

AT THE THEATRES

SOTHERN AND MARLOWE AT THE ROYAL ALEXANDRA

Present Four Shakespearean Plays During Their Three-Nights Engagement, Beginning June 10.

E. H. Sothern and J. M. Marlowe will appear at the Royal Alexandra Theatre for three nights, beginning Monday, June 10. During their engagement they will give four performances, two comedies and two tragedies from their Shakespearean repertoire. The bill for the opening night will be Shakespeare's *Twelfth Night*. On Tuesday night they will be seen in *Romeo and Juliet*, with Mr. Sothern as Romeo and Miss Marlowe as Juliet. The Merchant of Venice will be the bill at the Wednesday matinee. Mr. Sothern appearing as Shylock and Miss Marlowe as Portia, and on Wednesday the last night of their engagement, Mr. Sothern will be seen as Hamlet and Miss Marlowe as Ophelia. The prices arranged for this engagement will be from 50c to \$2. In cities with theatres of limited capacity it is customary for Sothern and Marlowe to charge as high as \$4 for orchestra seats. All mail orders will be filled in the sequence of their receipt. The Sothern and Marlowe supporting company is practically the same as that which was seen with them when they appeared at the Royal Alexandra Theatre a little over a year ago. Some of the important members

There is an admirable supporting company, and in the roster may be found many well-known players' names.

"Wish Wynne" Coming to Shea's.

Manager Shea, has been securing attractions and has for the next few weeks several acts that are new to Toronto theatregoers, and some of them new to this country. On next week's bill the headline features is Wish Wynne, the English character comedian, who has not been seen outside of New York City. Miss Wynne does clever character changes, is dainty and versatile and has a repertoire of original and tuneful songs.

The special extra features for the week will be Joseph B. Howard and Mable McCane, in a little sketch made up to entertain. Mr. Howard and Miss McCane will introduce some of Mr. Howard's best known songs. The B. B. Brown Brothers, comedy instrumentalists, and Bowers, Walters and Crocker, "The Three Rubes."

"The Deep Purple" Coming.

"The Deep Purple," one of the most important attractions of the season, will be seen at the Grand Opera House, for an engagement of one week, commencing Monday, May 20. It is a play



The chorus of the Popular Stock Burlesque Company at the Star Theatre who will be given a chance to shine in individual numbers at the theatre to-night.

Chauncey Olcott in "Macaulay."

The beau-ideal Irish romantic actor and singer, Chauncey Olcott, will be the attraction in the Princess Theatre for one week commencing Monday evening next, presenting his new play, "Macaulay." It will be an event of more than usual interest, for the play, which is from the pen of Hilda Johnson Young, is one of the most romantic and delightful of all in which this popular star has yet appeared. It is one of the productions for which Augustus Plou has become justly famed, and in many respects is probably one of the finest ever given in Irish plays. The music, too, is unusual. Frederick Knight Logan, who wrote the incidental music of "Ragged Robin," has made a close

Rush for Percy Haaswell Seats.

That Miss Percy Haaswell is going to receive a royal welcome on Monday evening when she begins her third summer season in Toronto was evidenced by the long line of people at the office of the Royal Alexandra Theatre yesterday. The amount of money taken in will not be a record, but the number of attractions in the regular season, just as many as have been sold. The summer prices prevailing explain this fact. Miss Haaswell's first presentation in Toronto was a three-act comedy, by W. Somerset Maugham, which received its first presentation in London two seasons ago and proved an immense success. The program will consist of two acts, the first of which is a comedy, "Habit," in which she will sing the famous "Habit" in most surprising style, with complete scenic and orchestra effects. The chief supporting soloist will be Sig. Galliso Gasparri, tenor, and the orchestra will be under the capable leadership of M. Van den Bergh.

"Mrs. Calve" To-night.

To-night at Massey Hall, Mrs. Emma Calve and her concert company will give the last concert of the season. Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia, Last night the prima donna sang in Los Angeles, and the receipts were over \$100,000, and on Sunday night the opera house in Detroit was sold out for their appearance. It is expected, therefore, that the Toronto matinee will be a great success. The chief attraction of the concert will be the performance of the great soprano and her admirably assisted by the entire orchestra and Calve's own condensed version of Bizet's opera, "Carmen," in which she will sing the famous "Habanera." The operatic excerpt being staged many times in "Macaulay," a new play by Hilda Johnson Young.

CHAUNCEY OLCOTT

The delightful Irish actor and ballad singer, who will be at the Princess theatre next week in "Macaulay," a new play by Hilda Johnson Young.

Here, There and Everywhere

It is 23 years since Bert Baker started out to make people laugh. He has traveled all over the civilized world and wherever he has gone he got the people laughing, and they laugh every time they think of him. He has lost none of his old-time antics. "Here, There and Everywhere" is the name of the piece in which the Bon Ton Burlesque figure, with Baker as the big, fat-faced, jovial individual, the leading figure. He is supported in the principal mix-up by Lee Hickman, Margaret Lavau and Edith Graham. In this are shown in the progress of the Bon Ton parade, which includes many matrimonial mess every now and then. It is one round of laughter. In the old Baker makes another bit in his character of the typical fat man. The Bowers Joint, the gay life in the Bowers Joint, as depicting New York life, are shown in the progress of the Bon Ton parade, which includes many matrimonial novelties, a good chorus with pretty costumes and scenery. The Bon Tons will be at the Gaiety next week.

Billy Spencer Back.

Billy Spencer, the favorite of last season's stock company, has again come to Toronto for the rest of the season and will play at the Star Theatre Burlesque Stock Company, starting next week. His

Albert Phillips in "The Deep Purple" at the Grand next week.

coming will be welcomed by crowded houses and his repertoire is one that will surprise the burlesque world. He has prepared a bright and breezy comedy in two acts to open his season. It is an extravaganza of high-class merit, and with a larger company to support him, he should be a more pronounced success than last season.

What Happened to Jones.

Under the auspices of the Indian board of the Toronto Western Hospital the St. Alban's Dramatic Club will present their successful play, "What Happened to Jones," at Foresters Hall, Colborne street, on Saturday evening. Tickets at 50c and 75c may be obtained from any member of the board. The proceeds will be devoted towards providing a suitable home for the nurses connected with the hospital.

Balmly Beach College.

The dramatic department of the Balmly Beach College, under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Balmly, will present a play at the Grand next week.

North Sea's Harvest Worth Many Millions

To the United Kingdom the North Sea is the most profitable fishing ground. Last year the value of the fish landed on the north-east coast was \$18,768,970, over a third of the total value of the fish landed in the whole of England and Wales, and \$200,000 worth more than was landed in the whole of Scotland and Ireland combined during the same year. The increase over 1910 was \$32,420, and compared with 1911, the total value of the fish landed in 1912 showed an increase of \$2,321,000. The number of crabs and lobsters landed showed an increase of 23,742 crabs and 15,421 lobsters, but oysters showed a decrease. Whereas in 1911 there were landed 4,960,000 oysters, valued at \$43,420, last year only 4,850,000 oysters, valued at \$39,000, were landed.

A NEW THEORY AS TO VENTILATION.

Just how ozone acts as an antidote to the effects of bad ventilation does not seem to be generally understood. Two English investigators, Leonard Hill and Martin Black, point out that the air of a factory may contain as high as four per cent. of carbon dioxide without being harmful to health, and that a deficiency of oxygen does not become important until the proportion falls to fourteen or fifteen per cent. This agrees with the fact that the lungs normally contain about five per cent. of carbon dioxide, making it possible for the air to be as bad as the few parts per cent. usually considered excessive in the outside air.

MARGARET LA VAUN

With the "Bon Tons" at the Gaiety next week.

METHOD OF TRANSMITTING PICTURES BY TELEGRAPH.

Less crude than it appears at first sight is claimed to be the Mortier system of transmitting pictures by ordinary telegraph line without special electrical apparatus. The picture is divided into tiny sections, and the brightness of each is telegraphed according to a prearranged code. To give sufficiently accurate reproduction of the picture, the original is photographed through a special screen of semi-transparent sheets, marked out into equal squares, filled with different patterns of lines and dots. The reproduction appears divided into "fields" of "cells," each having the lines and dots indicating its degree of brightness, and by means of a special observing frame these varying degrees are read off in definite order.

THE SEASIDE.

As the time is now opportune to plan for the summer outing and as the lure of the sea appeals to a large number of people, those desiring a most attractive resort cannot do better than to procure a copy of the new booklet entitled "The Seaside." This booklet deals with a number of seaside resorts on Long Island Sound, reached through New London, Conn., and are of access by fast well equipped trains over the Grand Trunk Railway System. It is suggested that the discomfort from lack of ventilation may be due to stagnation of the air, resulting in lassitude from diminished skin evaporation, and in nausea caused by the ordinary from an imperfectly washed mass of people. Correction of the odor is supposed the chief value of the ozone.

BISLEY BROS ARE WELL.

Principal Hagarty of Harbor College received a cable yesterday from Dr. E. J. Hanson of London, stating that the Canadian boys are all well and in splendid form. Hagarty has had massive treatment and his ankle is normal.

GRANT NOT HELD.

A "no bill" was returned by the grand jury in the case of Dr. Garratt, charged with obstructing the cause of justice in the fake street railway case.

DISCUSSED THE COST OF WATER

Committee Spends Two Hours of Questioning and Theory-Spinning — Ald. Maguire Would Meter All Houses

What Mayor Geary does not know about the waterworks, or part of what his worship lacks in data, he took a good portion of two hours in asking for at the meeting of the special committee on water meter inspection yesterday afternoon. At the end of the 120 minutes, the mayor expressed the opinion that a certain evening paper, which was not represented there, would say that they had done nothing during the meeting. He had secured considerable valuable information. He therefore moved that the committee adjourn to meet again next Monday afternoon, to receive more information, requests for which had been noted by the secretary of the committee during the meeting.

Probably yesterday afternoon eclipsed all records for questioning, theory spinning, puzzled looks and head shaking of the Geary regime. Chairman A. Maguire had one clear-cut opinion. That was that the metering of every house, large and small, and the maintenance and inspection was not going to cheapen the cost of the delivery of aqua pura to the thirsty household, or cause the factory engines to get up steam any cheaper. Mayor Geary was out strong for the metering of the only scientific method of selling water.

Give Outskirts a Show.

Controller Foster was strong for the metering of the outskirts getting a show equal to the man in the centre. He thought the manufacturers were now getting the best of the deal. So did A. C. Holm and Controller McCarthy. Mayor Geary said the system was practically new, and there was the sinking fund. It was small, he would admit.

Discussion drifted to the minimum charge per house. This was \$1.60 a year. The mayor wanted to carry a show for everybody, and told the committee about the time when, as a lad, he was privileged to carry pails of water round the old homestead. Controller McCarthy wanted the rate to manufacturers raised to 15c, and to residents to cents a thousand gallons. Mayor Geary said the minimum annual water rate per house at \$1.60 instead of \$1.50 as at present.

BUZY LIFE OF THE GERMAN EMPEROR.

There is no harder worked man in the Fatherland than the Kaiser, asserts a writer in The National Magazine for May. He rises at 5 o'clock in the morning throughout the year, and after attending to his toilet and taking breakfast with the empress, he enters his study, where piles of letters, and official documents await him. His secretary is in attendance, but he prefers to go through everything important himself, marking with a cross such letters and documents as require immediate attention.

NOT TROUBLED BY RECIPROcity

The club man and the man about town have shown that reciprocity, either accepted or rejected, has little influence on their pocket pleasures. Nothing could possibly shake their faith in our good old Canadian whiskey and Radnor Water, the most popular of all mixers.

NOT THE RUSSELL GARAGE.

It was stated in some of the Toronto papers on Tuesday morning, but in The World, that Stanley Hallam took a motor car from the Russell garage. The machine broke down at Oakville and Hallam was arrested on a charge of theft. The car was not taken from the Russell garage.

THIS LADY GIVES A SPLENDID REASON

Why She Would Not Be Without Dodd's Kidney Pills in the House.

They helped her husband and cured her own Rheumatism, Dropsy and Gravel of thirteen years' standing. Cando, Sask., May 15.—(Special.) "I would not be without Dodd's Kidney Pills in the house," exclaims Mrs. C. MacKenzie of this place. And those who have heard Mrs. MacKenzie's story do not wonder that she is so emphatic.

She is a victim for about twelve or thirteen years of Bladder and Kidney trouble. Mrs. MacKenzie says, "I grew into Rheumatism, Dropsy and Gravel. Doctors attended me, but they did not do me any good. My husband had used Dodd's Kidney Pills with good results, so I decided to give them a trial. Before I had finished the first box I was greatly benefited."

Dodd's Kidney Pills benefit and cure permanently all who suffer from any form of Kidney Disease. They cure the Kidneys and cured Kidney strain, the form that causes the disease out of the blood. That's why Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure Rheumatism, Dropsy and Gravel.

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The "Magic" Vacuum Cleaner Weighs Only 10 lbs

Cleaning with the "Magic" does away with the fatigue and annoyance of house cleaning by other means—no need of upsetting the home by moving carpets, rugs, furniture, etc.

It needs no hose for floor-cleaning, so it's most handy for daily use. The nozzle, being in direct contact with the floor, removes all germ-laden dust and dirt and deposits it in the dust-bag. Hose and attachment are used for other cleaning. Cost of electric current consumption about 1c per hour. Guaranteed against all mechanical defects for five years.

"Magic" complete with 25 ft. of conducting cord and attachment 39.50
"Magic" complete with eight attachments 52.50
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MAY BE BODY OF DAVID PERTLE

Man Found on Carlaw Avenue Believed to Have Come From Cobourg on a Freight.

That the body of the unknown man found in a vacant lot at the corner of Gerrard street and Carlaw avenue is that of Daniel Pertle, who left Cobourg on a freight train while drunk early in the night of the 15th, is the opinion of Mike Pertle of Kingston, the brother of the man who wrote to the local police of Cobourg, Ontario, marking with a cross such letters and documents as require immediate attention.

WIDENING OF QUEEN STREET.

Controllers Foster and Hocken have been appointed a sub-committee to report on the proposal to widen Queen street to 90 feet at Spadina avenue by taking in a 24-foot alley on the north side from James to Beverly.

WOMEN'S RILMENTS CAUSED BY NEGLECT

Are Quickly Cured and Robust Sound Health Restored by Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

Women of the whole are more skilful than men. One reason is that their system is more complicated; another and more important reason is that they are more susceptible to the cause of the beginning of women's ailments. The mind becomes weakened and polluted—the nerves suffer and a run-down condition takes root.

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