

A FRANK YOUNG WIFE.—Old Moneybags (to young wife)—"I wonder sometimes, darling, how you can possibly love an old curmudgeon like me."

Young wife—"You wouldn't, dear, if you knew how much I like to wear good clothes."

AGNES THOMSON will appear, for the first time since her recent New York victories, at the Grenadiers' entertainment on Friday of this week. Two considerations will crowd the Pavilion—she is a Toronto lady, and is one of the finest sopranos on the continent. Concerning M. Rosenthal, pianist, the Boston Post says:—"The Roumanian Court pianist, Herr Moriz Rosenthal, was received with even more favor than upon his first appearance in Boston, and he was forced to answer the many recalls after playing the Rhapsodie Hongroise with the Polish Song by Chopin."

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EDWIN ARDEN, (at Toronto Opera House this week) was greeted by a splendid house last night, and "Barred Out," his new play, was greeted with unmistakable enthusiasm. It was the first performance of the drama this season, and, as an unavoidable result, the curtain did not drop on the last act until nearly 11.30, but the production was such a success that the entire audience remained until it was completed. The drama is of peculiar construction, well laden with strong points and marks of the author's originality. It is an Irish drama with many strong parts and a liberal dash of comedy. —The Rochester Union

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