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THE WEATHER

Toronto, Ont., May 12.—The disturbance which was in Virginia on Saturday has moved very slowly to the New England coast. Rain fell 1.6th Saturday and Sunday in the Peninsula of Ontario and the Ottawa Valley and is now falling in the western part of the Maritime Provinces. The weather is fairly warm in the western provinces.

Versailles, May 12.—Additional communications from the German peace mission were submitted yesterday in sealed envelopes to the French Foreign Office. The Foreign Office alone is cognizant of the nature of the documents.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

THE BETTER 'OLE

Clever Comedy Pleased Large Audiences at the Grand on Saturday.

Billed as a fragment from France in two explosions, seven splinters and a short gas attack, "The Better 'Ole" which was produced at the Grand Opera House on Saturday afternoon and evening, proved to be all of that and then some, for two big audiences were delighted with the piece, which was brim full of humor and catchy songs, and gave the members of the company ample opportunity to display their art.

The story, which was founded on the war-time cartoons of Capt. Bruce Bairnsfather, was written by him and Captain Arthur Elliot, while the musical score was composed, selected and arranged by those well-known English musicians, Herman Darewski and Percival Knight.

The action of the piece centered around the doings of the "Three Musketeers," Bert, Alf and Old Bill, who kept the audience in laughter from start to finish. Leon Fordon, as Bert, made a decided hit with the audience, his many love affairs being very amusing.

Percy Jennings, as Alf, made an admirable "Tommy," and his keen wit and ready smile was a feature of the evening.

Edmund Garney, as "Old Bill," was the recipient of well merited applause for his splendid portrayal of the role of the old Walrus, as Pte. Bill Busby was known to his pals, and his droll speech and big hearted manner was all that could be desired.

The company, which is a big one, is evenly balanced and reflects credit on Mr. and Mrs. Coburn, who brought the company to Canada.

The scenery was very pretty and the khaki-clad figures of the three pals and the other "Tomnies," to say nothing of the sprightly "Waacs," caused many a sigh of regret among the large number of returned soldiers in the audience, as the humor of trench life brought back memories of friends of a day who may never meet again.

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AT THE GRAND

Direct from a week at the Royal Alexandra, Toronto, Miss Elsa Ryan comes to the Grand Opera House to-night in "Tea for Three," the play which has made such a sensational success in New York, now in its 12th month at the Maxine Elliott Theatre there. In her new comedy, written by Roi Cooper Meigs, Miss Ryan has a role eminently suited to her versatile talents. Very different from that of Peg in "Peg O' My Heart," or the little cockney girl in "Out There," it is a role which brings out gallantly Miss Ryan's gifts as a comedienne. As the wife who, though sincerely in love with her somewhat stodgy husband, turns elsewhere for the attention she feels necessary to her happiness, Miss Ryan's performance is admirable in conception and satisfying in every detail. Norman Hackett, popular locally through several appearances, lends his polished stage presence and splendid diction to the role of the bachelor friend who helps bring about the happy solution of the triangular problem. Hayden Stevenson and other players render capable assistance. The play is in three acts and is handsomely staged by Selwyn and company. Miss Ryan's costumes are dreams of loveliness and smartness.

THE FALSE FACES

Virtile Screen Player Has Ideal Role in Thomas H. Ince's Great PROTOPLAY

The announcement that Henry B. Walthall, one of America's most famous screen stars, is to appear at the head of a splendid cast in a film version of Louis Joseph Vance's serial from the Saturday Evening Post, "The False Faces," is worthy of particular note. It is a Paramount-Arctcraft special feature produced by Thomas H. Ince and directed by Irvin V. Willat. Mary Anderson is leading woman and the leading heavy role is enacted by Lon Chaney.

Who that has read Vance's first story of the fascinating French crook, "The Lone Wolf," would wish to miss the second tale dealing with his exploits? Yes, he is no longer a crook, but an intelligence officer in the Allied service. He is pursuing a Hun spy who has wrecked his home, from motives of revenge as well as of loyalty. And in the end, after a series of wild adventures, he "gets" him. These adventures entail an attack by a U-boat on a liner, the falling of the hero upon the deck of the submarine, his escape and exposure of the secret base on Martha's Vineyard, and other equally thrilling experiences.

Mr. Walthall's work is said to be as good or better than anything he has ever done. The film has been carefully supervised by Mr. Ince and costs one of the most entertaining war-time pictures, it is said that has been released since America entered the great conflict. It will be presented for the first time here at the Griffin Theatre today.

WEEK OF MOURNING STARTS THROUGHOUT ALL GERMANY

Berlin, May 12.—A "week of mourning" has been decreed by the Government to express "sorrow and depression" over announcement of the peace terms. The week began yesterday. The decree provides that public frivolity must be stopped for eight days. Its provisions affect theaters and cabarets. Dancing, horse racing and gambling will be suppressed, the occasion probably being used to end the gambling frenzy in Berlin.

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When It is Adv.able to Invest in Milking Machines.

The Cause and Cure of Diarrhoea in Calves—Simple and Common-sense Methods of Treatment May Save Valuable Young Animals. (Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

It is clear that dairying is to develop as it ought to do in the Province of Ontario, more labor is needed on dairy farms. As the supply of labor is limited, cow-farmers are turning their attention to the mechanical milker as an aid in the biggest job on a farm where milk-cows are kept, namely, that of milking.

Past the Experimental Stage. While it is true that mechanical milkers are not yet perfected, and possibly will never be absolutely "fool-proof," they have reached a stage of perfection where they can be recommended to the man who is in need of help at milking-time.

There are several machines now on the market which have proven to be more or less successful in tests made at Experimental Stations, but what is even more important, have stood the test of actual farm conditions. The advertising columns of the agricultural press contain the names of the leading makes of machines which can now be purchased by milk-producers.

In answer to the question, will it pay to buy a milking machine? we would answer yes, under the following conditions:

1. Where a herd of twenty or more milking cows are kept, though we were in a stable recently where a man was using a machine to milk eight cows, and he considered that it paid him.

2. Where hand-milkers are not to be had, and where it means selling all, or part of the herd, because of the difficulty in getting the cows milked.

3. Where a man desires to increase his herd but cannot do so, because hand milking is impossible.

4. Where a man has some mechanical genius and is willing to give the machine the necessary attention in order to make it a success. Not every man can get good results with a milking machine. The cows must be stripped after the machine, to insure "milking out clean."

5. Where a man or woman will give the necessary attention in order to keep the machine clean, it must be thoroughly washed and the milking parts kept in a solution of chloride of lime—one pound, dissolved in ten gallons of water. This must be changed about every two weeks, or as often as necessary to prevent contamination.

6. Where a man has the necessary capital (about \$500) to invest in a machine and does not have to borrow the money at the present high rate of interest.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Infectious Diarrhoea in Calves.

A form of diarrhoea in calves, known as "Infectious Diarrhoea," is not uncommon in calves, and the owners are often at a loss to account for it.

It is caused by a specific germ that gains entrance to the circulation, generally by the nasal opening. It generally occurs as an epidemic in certain stables or certain localities, and as it is often fatal, causes great loss to the breeder.

The cause and results strongly resemble those of joint ill or navel ill in foals. The virus which causes the trouble exists in the stable or in the soil.

Symptoms.—At a variable time after the calf is born a few hours and in others a few days, the young animal suffers from an attack of acute diarrhoea, the symptoms of which do not differ markedly from ordinary diarrhoea, except from the fact that they seldom yield readily to treatment. The patient refuses to nurse or partake of nourishment, persists and death soon results.

Treatment.—Preventive treatment consists in preventing the calf from coming in contact with the virus. When we know that the entrance to the circulation of a germ causes the trouble, its entrance must be prevented in order that we may be successful. The building in which the calf is expected to bring forth young, and especially the stall, should be thoroughly disinfected. This may be done by sweeping and dusting thoroughly, and following by a thorough washing or scrubbing with a hot one per cent. solution of carbolic acid or one of the coal tar antiseptics, or a thorough coat of hot lime wash with five per cent. crude carbolic acid. The stall should be cleaned out daily and a little slacked lime spread upon the floor each time before supplying fresh bedding. The attendant should have a quantity of a good strong disinfectant on hand, as one of the solutions above mentioned or a solution of corrosive sublimate, 30 grams to a pint of water. The writer prefers the latter. The bedding of the calf should be freely dressed with this as soon as possible after birth, and several times daily afterwards until thoroughly healed.

Curative treatment is often ineffective. The following has probably given better results than any other, viz.: Mix part formalin with 15 parts new milk and mix a teaspoonful of this with each part of milk consumed by the calf. When the calf is nursing its dam the mixture can be mixed with a small quantity of the dam's milk and given as a drench, the attendant estimating about how much it should get. When the calf is not nursing the dam it is well to wash udder and teats with the solution before the calf nurses and once or twice daily for a week or so afterwards. When this is done the parts should be allowed to dry, and then be well rubbed with a dry cloth before the calf is allowed to nurse.—J. H. B., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

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