight million pounds of meat saved would cost about sixteen million dollars. The saving, by using cheese instead of so much meat would be sixteen million dollars annually. If a person were to go to the Finance Minister of Canada and tell him how to save sixteen million dollars annually for the people, such a person would be looked upon as a wizard or a fanatic and would probably get a 'soft job' with the Government—or be committed to a lunatic asylum—yet the figures show these astonishing results."

Prof. Dean's conclusions are certainly astonishing, but they would have been even more so if he had calculated on the actual meat consumption per capita, for, instead of twenty-five pounds statistics show it to be 17.5 pounds, while the consumption of cheese is estimated to be only three pounds.

Theoretically, the substitution of cheese for meat works all right, yet doubtless, there were many heard the address or read a report of it who doubted its practicability. It seemed too good to be true. On a study of the British imports during the past two years, however, we see that it works practically as well as theoretically. During the year previous to the war 2,400,100,000 pounds of meat was imported while during the first twelve months of the war only 2,332,000,000 pounds were imported; a decrease of 68,100,000 lbs. R. H. Rew, Assistant-Secretary to the Board of Agriculture, says: "The large demands on imported supplies of meat for the British and French armies occasioned a distinct shortage for the civil population, but this was relieved by a reduced demand." Now, there must have been some substitute for these 215 million pounds of meat, and on looking further we find that the imports of cheese during the same period increased by thirty-eight million pounds or about sixteen per cent. Thus it is quite evident that cheese has been taking the place of some of the meat.

The question then naturally comes up why does not the Canadian consumer use more cheese? It is owing to the lack of knowledge regarding its economic value and how to prepare it in appetizing forms, such as meats are prepared. Prof. Harcourt in Bulletin 221 states: "Cheese is one of our most concentrated foods. More than one-fourth of its weight is water, about one-third fat, and one-third water. It is not only valuable for the amount of protein, or muscle-forming material, and fat it contains, but, also because of the ease with which it can be kept and prepared for the table and for the variety of ways in which it may be served.—Family Herald and Weekly Star."

General Kissed Canadians.

The French military authorities, who have long admired the splendid gallantry of the Canadians, gave public proof of their appreciation a few days ago by decorating a number of officers and men with the Legion of Honor and Military Medal, says Philip Gibbs in the London Telegraph.

Canadian guards of honor, with two brass bands and pipers of Canadian Scots, were drawn up in a square in an old Flemish town opposite a French infantry group, generals and staff officers stood in advance of the men and the officers and non-commissioned officers who were to receive the decorations were in a separate place. It was strange that Canadian soldiers should be here to receive the kind of the French general. He passed along their lines with his staff while the bands played the Marseillaise, and the general commanding the Canadian corps inspected the French troops. Then the 12-color was brought forward by a guard of honor with the standard of the spirit of France, unfurled in the grey old market place, the French general pinned the Legion of Honor and Military Medal to the breasts of the men marked out for honor, and saluted them with that kiss which France bestows upon those who defend her soil. Canada will be proud of her soldiers who now wear the ribbons of French chivalry. They have won them by good and brave work on the field of honor.

For one of them, Captain George Taylor Richardson, of the Second Canadian Infantry battalion, the Cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor came too late except as a memorial of his gallantry, for he was killed on February 9.

Women's Emergency Corps.

The newly-organized local branch of the Women's Emergency Corps in London, Ont., has decided to launch a campaign for 100 members. An effort will be made to have a local corps organized in every county in the first military district. Membership does not consist of one taking the place of a man at the front. This is provided for by registration.

A clever politician is one who is able to cover up his tracks. Fresh haddock, 3c lb., at Gilbert's. Luck may be feminine because it is uncertain.

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STEACY'S

TWO BROTHERS FIGHTING.

Kingston Boys At the Front Had a Pleasant Meeting.

Letters received by Mrs. D. Smith, 26 York street, tell of a pleasant meeting on the field of battle of her two sons, Pte. Harold, better known as "Danny" Smith, of the Fifth Field Battery, and Pte. Frederick Smith, of the C. M. I. Two years ago Frederick went west. His brother went overseas before he returned, going with the First Contingent, so it was two years since the boys had met. One can readily understand how pleased the young Kingstons were to see each other. Both boys are in good health, and are doing well.

In his letter Pte. Frederick Smith states that his brother gave him a great surprise when he walked into his lines. Later on he was given permission to pay a visit to the billet occupied by his brother and the two had a great chat.

The letter was written on March 7th, and it states that they had quite a lot of snow, but all the boys were happy.

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