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The Pierrot Players will present an all-star vaudeville revue at the Grand tonight at 8:15 and twice on Saturday, matinee at 2:30 and evening at 8:15. The offering is composed of twelve feature acts, and includes singing, dancing, music and sparkling revue of the biggest scenes from the most successful musical comedies. With a company of highly talented players, scenery and costumes that are a delight to the eye, lilting songs and music and artistic dancing, this decidedly novel performance is claimed to be one of the most enjoyable of the season.

Among Features.

Among the featured acts are: The Girls' Trio, who will present a sprightly offering of songs and dances; the Harlequin Octet, eight golden voices in a burst of melody; Sam Sullivan, the eccentric comedian, will offer a number of new songs and impersonations; the Pierrot Quartet in a rollicking singing and dancing sketch entitled "The Four Jolly Sailormen"; Miss Grace Lang, who is a coloratura soprano of wonderful range, will be heard in an operatic repertoire; a highly pleasing novelty is the "Tiz-Guz-Goozle-Um," which is described as a midnight fantasy; Eugene Lockhart will present his musical melodrama at the piano, several clever impersonations, his famous English song, "The Galloping Major," and a number of new songs written by himself; Winnifred Anglin and Helen Castleton have a delightful little sketch called "Two Little Maids From School"; Frank Forrest and Christopher Hayes in ten minutes of classical songs; a syncopated sketch of famous operatic arias entitled "An Operatic Nightmare"; a movie melodrama, "Automobiling"; Miss Josie Winthrop, 'cellist; Misses Ingrid and Sletten, violinists, and an augmented orchestra of ladies, all combine to make a performance that cannot be excelled.

RECEPTION IN LONDON FOR ONEIDA SOLDIER

A hearty reception was held for Pte. A. Nicholas, an Indian of the Oneida reservation, last evening, at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Schuyler, 2 Webb street, city. He was one of the first to enlist with the 135th Middlesex Battalion. He served overseas for a period of over 30 months. He returned last Saturday night.

A large circle of friends and relatives was present for the occasion, including several returned Indian heroes—Ptes. L. Peters, G. Johnson, George Sturgeon, Solomon Green, William Honyust, Roy and Eugene Schuyler and Pte. Nicholas.

A splendid time was enjoyed. The returned men did full justice to refreshments which were served at 10 p.m. The reception terminated shortly after on account of the majority of those present having to catch the L. and P. S. car for St. Thomas.

Mrs. Schuyler has four sons who are, or were, in the Canadian forces. One son, John M., was killed in action at Hill 70, France. Another, Edward, with the army of occupation in Germany. Two sons, Roy and Eugene, returned and since discharged after long service at the front.

VIVIAN MARTIN IN HER NEWEST PLAY AT THE MAJESTIC

"Jane Goes A-Wooing" Will Be Presented on Saturday Only.

Human interest, which perhaps more than any one other thing tends to make a photoplay popular, is abundant in "Jane Goes a-Wooing," Vivian Martin's new Paramount picture, directed by George Melford, which will be shown at the Majestic Theatre on Saturday only.

As a little stenographer who has never known anything but poverty, plunged suddenly into a prospect of unlimited wealth and with a possible romance embodied in the striking figure of the disinherited nephew of her benefactor, Miss Martin does some of the most telling work of her career.

Niles Welch plays the young man who wins the admiration of the stenographer, while Casson Ferguson is the constant young Irishman who admires Jane and runs a lunch wagon.

WILLIAM FAVERSHAM, America's greatest emotional actor, appearing for the last time today at the Majestic in a powerful photodrama, "The Silver King."

LONDON Y. P. A. VISITS DORCHESTER

DORCHESTER, Feb. 13.—The A. Y. P. A. of St. Matthew's Church, London, spent a pleasant evening at St. Peter's Church here on Tuesday, February 10. A dainty lunch was provided, after which they repaired to the pond and enjoyed themselves skating for some time. They then came back to the church and had a good time for a while before they went home.

"THE RACING STRAIN," STARRING MAE MARSH, AT PATRICIA THEATRE

Romance of the Blue Grass State Revealed in Photoplay.

"The Racing Strain," a romance of the Blue Grass State, featuring Mae Marsh, was presented at the Patricia Theatre yesterday, and is being repeated at all performances today and Saturday. A production of constant thrills, it is threaded with a story of love and sacrifice that is delightfully human. It has for one of its features a stirring horse race, photographed at the Saratoga track at the height of the racing season.

Lucile Cameron (Mae Marsh), a plucky girl of Kentucky, learns that her father, Col. Cameron, is close to financial ruin because of his friendship for and his dealings with "Big Jim" De Luce, a New York horseman and wildcat stock promoter. Once the owner of a big racing stable, a filly, Southern Pride, is all that is left him. There is a heavy mortgage long overdue on the Cameron estate and the Camerons wonder why no attempt is made at foreclosure. At a Red Cross lawn fete Lucille gives she meets Lieut. Gregory Haines, just returned wounded from France. Their acquaintance soon ripens into love, to the chagrin of Big Jim, who has annoyed Lucile with his attentions. The resultant drama is stirring and well worked out.

Other screen features are a Big V Comedy, "Soapsuds and Sapheads"; a Mutt and Jeff animated cartoon, and a News Weekly.

In vaudeville, Lillian Mortimer and Company present "My Irish Molly," a breezy playlet which is received with rounds of applause.

BISHOP IS ATTENDING FUNERAL OF HONORED OFFICIAL OF DIOCESE

William Baird was Lay Secretary of Synod for Some Years.

The Bistop of Huron went down to Galt Thursday to attend the funeral of William Baird, a tribute of respect from the Diocese of Huron as well as a personal one to the honorary lay secretary of the synod of the diocese for a number of years.

Mr. Baird, one of Galt's leading citizens, and one of Western Ontario's prominent manufacturers, died at his home in Galt from heart failure this week. An active church worker, he has been for years a valued member of the Synod of the Diocese of Huron. Six or seven years ago, he was elected to the office of honorary lay secretary, which position he filled acceptably each succeeding year. Probably no lay member of the synod was better known, and the news of his death has evoked expressions of deep regret from leading clergymen and laymen of the Anglican Church in the city. He was particularly identified with Sunday school work.

HENSALL MAN IS INJURED BY FALL FROM LOAD OF LOGS

HENSALL, Feb. 13.—While drawing a large load of logs, George Smale, who is a teamster for Thomas Welsh of this village, had the misfortune to slip off the load, on account of the wheel dropping into a deep rut. In falling he broke his knee in three places, and had to be conveyed home. It will be a number of weeks before he will be able to leave his room.

Pte. Blake Nesbitt, who enlisted from Toronto and has done good service, has been here for a few days visiting his parents.

The young people held a dance in the town hall on Wednesday evening last.

The shed committee met on Wednesday last to devise ways and means for the erection next year of a large shed for the Presbyterion Church. A large quantity of material will be got on the grounds in readiness.

A. Murdock is fitting up his block, formerly known as the Buchanan block, for dwelling rooms in the east section.

Attended Convention.

Reeve Petty attended the good roads convention at Stratford on Tuesday last. He was accompanied by John Craig of this village.

Local residents were pleased to hear the chirps of robins during the past week.

It is rumored Hensall is again likely to have a newspaper.

Sergt. John Petty, who enlisted with the Irish Fusiliers of Toronto, and who served a couple of years, was home during the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lock Petty, of the township of Hay.

Pte. W. Sangster, who early in the war enlisted with the 161st Huron Battalion as a Hensallite, and who was quite severely wounded, returned here late on Saturday evening. He and Sergt. Petty, both Hensall boys, were welcomed. Pte. Sangster will again make his home with his aunt, Mrs. J. Scott, of this village.

Services on Sunday last were well attended in all three churches. In the Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Hamilton, as president of the Presbyterial Association, for the carrying on of home and foreign mission work, spoke very ably.

Rev. J. H. Dykes, at one time an assistant Methodist minister here, and now giving lectures on health in the interests of the Muskoka Sanatorium, gave an illustrated address in the town hall on Tuesday evening last. The lantern slides were good, as was also the lecture throughout. His many old friends were pleased to meet him.

Leaves for the West.

Miss Grace Horton of Tuckersmith, who has successfully taught music in the vicinity east of here, left on Monday last for Saskatchewan to take charge of a music class in a town near Saskatoon, where her sister is teaching in the high school.

The Masons of Zurich Lodge enjoyed the visit of the district deputy grand master of South Huron district, No. 4, in the person of Mr. Rorke of Clinton, when the second degree was put on by the officers of the lodge. The district deputy grand master was much pleased with the manner in which the work was given. The brethren all repaired to the New Commercial Hotel, where a splendid banquet—or what is often termed as the fourth degree—was enjoyed. The attendance was large, and a most excellent literary and musical program was carried out. Host Weir Acheson received great credit for the supper provided.

T. C. Joynt of the firm of Joynt & Caldwell is in Toronto ordering furnishings for their new store.

Coal dealers have been furnishing their customers with lots of coal during the past week or two.

MILITARY GOVERNOR DIES.

Paris, Feb. 13.—Gen. Moinier, military governor of Paris, died suddenly tonight while at dinner at the home of Jean Cruppi, former minister of foreign affairs.

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LONDON TP. GRANTS TO AID WAR WORK TOTAL $45,502

This Amount Is Exclusive of Patriotic Fund Grants.

The London township council met in the town hall on Monday at St. Johns. At this meeting it was reported that the following amount of money had been given to help win the war: 1914, $376; 1915, $7,083.66; 1916, $8,816.63; 1917, $16,718.56; 1918, $12,507.39. Total, $45,502.90. This is exclusive of London Township's proportion of the $6,000 per month paid to the patriotic fund by Middlesex County, and the value of goods purchased for Canadian Red Cross purposes only is given.

The sum of $39,871.20 was paid the township treasurer and sent on to the different organizations designated, and $5,631.70 was paid direct by those collecting or donating the same.

The minutes were read and general business transacted.

COMMITTEE AGAINST BLOCK DELIVERY PLAN FOR EXPRESS PARCELS

The committee of the London Chamber of Commerce, appointed for the purpose of looking into the subject of express delivery limits, as proposed by the express companies, will make an unfavorable report to the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce today. The committee, which met on Wednesday evening, after considering the whole situation, took the view that the proposed block plan of delivery is entirely inadequate to meet the city's needs, so far as the industries are concerned.

In addition to this, the committee is doubtful in regard to the service to the residential districts under such a plan. A residential district with dense population might be deprived of free delivery because it was outside another block, and not large enough to constitute a block in itself.

The committee would favor a plan which would guarantee free delivery for, say a mile and a half in each direction from the actual centre of the city in relation to the density of population.

INGERSOLL SOLDIER IS NOW IN RUSSIA

INGERSOLL, Feb. 13.—An interesting letter has been received by Councillor R. A. Skinner from Sergt. Fred Noe, an Ingersoll soldier, who is now in Northern Russia. Sergt. Noe was born in Ingersoll and is widely known. He enlisted and went overseas with the 71st Battalion, served in France for some time, and was wounded. His letter from Russia came as a surprise to his friends here.

The town hall was the scene of a delightful masquerade dance tonight under the auspices of the Lady Dufferin Chapter, I. O. D. E. The attendance was large, many being present from a distance. A London orchestra furnished the music.

TENDERS FOR ERECTION OF ST. MARYS RESERVOIR CONSIDERED TOO HIGH

ST. MARYS, Feb. 13.—At a recent meeting of the water, light and heat commission tenders were opened for the construction and furnishing of the material for the concrete reservoir at the waterworks powerhouse. The several tenders received were all considered too high. It was then left with Commissioner Patterson to take up the matter with an outside cement worker to ascertain the cost by day work. A contract was entered into by the board for coal from the Norfolk and Chesapeake Coal Company, at $2.75 per ton at the mines.

Superintendent H. M. Miller presented a statement of receipts and expenditure of the water and light board. For the first time in its history Supt. Miller claimed a surplus of the waterworks department to the amount of $435, the balance at the bank between January 1 and 31, being $420.

The funeral of John Ballantyne, who died on February 11 at his home up Trout Creek, Blanshard Township, at the age of 53 years, took place this afternoon. A widow and a family survive. Interment was in St. Marys Cemetery.

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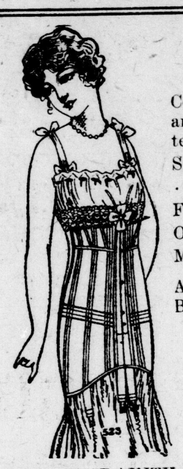

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LONDONER FINED AT BRIDGEBURG; HAD LOAD OF WHISKEY

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Heavy Grey All-Wool Flannel Shirts. Extra well made. $3.00 for $2.35
A few Heavy Khaki Flannel Shirts. Sizes 15 and 15½. $2.50 quality, for $1.85
Heavy All-Wool Plain Khaki Work Socks. 75c value most places 45c
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