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\$5000 REWARD.—We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lynn, Mass., \$5000, which will be paid to any person who can find the above mentioned letters, and who will bring them to the publisher of this paper, or to the writer's special permission. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Montreal, May 2.—At a meeting to-day the deal was completed transferring the Boomer roads to the C.P.R. The old directors resigned, and were replaced by Solicitor Creelman of the C.P.R. as president, and General Manager McNicoll as vice-president.

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SENT UP FOR TRIAL.
Winnipeg, May 2.—J. Y. Cain, late lieutenant at the court house, was sent up for trial on 13 charges of forgery and uttering. No defence was put in. The charges date from 1894, and the amount of the cheques forged totals \$232,160.

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Public Amusements

Mr. Mantell at the Grand.
Supported by one of the strongest organizations on the road, and with entirely new costumes, properties and scenery, Mr. Robert Mantell, Toronto's favorite actor, commences his annual spring engagement at the Grand Opera House next week. Mr. Mantell's repertoire is complete with dramas and tragedies, representing the masterpieces of the world's famous authors.



ROBERT B. MANTELL.

During the first week of his engagement at the Grand he will present "Richieu" and "Hamlet." The former will be given on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Wednesday matinee, and the latter the balance of the week.

New Melodrama at the Toronto.
"A Ragged Hero," a melodrama new to Toronto theatregoers, will be presented at the Toronto Opera House next week. This play is the latest effort of Maurice J. Fielding, and is said to be constructed on lines somewhat different from those usually laid down in melodrama. The atmosphere is pastoral, although the incidents are melodramatic. It tells a romantic story of life in the rugged hills of New England. An extremely diverting vein



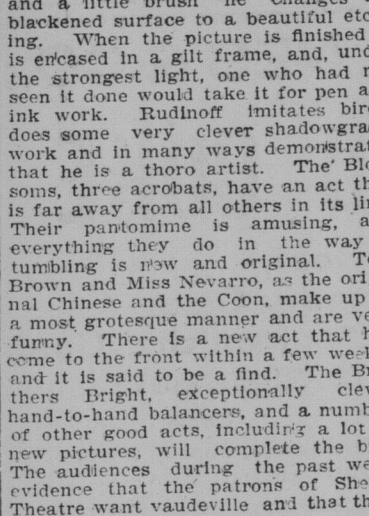
JULIA WEST.

of comedy runs through the play, the principal fun-maker being a nomad named "Willie Wild Flower," who was once a good fellow and everybody's friend, but was driven to drink, and finally to tramping by the faithlessness of his daughter. He redeems himself, however, and shows up in his true character before the story closes.

This Week at Shea's.
The return to vaudeville at Shea's Theatre this week met with the approval of all the theatre-going public of Toronto. This was shown by the large audiences at every performance and the enthusiastic applause which greeted every act. A good bill was presented, and Mr. Shea promised that next week's show will be even better. As a headliner Rudinoff has been secured. Rudinoff gives a varied entertainment, and is so clever and interesting in every part of it that he seldom gets away from his audience under 30 or 40 minutes. He is a Frenchman, as his accent denotes, and his few little attempts at American jokes are really laughable. Rudinoff begins his act with smoke pictures. Taking a large sheet of porcelain, he holds it until it is covered with smoke, and then with the point of his index finger and a little brush he changes the blackened surface to a beautiful etching. When the picture is finished it is released in a gilt frame, and under the light, one who has not seen it done would take it for pen and ink work. Rudinoff imitates birds, does some clever shadowgraphs, and in many ways demonstrates that he is a thorough artist. The "Blossoms," three acrobats, have an act that is far away from all others in its line. Their pantomime is amusing, and everything they do in the way of tumbling is new and original. Tom Brown and Miss Navarro, as the original Chinese and the Coon, make up in a most grotesque manner and are very funny. There is a new act that has come to the front within a few weeks, and it is said to be a find. The Bros. there, Bright, exceptionally clever hand-to-hand balancers, and a number of other good acts, including a lot of new pictures, will complete the bill. The audiences during the past week evidence that the patrons of Shea's Theatre want vaudeville and that they will support it.

Season Opens May 24.
The summer season at Munro Park will open as usual on May 24, and the management announce that this year's entertainments will be very superior to anything given on the grounds previously. In addition to the very best vaudeville, there will be summer opera by some of the best houses in the world, and performances by companies of the highest standing. Considerable improvements are being carried out on the grounds, and visitors will be even more comfortable than heretofore. Already visitors are flocking down in large numbers, and the restaurant is doing a good business. Workmen are busy cleaning up, repairing and improving pavilions, the beach and swimming. The management will, as heretofore, refuse all the tempting offers which have been made for Sunday band concerts, and even for religious services, although these desirous of conducting the latter have offered to use beautiful moving pictures and to employ some first-class singers. The booking of performers will be done thru first-class houses in New York and Chicago.

On May 15.
Florizel Reuter, the wondrous child-violinist, who has been spoken of as a greater virtuoso than Kubelik, and who has achieved so great a success



FLORIZEL REUTER.

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Fractured His Thigh.
Caleb Buckland, aged 70 years, of 230 Drexel-avenue, while painting the doorsteps of a house at the corner of Gloucester and Church-streets yesterday, fell and fractured his thigh. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Allen, after which the injured man was removed to St. Michael's Hospital.

While operating a machine yesterday in the Toronto Plate Glass Company's works, Henry Cutler had his hand badly lacerated. Dr. McCallum dressed the injuries.

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