# IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

*THE O.J.C.'S PROGRAM FOR THEIR FIVE DAYS' MAY MEET.*

**A Liberal Number of Purses for Horse Owners—Toronto Club Curlers Beaten by Their Granite Brethren—Victoria Hockeyists Again Defeat Osgoode Hall—General Sporting Notes.**

The program of the annual spring races of the Ontario Jockey Club was hand ed the press last evening.

With one exception the program, although varied, is the same as that of last year, so far as the events are concerned. This exception is the addition of the Woodbine Nursery Stake which has a good list of exceptionally likely entries. Some of the purses have been increased in value, notably the Toronto Cup, the added money to which has been doubled, making it now $2000, of which the second horse gets $300 instead of $200.

The meeting opens Tuesday, May 23, and extends over the following Saturday. The order of the races has been somewhat changed from last year, as the following will show:

Tuesday's program consists of the Trial Purse, value $400, for all ages, 3-4 mile; the Woodbine Nursery Stakes, for 2-year-olds, $700 added, 1-2 mile; Woodbine Steeplechase, purse, $500, about 2 1-2 miles; the Woodstock Plate, for 3-year-olds, $700 added, 1 1-8 miles; the Walker Cup, for 3-year-olds and upwards, property of Dominion resident owners, value $500, 1 1-4 miles; Free Welter Handicap, for 3-year-olds and upwards, purse, $400, 1 1-8 miles. Wednesday—The Club House purse, for all ages, value $400, ¾ mile; Toronto Cup, for 3-year-olds and upwards, $2000 added, 1¼ miles; Red Coat race, $1000 added, about 2½ miles; The Queen's Plate, for all ages, provincial breds, probable value $1000, 1½ miles; Handicap Steeplechase, $400 added, 2½ miles; The Hotel Plate, value $400, 1½ miles. Thursday—The Don purse, for all ages, value $400, ¾ mile; The Breeders' Stake, for 3-year-olds, $400 added, 1 1-8 miles; The Royal Canadian Handicap purse $500, 1½ miles, over six hurdles; the Juvenile Scurry, for 2-year-olds, $500 added, ½ mile; the El Padre Handicap, for all ages, value $1000, 1½ miles; Helter Skelter Chase, purse $400, short steeplechase course. Friday—The Ladies' Purse, for all ages, value $400, ¾ mile; the All Comers' Stake, for 3-year-olds, 1½ miles (closed); Consolation race, value $500, 1 1-16 miles; the Flash Stakes, for all ages, $400 added, ⅝ mile; Hunters' Flat Handicap, purse $400, 1½ miles; 2-year-old race, valfe $400, ⅝ mile. Saturday—The Norway Purse, for all ages, value $400, ¾ mile; the Maple Leaf Stakes, for 3-year-olds, Canadian-bred fillies owned in the Dominion at time of starting, $500 added, 1½ miles; the Dominion Handicap, purse $750, for Dominion-bred horses, 1½ miles; Redcoat Steeplechase, barring first and second horses in that race the first day, $500 added, 2½ miles, twice over the water jump; the Tyro Purse Handicap, conditions announced in the morning of the day of the race, value $500; Consolation, selling race, purse $400, 1 mile.

One hundred dollars each has been added to the purses in the juvenile scurry, helter-skelter chase. The ladies' purse and the two-year-old, $50 each to the Club House purse, the Don purse and the Flash stakes, while the Dominion handicap has been increased in value by $150, making a total of $1,050 added to last year's stakes and purses.

The most important changes in the conditions of the racers is in the Walker Cup. In 1892 the concluding paragraph of the conditions read as follows:

"The winner of Toronto Cup at this meeting to carry 5 lbs. extra, and the second in that race 3 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. 1¼ miles. This is changed to read: The winner of a race value $700 in 1892 or 1893 to carry 5 lbs extra, and two of such or one of $1000 7 lbs extra. Maidens allowed 5 lbs 1¼ miles." This cup was won in 1891 by Mr. James Carruthers' bl h Sam Wood and in 1892 by Mr. J. E. Seagram's b. h. Tactician.

The stake races have already closed. The other events close as follows: Queen's Plate, March 1; Additions, May 1; Woodstock Plate, Red Coat Race, Handicap Steeplechase, Juvenile Scurry, El Padre Handicap, Dominion Handicap, May 1; Trial Purse, Woodbine Steeplechase, Walker Cup, Free Welter Handicap, Toronto Cup, Royal Canadian Handicap, Helter Skelter and Hunters' Flat, May 20; Club House Purse and Hotel Plate, May 23; Don Purse and Tyro Purse, May 24; Ladies' Purse, Open Race Purse $500 and Flash Stakes, May 25; Norway Purse, May 26; and Consolation Purse, May 27.

*THE VICTORIOUS VICS.*

**Osgoode Hall Pucksters Defeated by 9 Goals to 3—Other Games.**

The Victorias defeated Osgoode Hall rather easily last night on their ice by 9 goals to 3. The points were as follows:

One, Vics., Stephenson, 1 min; 2 Vics., Stephenson, 3 min; 3, Osgoode, Cunningham, 6 min; 4, Osgoode, Smellie, 15 min; 5, Osgoode, Kerr, 4 min; 6, Vics., Stephenson, 9 min; 7, Vics., Parkyn, 5 min; 8, Vics., Stephenson, 6 min; 9, Vics., Jones, 4 min; 10, Vics., Parkyn, 1 min; 11, Vics., Parkyn, 2 min; 12, Vics., Parkyn, 3 min.

The teams were:

Osgoode (3): Goal, Anderson; point, McCarthy; cover, Patterson; forwards, Kerr, Smellie, Cunningham, Senkler.

Victorias (9): Goal, McVity, point, Henderson, cover, Forsyth; forwards, Smith, Stephenson, Parkyn, Jones.

**Lakefield Beats Peterboro.**

LAKEFIELD, JAN. 20.—A hockey match between the Peterboro Collegiate Institute and the Lakefield hockey teams was played here, which resulted in a victory for Lakefield by 4 to 2. The teams were:

Peterboro (2)—Goal, Hamilton; point, King; cover, Adams; forwards, McWilliams, Grubloe, Heap (Capt.), Davidson.

Lakefield (4)—Goal, S. Ridpath, point; J. Ridpath; cover, Cox; forwards, Clark (Capt.), Morin, G. Ridpath, Reynolds.

McDowall will hold an open sparrow and blue rocks shoot at Stark's this afternoon.

*FOR THE CITY TROPHY.*

**The Granites Defeat Toronto Club Curlers by a Majority of 26 Shots.**

The big city trophy contest yesterday resulted in a victory for the Granites over Toronto Club curlers by the majority of 26 shots. The first four subjoined rinks curled on Victoria ice and the others on Church-street. Score:

| GRANITE. | | TORONTO. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| W. Gale. | | W. J. Fleury. | |
| Wm. Mandeville. | | W. C. Macdonell. | |
| W. H. Webber. | | R. S. Young. | |
| C. C. Dalton, skip | 22 | W. B. Smith, skip | 22 |

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| G. S. Crawford. | | John Shanklin. | |
| D. L. VanVleck. | | W. H. Bertram. | |
| A. R. Creelman, skip | 25 | John Bain, skip | 11 |
| W. G. Love. | | W. H. Ketchum. | |
| C. Dempsey. | | H. T. McMillan. | |
| E. A. Badenach. | | A. F. Jones. | |
| W. A. Thornton, skip | 19 | L. A. Tilley, skip | 20 |
| J. W. Carroll. | | C. W. Taylor. | |
| George Gooderham. | | E. T. Lightbourne. | |
| John Littlejohn. | | R. Soarr. | |
| W. J. McMurtry, skip | 13 | John C. Forbes, skip | 24 |
| H. D. Warren. | | S. Munson. | |
| R. McClair. | | T. McMurrich. | |
| W. E. Wellington. | | W. A. Wilson. | |
| A. C. Matthews, skip | 31 | Dr. Montizambert, sk | 7 |
| C. Edward. | | J. Tennant. | |
| W. Paton. | | A. W. Godson. | |
| G. de C. O'Grady. | | H. Harman. | |
| M. Sparling, skip | 23 | C. A. Maddison, skip | 24 |
| Dr. Snelgrove. | | W. Horsey. | |
| Dr. Wright. | | H. Jarvis. | |
| H. W. Williamson. | | W. H. Perran. | |
| T. G. Williamson, sk. | 22 | F. O. Carley, skip | 24 |
| P. McEachren. | | T. J. Clark. | |
| W. A. Littlejohn. | | Dr. Lesslie. | |
| S. R. Hargraft. | | L. W. Jones. | |
| J. Bruce, skip | 12 | J. S. Russell, skip | 29 |
| Total | 167 | Total | 161 |

Majority for Granite, 26 shots.

**Our Caledonians Beaten in Buffalo.**

BUFFALO, Jan. 20.—Toronto and Buffalo Caledonians played here to-day for the Davis trophy, the Buffalo Scotchmen winning by 23 shots. Score:

| TORONTO. | | BUFFALO. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| W. Ross. | | George Bolton. | |
| John Watson. | | J. Berrick. | |
| Robert Rennie. | | A. Berrick. | |
| J. Carruthers, skip | 9 | C. Berrick, skip | 33 |
| W. Nair. | | C. J. Bachheit. | |
| D. Gibson. | | E. Smith. | |
| R. H. Ramsey. | | Dr. Frost. | |
| D. Prentice, skip | 23 | Charles O'Kink, skip | 12 |
| W. J. Adams. | | F. Fisher. | |
| J. Pringle. | | D. Allans. | |
| J. McIntosh. | | J. Foster. | |
| W. Christie, skip | 12 | Peter A. Vogt, skip | 22 |
| Total | 44 | Total | 67 |

Majority for Buffalo Caledonians, 23 shots.

*BOWMANVILLE BEATS BELLEVILLE.*

**And Oshawa Turns the Tables on Them the Same Day.**

OSHAWA, Ont., Jan. 20.—The primary competition in group No. 1 was played here to-day, resulting in a victory for Oshawa as per following score:

| BOWMANVILLE. | | BELLEVILLE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. Lyle. | | H. K. Smith. | |
| J. Beith. | | D. M. Waters. | |
| S. Burden. | | V. Jenkins. | |
| D. Beith, skip | 15 | W. H. Biggar, skip | 14 |
| RINK NO. 2. | | | |
| C. L. Munson. | | J. Bonner. | |
| W. Roenigk. | | Dr. Warner. | |
| D. Beith. | | F. Dolan. | |
| T. H. McMurtry, skip | 18 | J. T. Clark, skip | 14 |
| Total | 33 | Total | 29 |

Majority for Bowanville. 5.

Second match:

| OSHAWA. | | BOWMANVILLE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| E. J. Rowse. | | C. L. Munson. | |
| W. Halman. | | W. Roenigk. | |
| George Rice. | | Dr. Beith. | |
| F. E. Dingle, skip | 21 | T. H. McMurtry, skip | 15 |
| RINK NO. 2. | | | |
| A. Rankin. | | J. Lyle. | |
| F. Lambert. | | J. Beith. | |
| A. J. Sykes. | | S. Burdon. | |
| P. H. Punshon, skip | 17 | D. Beith, skip | 12 |
| Total | 38 | Total | 27 |

Majority for Oshawa, 11.

**Wingham v. Lucknow.**

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 20.—The final draw between the Lucknow and Wingham Curling Clubs for the Western Ontario Tankard was played here to-day and resulted in favor of Wingham Club by 5 points. The Score is as follows:

| No. 1. WINGHAM. | | LUCKNOW. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| D. Sutherland. | | S. Corrigan. | |
| W. Vanstone. | | W. G. Allen. | |
| Dr. McDonald. | | W. Allen. | |
| F. Patterson, skip | 22 | J. Hunter, skip | 14 |
| No. 2. | | | |
| C. Knechtel. | | J. McPherson. | |
| A. Mitchell. | | George S. Maire. | |
| J. Neelands. | | E. Murdock. | |
| J. Dinsley, skip | 21 | Dr. Tennant, skip | 24 |
| Total | 43 | Total | 38 |

Majority for Wingham 5.

**York County Curlers' Tourney.**

The annual competition for the beautiful pair of curling stones, presented by Mr. H. Lemon of the Clyde Hotel, Toronto, will be played for at the Parkdale Rink, corner King-street and Close-avenue, on Tuesday next. First draw at 10 a.m.

The clubs eligible to compete are Aurora, Woodbridge, Richmond Hill, Stouffville, Markham Village, Scarboro, Scarboro Maple Leaf, Scarboro Heather, Little York, Swansea and any others in the County of York. Two rinks is necessary from each club. No entrance fee is charged. The curlers will all dine together at the Clyde Hotel at 1,30 p.m. The second draw will be at 2 p.m. Particulars will be furnished by the convener, R. Malcolm, 102 Bay-street.

**Among the Junior League Players.**

In the junior league the Capitals will play the Upper Canada College seven on the Neoteric Rink, at the corner of Dufferin and Queen-streets, at 4 p.m. to-day. The team to represent the Capitals will be picked from the following players: S. Sykes, H. Howard, A. Cooey, E. Matthews, F. Singer, captain, G. Franks, W. Johnson, W. Archibold and J. Halley.

*FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.*

**Varsity's Baseball Annual — The Nine to Visit Chicago—Officers and Outlook.**

The annual meeting of the Varsity Baseball Club was held in the parlors of the University Y.M.C.A. building yesterday afternoon with Harry Moore in the chair. The several reports were read and showed the club to have completed in '92 the most successful season in its history. The manager's report was substantially as appeared yesterday. The secretary-treasurer's report showed a cash balance of $10 after all expenses had been paid. Captain McIntosh deplored the club's weak batting, to which he wholly attributed his nine's five defeats.

The officers were elected as follows:

Hon. President, W. J. Loudon, Esq.; president, J. F. Snetsinger, B.A.; first vice-president, Harry Moore; second vice-president, H. E. Sampson; manager, A. N. Garrett; captain, T. P. Fitzgerald; secretary-treasurer, W. H. Pease; curator, R. H. Somers. Councillors, R. S. Strath '84, J. W. McIntosh, B.A., W. J. Know '85, R. B. Wells '85, W. W. Nichol '86, W. E. Burns '86, first, S. J. Westman, '87; L. Haven '87.

The program for next year was discussed. It was resolved to take two short trips—one west and one south. L. Haben, formerly of the University of Wisconsin and now a Varsity student, was present and announced that his old college would welcome Toronto University to Madison. So the manager was instructed to correspond with Wisconsin, Evanson, Beliit and Lake Forest, and if favorable responses are received Varsity's nine will go to the World's Fair in June and play this college quartet while in the west. London, Detroit and Ann Arbor will also be taken in in this tour. The southern trip will be through New York State. Cornell has already offered a guarantee for a game in June, and other teams to be played on that tour will be Rochester, Seneca Falls and University of Vermont. On the whole prospects are very bright for Varsity's season of '93.

**Ice Trotting at Dunnville.**

DUNNVILLE, Ont., Jan. 20.—The second day's races on the Grand River called out an immense crowd of spectators and a good number of horses. Every one joined in pronouncing this the most successful winter meet ever held here.

The ice was in fine condition and the weather moderate. Following were the results:

2.30 class—Zeno 1, Demand 2, Netty G 3, Grimsby Girl r.o.

2.40 class—Duke 1, Rurie E. 2, Lady Hope 3, F. Morgan 4. Swallow also started.

Three-minute class—Lady Hope 1, Iron Duke 2, Natural Gas 3, G. Gelding 4.

Named race—Dolace 1, Louis Mambrino 2, Van S. 3, Natural Gas 4.

**To-day at the Gut.**

GUTTENBERG, Jan. 20.—Entries for tomorrow: First race, ⅝ mile, selling, beaten horses—Doyle Rhodes 107, Home Run 107, Spartacus 107, Vera 105, Marcellus 104, Leather Stocking 104, Longard 98, Clotho 93.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Leigh 122, Trump 122, Seabright 117, Lake 117, Deceitful 105.

Third race, 4½ furlongs, selling—Mucilage 108, Repeater 108, Sweetbread 108, Mayor B. 104, Red Elm 102, Servitude 98, Genevieve 97, Narka colt 92, Nabocklish 99.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs, selling—Prince Howard 120, Mohican 105, Panway 98, Azrael 98.

Fifth race, ½ mile—Inspector C. 112, Simplicity colt 112, Herminie colt 108, Fagan 102, False 97, Elite filly 95.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Belwood 115, Laura S. 107, Bullfinch 106, Innovation 105, Panhandle 104, Sir George H. 100, Excellenza filly 90.

**How They Ran Yesterday.**

GUTTENBERG, Jan. 20.—First race, 6½ furlongs—Lizzie McDuff 1, Addie B. 2, Van Wart 3. Time 1.24.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Defaulter 1, Magic 2, Van Dyke 3. Time 1.05.

Third race, 1 mile—Panway 1, Jack Rose 2, Greenwich 3. Time 1.44¼.

Fourth race, ⅝ mile—Lady Mary 1, Fidget 2, Jim Norvel 3. Time 1.03¼.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Kirsch 1, Gladiator 2, Stonington 3. Time 1.02¾.

Sixth race, ⅞ mile—J. McLaughlin 1, Mohammed 2, Oliver Twist 3. Time 1.31¼.

**Blood Will Tell.**

LEXINGTON, Jan. 20.—For $6000 W. L. Simmons of this city has sold to Ex-Congressman Frank Jones of Portsmouth, N.H., the roan colt Mickie, 2 years old, by Jay Bird, dam Irish Mag, by George Wilkes, second dam Mag Lodh, by American Star, third dam by Hambletonian.

**Sporting Miscellany.**

Prof. Joe Popp's Olympic Gymnasium, No. 20 Adelaide-street west, Grand exhibition of sparring by the following talent: Arthur Stemmer, Billy Bittle, Charley McDole, Jimmy Dixon, Billy Glenfield, Smith Brothers, Joe Popp. Grand wind-up between young Jim Popp and Alf Grimstead. This will be the last night in the Olympics, as it is to remove into St. Enock-square for the following week.

**Local Jottings.**

For trespassing in a C.P.R. freight car William Fox was yesterday fined $10 and costs or five days.

The pupils of the Delsarte College of Oratory will give a recital in the Y. W. C. Guild Hall on Monday evening.

George Palmer, who is charged with the larceny of a watch from Hotelkeeper Pitts, was again remanded by Squire Wing field yesterday.

Yesterday, 20th inst., was the 12th anniversary of the opening of S. Mark's Church, Cowan-avenue. Special sermons will be preached to-morrow.

George Griffith, a boy, living in Church-street, had his leg crushed yesterday by the elevator at Walker's drygoods store, where he is employed.

"Hamlet" was the subject of Principal Macintyre's discourse in the lecture-room of the Presbyterian Ladies College last night. An interesting musical program was rendered.

A meeting of the Canadian carpet manufacturers will be held on Tuesday morning in the board room of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Canada Life Building. N. C. Wallace has been invited to attend.

Surrogate Court proceedings took place yesterday in these estates: Mary Teevin, $4540; Henry Stuart Alexander, $13,810; Samuel Bennett, $2574; Clarkson Hambleton, King township, $4980; Lucy A. Eckart, $5300.

The Canadian Temperance League held a very successful concert at the Elm-street Coffee House last night. Messrs. Herbert McKendry and Harry Rich and the Osburn Guitar and Mandolin Club took part in the program.

In the regular Friday evening medical talk in the Gymnasium of the Y.M.C.A. last night Dr. E. Herbert Adams took up the subject of Food and Physique and gave some excellent hints as to the best methods of dieting in connection with training for physical contests.

A public missionary meeting is to be held Monday, Jan. 30, at 8 p.m., in the Convocation Hall at Trinity. Addresses will be delivered by the Right Rev. Dr. Courtney, Bishop of Nova Scotia, Allan M. Dymond and others. His Lordship the Bishop of the Diocese will preside.

A concert with readings was given in the the Assembly Hall of Victoria Industrial School, Mimico, last evening. An interesting program was rendered by the 48th Highland Drum and Bugle Corps, Grenville P. Kleiser, F. Linky, Pipe Major Ireland, R. Morgan, J. Russell, Piper Tranem, J. Wade and J. Parkinson. Twenty-two boys from the Newsboys' Home were present.

Louis F. Post, who is to lecture under Single Tax auspices in Association Hall on Friday, 27th inst., has appeared before a Toronto audience before. He lectured here on the single on the memorable Feb. 14, 1890, when the University was destroyed by fire. The Single Tax Executive met last evening to complete arrangements for Mr. Post's forthcoming lecture, and they expect a large audience.

On Wednesday evening next a lecture will be given by Prof. William H. Wilson on "Aswer to Infidels." It is for the benefit of Mrs. L. Dixon, a worthy widow in destitute circumstances, and for which circular letters containing two tickets are sent by mail to the charitable people of Toronto. It is hoped she will be rewarded with speedy and successful responses, as she is worthy and in great need of assistance.

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**Vice-President of the Board of Trade.**

Editor World: Referring to my nomination of Mr. E. B. Osler for the office of second vice-president of the Toronto Board of Trade, I have been asked, what has Mr. Osler done for the board that he should be elected to that position.

In reply I would say that Mr. Osler's services as a member of the Finance Committee at the time of the construction of our Board of Trade building were of immense value, and he gave, not only good counsel and advice but his time to assist in securing subscriptions for debentures and negotiating the same.

He visited Montreal twice for this purpose, and it was mainly through his efforts that the principal monetary institutions in that city—who have branches here—made their subscriptions.

As chairman of the Building Committee I know that the services then rendered merit the recognition of the board.

Independent of this, I believe Mr. Osler to be specially qualified to fill the position and to maintain the dignity and honor of the Board. JOHN J. DAVIDSON.

D. Waters, Campbellford, Ont., says that the Peterboro Medicine Company, Limited, are at liberty to use his name in the interest of all who may be suffering as he was before he used Mombray's Kidney and Liver Cure. 136

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## THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

**Sol Smith Russell at the Grand.**

Sol Smith Russell is justly proud of his position on the American stage, and points with pride to the fact that people go to see his plays who never enter a theatre to witness any other production. Critics regard him as one of the greatest artists the stage has ever produced, and that the public agree with them is evinced by the crowded

houses which have greeted him in all his engagements throughout the country this season. Mr. Russell is more than actor. He is a man of keen preceptions, limitless wit, genuine humanity, and possesses brain enough for a governor, or a senator, or even a president. He is a leader in his profession, a gentlemanly gentleman, a warm-hearted, sympathetic, true friend of his fellow-man.

Sol Smith Russell will present his new comedy, "Peaceful Valley," at the Grand Opera House next Monday evening.

**Alive With a Broken Neck.**

No doubt but that there are a great many people in the city of Toronto would go a mile to see a person that has been set the entire universe ago by simply defying the common laws of nature inasmuch as he lives with a broken neck. Such a man it is that will appear in the lecture hall of the Musee next week. Barney Baldwin is the only man in the world that has ever been known to live with a broken neck. It was while employed in the capacity of brakeman on the L. and N. Railroad that the train on which he was running was wrecked and he was thrown from the top of a car and his neck broken. Not only was his neck broken, but his body was so terribly mangled that it is now simply patched together. His head is held erect by the aid of a steel mask, which runs up the back and over the head and fastens under the chin. By unfastening this the head falls limp upon the breast, proving beyond doubt that the neck is positively broken.

Mr. Baldwin will remove his mask at each lecture during the day.

Sam and Sadie Stire, the sailor whittlers, will also exhibit their beautiful work, and on next Friday afternoon they will present every lady with a handsomely-decorated fan.

In the theatre will be seen the following artists: John and Willie Macarthy, sketch artists; Margurite Newton, violinist; Smith Brothers, statuary posing; George Homer, singing and talking comedian, and the three Rankes Brothers in their latest creation entitled "The Musical Firesters."

**Nelson Opera Company.**

At the Academy of Music next week comic opera at popular prices will have full sway. The Nelson Company will produce that always welcome and everlasting opera, "The Bohemian Girl," for three nights only, then "La Mascotte," with its ludicrous situations, sparkling music and exhilarating libretto, will be given Thursday, Friday and Saturday. They claim to have a well-balanced company, that will give each opera presented a creditable production, giving the public more than the full value of the price charged, which are 25, 35 and 50 cents. A season of light opera at such low rates with a good company should prove profitable to all concerned.

**Nordica-Scalchi.**

Mme. Sofia Scalchi, who appears with the Nordica Operatic Concert Company, is without doubt the greatest contralto of our times. During the season, while singing with the diva, Patti, she fairly divided the honors and attention with that prima donna.

Mme. Scalchi is the embodiment of grace and artistic finish. Her singing and acting are at once the wonder and admiration of all the critics and the public.

Never in the musical history of Toronto has there appeared such an array of the highest talent, such as the above company appearing at the Pavilion, Feb. 10.

As there undoubtedly will be a great rush for seats, the public are urged to sign subscription list early, now open at Suckling & Sons.

**Notes.**

Kleiser's star course will open on Feb. 16 with Robert Nourse in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." The subscribers list is fast filling up at Nordheimers'. Mr. Nourse comes highly recommended.

The famous Brothers Byrne, in "Eight Bells," under the management of Primrose & West, come to Jacobs & Sparrow's Opera House for the week commencing Monday next.

The Toronto Orchestral School give their annual concert in the Pavilion Feb. 13. If their last season's program serves as a criterion no person in attendance will be disappointed. Over 80 orchestral players will occupy the stage, most of whom are young lads and lasses.

The story of how for sweet charity's sake a great tenor lifted up his voice in song in the market place, and how he was rewarded by the mighty voice of thousands cheering in approval at the opera, was told by Miss Marguerite Dunn on Thursday night at her recital. Those who desire to hear Miss Dunn should procure tickets for this concert in aid of St. Michael's hospital, at the Pavilion on Jan. 30.

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