

GRAND OPERA AGAIN SCORES BIG SUCCESS

Artists Received with Enthusiastic Applause by Large Audience — Mlle. Gauthier gets Welcome.

At the Opera House last evening the Boston Opera Company repeated their success of Thursday night. The programme was almost entirely different, but at the same time consisted of numbers with which St. John music lovers are familiar. Naturally, the formal opening of the Imperial drew many who would otherwise have been present, yet the audience was gratifyingly large and most enthusiastic, demanding many encores. Mlle. Ernestine Gauthier, who has been ill for the past ten days, appeared last evening, and although not feeling quite up to the mark, was heard to fine effect in "Habernu" from Carmen. She received a very hearty welcome and added in large measure to the popularity she already enjoys. M. Sacchetti, too, was in better voice, his rendition of the role of Alfredo in "La Traviata" being all that could be desired. Mme. Hutcheson as Violetta was excellent, and gave a really enjoyable performance of this difficult role, singing the "A force lui" with a beautiful effect. The tenor and soprano duet of the first act between Mme. Hutcheson and M. Sacchetti, the most difficult number of the opera, was greeted with great applause. In the concert programme M. Oulouchanoff rendered the Aria from Faust, and for an encore gave Tosca's "The Rose Tree." M. Di Gabbi and Woolwine and M. Vitone, Littleton and Gatti were all in splendid voice and gave their auditors a musical treat.

Part of the company made a flying trip to the Imperial and rendered the sextette from Lucia de Lammermoor, returning as hurriedly to take part in "La Traviata."

Today there will be an all English matinee.

Tonight's programme is as follows:

1 Trio, "Faust" Gounod

(repeated by request)

Mme. Gatti, Vitone, Oulouchanoff.

2 Aria "Faust" Gounod

Mlle. Frances Woolwine.

3 Monologue "Andrea Chenier" Giordano

M. Nickola Oulouchanoff.

4 Una Voce, "Il Barbiere della Siviglia" Rossini

Mme. Gertrude Hutcheson.

5 Erit tu "Un Ballo in Maschera" Verdi

M. Pietro Vitone.

6 Il Fiore "Carmen" Bizet

M. Giovanni Gatti.

7 Air and Variations "Prock" Prock

Mme. Gertrude Hutcheson.

8 Quartette "Rigoletto" Verdi

Mmes. Gatti, Vitone, Woolwine.

9 To the Evening Star "Tannhauser" Wagner

Mr. Edna Littleton.

10 Sextette "Lucia di Lammermoor" Donizetti

Ensemble.

Verdi's grand opera "Il Trovatore"

in five acts will be sung by the following cast:

Manrico M. Sacchetti

Leonora Mme. di Gabbi

Azuena Mlle. Woolwine

Count du Luna M. Vitone

Ferrando M. Littleton

Eneiz Mlle. Sinclair

Ruis M. Lepard

WHERE TO BUY.

To the Editor of the Globe:
Sir—With your kind permission I should like to draw your attention to an editorial appearing in the St. John Standard of date September 18.

Quoting from this editorial which begins "While it is the undeniable right of every man to spend his money where he can get the best value for it," just at the juncture one is tempted to ask the editor if we have any guarantee of the continuity of this right. Continuing, the Standard says: "It is fair to say that Frederick and Moncton men and women should send their money out of the province to support the huge mail order houses of Upper Canada."

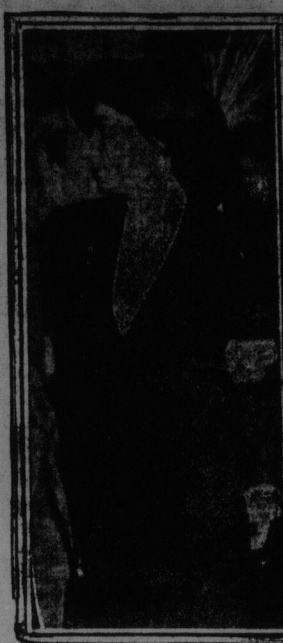
Here it would be well to point out that the people of St. John, Fredericton or Moncton are not troubling themselves about the upkeep or support of the large houses of Upper Canada; that is not the reason they send their money there. They send their money because they think those houses supply their material needs more fully than the local houses can for the same amount expended. The citizens of the Standard are finding fault with the merchants of St. John, Fredericton and Moncton to whom they are supposed to be disloyal by withholding their patronage inasmuch as those merchants will and do buy goods in England, Germany and the United States which it was possible for them to buy in Canada. St. John, Fredericton and Moncton are not doing this for any other reason than that they can buy them cheaper in those countries, exactly for the same reason that the people are condemned.

The Standard speaks of the disloyalty of the people in not patronizing local merchants, but it is nothing more than a disloyalty to the people of those merchants investing the profits made out of the people at home in far distant countries. English and Canadian investors have for long preferred investing their money in the United States rather than Canada, because they could draw larger dividends and percentages, and those are usually the people who prate the most about loyalty and patriotism.

After all, in a perfectly legal way, people and merchants are taking advantage of each other, being forced to do so from economic pressure resultant from the terrible competition of the competitive system under which we live.

Yours etc.
M. G. GORDIE,
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DENTIST, ACCOMPLICE OF SLAYER-PRIEST IN COUNTERFEITING.



Dr. Ernest Arthur Muret, dentist, was arrested and, according to the police, confessed that he had been for several months engaged in making counterfeit \$10 and \$20 bills as the partner of the Rev. Father Hans Schmidt, the Roman Catholic priest now in the Tombs, New York city, as the confessed murderer of Anna Ammiller, the victim of the Hudson River murder mystery.

Simultaneously with the arrest of the dentist in his home the policemen battered their way into an elaborately



Hans Schmidt, 40, is the constant companion of the priest. Dr. Muret was taken to Police Headquarters. Miss Bertha Zech, employed by him as a servant. She is held



him as a material witness and was arrested in the dentist's business parlors. Miss Annie Hirt identified the torso found in the river as that of her friend, Annie Ammiller.

RIVAL SECOND BASEMEN'S WORK

"Larry" Doyle, second baseman extraordinary and field captain of the New York Giants, is exactly the kind of a second baseman and field captain that John J. McGraw would seek with relentless vigor if he were not in possession of the aforesaid. There is no passing this point, the terminal having been reached so long ago that there is positively nothing to any opposing argument. In fact, there isn't any opposing argument.

As a Landmark.

Post-graduate fans have come to register Doyle as a common or garden landmark in the National League turf separating first and second bases. Not an old landmark, but a regular McGraw medium done, shaped, polished and fitted in the wide territory designated as second base position, but embracing a small town section, and for the ordinary purpose of straggling wallpans, liners, bouncers and rollers. A moderate percentage of the latter have been known to elude Doyle in his four years of getting down to business as a landmark, but not a large enough percentage to entice opposing batsmen of the right field hitting persuasion. As a fielder he is not absolutely free of the near-hobble, but his nomination to membership in the limited ranks of the Bosco family has been freely accepted for some time.

All of this combination settles his status as the pivot of the Giant inner-work on the defence. The Clonmel blood which percolates through his veins makes him one of the most accomplished, unflinching pivots in the business. In the last edition of the world's series, to remark nothing about other occasions, it was observed that he baited not even for a fraction of a second to warm his feet.

Throws and Bats Well.

Among other statistics unnecessary to emphasize are the facts that he chucks with the sinister arm, and works against the apprehensive opposing nomenclature with his bludgeon over his left shoulder.

Concerning his hitting, the great American jury has brought in a verdict of guilty in the first degree, his constant habit of shipping round white confagurations over fences, searing in fields and playing hobs with the hands of the opponents with his unmitigated clouts engendering the verdict as it stands.

There might be something more to state concerning Doyle, but apart from the facts that he has a nice, round face, a Joe Weber smile, and is generally unstinted in conversation there is a halt to be made, excepting for the cold, hard facts, which follow: Age, 27 years; comes from Caseyville, Ill.; started with Mattoon, Ill., in the Kitty League; bought by New York from Springfield, Ill., in Three I League, in 1907, for \$4,000, and has played with same team ever since. To date this year he has hit for .272.

Collins Some Player.

At this point in the career of Eddie Collins, known here and there as the "Lightning Conductor" at the half-way station for the Philadelphia Athletics, he is firmly established as an institution of the town along with his brothers, C. Mack, F. Baker, "Injun" Bender, "Gettysburg" Plank, scrapple, the mint, and slumber. Folks all over the known baseball world have digested

the facts and near-facts of Collins' aeroplaning from the beans and class to the banquet hall division of the diamond.

Some may not know it but Cornelius McGillicuddy is scored as the only man to beat Luther Burbank to it in transforming an almost lemon into a full-grown peach. Collins, of course, playing the fruit parts in the drama. Harking back to ancient history it was in 1907 that Cornelius, having his customary fit of extravagances on, blew himself to a couple of postage stamps and separated the slender Collins from college yells and a perfectly good amateur standing. Historians record how Collins blew into the Philadelphia squad with assets composed of a shrinking disposition, enough natural ability to pass the board of examiners, the style of half-cut known as the "varity fussera touch," and last but not least, a yearning for a major league income.

Connie Takes a Chance.

Cornelius gave him a few long, searching looks and gambled on the chance that he wasn't an embryonic fiver by wishing him on Newark, N. J., for a little more cooking. Collins was delivered f. o. b. at the tag end of the 1907 season and there was the 1908 schedule placed as the real show-down period for him. This was the near-lemon stage. Gaps in right field and shortstop were tried on him but apart from a disposition to treat himself to sundry and divers hits, as a matter of daily occurrence, the gaps continued unimpaired in general appearance. At shortstop he was tried and found guilty of the most consistent untamed chucking in Philadelphia history.

Here was something to stir C. Mack's grey matter. It was observed that the link leader only permitted his face to crack when the White Pachyderms were at the bat, as on those occasions Collins made up for his other deficiencies by busting the ball with consistent ferocity. During the winter of 1908-1909 Mack had nightly dreams of Collins at second base and it was made a matter of fact when spring wheeled the schedule into view. Under the new circumstances the near-lemon developed into the full grown peach, the soft around second base being peculiarly adapted for the purpose.

Which is all there is to it. There he went and there he is, looking as natural as ever, acclaimed by a large majority as the best in the American League. Furthermore his batting and base running continue as sweet as ever. Cold facts come to the following: Age, 26 years; hails from Millerton, N. Y.; came with Columbus, Ga., to the Philadelphia Athletics, in 1907, for \$4,000, and has played with New York State; throws right-handed and bats left-handed. Recent figures give his batting average as .338.



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Although it is hardly a year since the Farm Settlement Board got to work, up to the present 85 men have been placed on farms in the province. A large proportion of those who have taken up farms under the Settlement Act are old countrymen or Americans, but in quite a number of cases farms have been sold to sons of native farmers who without the opportunity offered by the board might have gone west. Practically all of those to whom the board has sold farms are married men with families, and the operations of the board so far mean that about 400 people have been located on the land.

"Of the original grant of \$100,000 made by the legislature to the board, about \$60,000 has been expended so far, but this will be returned with interest at five per cent in the course of ten years. Those taking up farms are required to make a first payment of 25 per cent of the cost of the farm, and to pay up the balance in ten years with interest.

The Secretary of the Farm Settlement Board believes that the applications for farms next year will be greatly in excess of the number received since the board got to work, and that in order to carry on its work the legislature will have to make a large grant for next year. The novel experiment of the government has secured for the province a good deal of advertisement in the United States and Great Britain, and with the growing knowledge of the opportunities offered by the province it is expected that the stream of immigration here will be steadily augmented.

CHEAP FARES TO PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Regular excursion fares to Charlottetown from all New Brunswick and Nova Scotia stations on September 22, 23, 24, and 25, good for return September 27th.

Special excursion fares on September 23rd good for return September 26th. From St. John the round trip fare will be \$4.00.

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PERSONAL.

John G. McKinnon arrived in the city last evening from Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Irvine left today by C. P. R. for an extended trip to Boston, New York and Washington. H. T. Campbell, accompanied by his wife, left by the I. C. R. for Montreal last evening to attend the twenty-ninth annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, which opens on Monday, Sept. 22nd. Mr. Campbell will represent the St. John Typographical Union at the convention.

Miss Laura M. Campbell left last evening by I. C. R. on a visit to Montreal and Quebec.

ST. JOHN MAN PRESENT.

(Haverhill, Mass., Gazette.)
The last meeting of Longfellow Lodge, No. 160, I. O. G. T., was an important one when three grand officers of Massachusetts, Grand Chief Templar Charles W. Corkum of Boston, Grand Elector Superintendent A. P. Wilson of Lynn and Grand Chaplain Mrs. Clara Robinson of Methuen were entertained, while Past Grand Chief Templar William Lawson, a minister of St. John, N. B., who has been visiting relatives in this city for the past few days, was also present. Large delegations were present from the lodges of the order of Methuen, Lawrence and Newburyport.

"KING" COLE WILL JOIN THE YANKEES.

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NEWCASTLE IS BOOMING

Business in Miramichi District is Thriving, Says Hon. John Morrissey — Fireproof Vault.

"Newcastle is booming," said Hon. John Morrissey, who was in the city yesterday. "Business along the Miramichi is good; everybody seems to be busy. The lumber shipments from the Miramichi this summer have been large. The farmers have had a good season, crops being as good as in other years."

Mr. Morrissey has been looking into the question of installing a fireproof vault to hold the Probate Court papers, and will arrange to have a room near the Probate Court fitted up with fireproof vaults. "Other municipalities," he said, "provide such vaults, but St. John does not seem to consider it has any obligation in the matter. There would be a great deal of noise if the Probate Court papers were burnt up. So the province will provide a vault."

Mr. Morrissey had a conference yesterday with Hon. John E. Wilson in regard to the arrangements for keeping the probate records. Nothing definite has been decided on, but it is understood that the intention of the government is to rent a room in the Canada Life building, adjoining the office of H. O. McInerney, registrar of probates, for this purpose.

The records will be removed from the registry office where there is not sufficient room for them, and stored in steel filing cabinets in the fireproof vault of the new office. The office will be furnished with tables and chairs for the convenience of those who find it necessary to consult the records.

FAMILY IS REUNITED.

Pleasant Gathering at William Boodle's Residence Ends.

(Haverhill, Mass., Gazette.)
Rev. William Lawson, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. William Boodle, and his mother, Mrs. Eliza Lawson, both of 11 Bellevue avenue, has left for New York city, where he will make a brief visit prior to resuming his duties at St. John, N. B. This visit of Rev. Mr. Lawson to his mother and sister marks their first meeting in the past 23 years. It is interesting to note in this joyous family reunion the fact that in the descendants of Mrs. Eliza Lawson there are four generations. Mrs. Lawson, who is one of Haverhill's oldest citizens, observed her 96th birthday on June 26. She has made her home in this city for the past 28 years, living at the residence of her son-in-law, William Boodle, Mrs. Boodle and Rev. William Lawson are the second of the generation, while the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Boodle, Mrs. Margaret Gray, is the third, her three-year-old daughter, Margaret, making the fourth.

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