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MUSIC AND DRAMA

THE CURTAIN WILL RISE AT 8 situation. O'CLOCK AT "THE CARDINAL" TONIGHT.

Miss Maude Fealy, who plays the principal female role in Mr. E. S. Willard's "The Cardinal," at the Grand tonight, enjoys the distinction of being the youngest leading actress on the American stage; and it is doubtful if on the stage of any country can be found an actress so youthful occupying a position of such responsibility. She is only 18 years old, but her theatrical experience has been as extensive as that of many prominent actresses double her age, for she made her debut when she was barely 3, and except for few years in early girlhood, when she was sent to school, she has since given her devoted attention to the theater. Last season she was selected from among a multitude of applicants to become the leading lady of the company which went to London to appear

The death of Mrs Meston with Mr. William Gillette in "Sherlock at the Lyceum Theater. She plaudits upon her. All those who have a family of three children. their seats reserved are requested to be early, as the curtain rises promptly at 8 o'clock.

AL. G. FIELD'S MINSTRELS.

The attraction at the Grand on Wed- a native of Kilkenny, Ireland, and saw nesday is the Al. G. Field's Greater service in the Forty-seventh Regiment Minstrels. The Denver Times says: Al. in the Crimean war and Fenian Raid. G. Field, with a whole trainload of new A widow and six children are left. The coon songs, latest cut of jokes and a latter are W. H. and John Brophy, of small army of comedians, is in town. this city; Misses Anna and Lillian, at That knowledge was enough to pack the home, and Mrs. Harry Lewis and Mrs. Baker Theater yesterday afternoon and J. W. Laird, Tilbury. evening, when a three nights' engage- INTERRED AT WOODLAND. ment was opened. To give any idea of what Al. Field's Minstrels are like, would be impossible, as anyone who ever saw them knows.

"LORD STRATHMORE". THURSDAY In Oulda's great novel, "Strathmore," which has been dramatized by Verna Wood, under the title of "Lord the family. The services were constrathmore," there are such wide ducted by Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. sweeps of human interest and such swift Andrew's Presbyterian Church. transitions from one shade of human passion to another, that there is much curiosity to see the elaborate produc-tion which Manager David Trescott, in present at the Grand on Thursday, with Peter McDonald, of this city, and Mr. ed by Miss Virginia Drew Trescitt, in her famous creation of Lady Vayasour. It is an intense dramatic and virile play, with a strong moral lesson, which could be credited to the pulpit as easily as to the stage. The pian opens tomorrow.

In al. Passinote, of Toronto.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

The Kensington Methodist Church, in the author, has just passed the crisis at times very ardent, and is emphasized by his flashing eye and rapid and profuse gesticulation. His voice is powerful, but musical, and his preaching is accompanied with an address, expression.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

-Miss Frances Monroe is visiting friends in Port Huron. -Mrs. E. Kent is visiting her daugh-

dusky, Ohio. Caro, Mich., after a visit with his marked by the fewest sales on the board ing them. Their work is a defense of -Mr. Harry Hanson has returned to aunt, Mrs. Barclay, Ontario street. -George Kerr, of Parkhill, but formerly of Craig, has moved his family to this city, where he has secured a

ter. Mrs. Dr. J. S. Hanson, of San-

-Mrs. Furness, of Talbot street, has returned home after a visit in Toronto with her sister, Mrs. Plumber, with Mrs. Oliver Macklen and with Mrs. Becher, Rosecale.

-Some changes are being made in the Bank of Montreal. Mr. E. V. London. Brown is being moved to Stratford as manager temporarily, and Mr. Dick is now at Wallaceburg.

DIDN'T MIND WEATHER. So many requests were received by Messrs. Dayton & McCormick to have another hop that on Friday evening the successful "closing" of a week before was repeated. There was a large attendance. The music was good, and though the evening was warm for an

selves thoroughly.

indoor dance, all there enjoyed them-

The death of Mrs. Meston, wife of Mr. James Meston, of W. E. Saunders played Alice Faulkner throughout the & Co., occurred at Victoria Hospital engagement, with pronounced success, this morning. Death was due to an the critics having many kind words attack of blood poisoning. Besides her for her art, while the public showered husband, Mrs. Meston is survived by

OLD RESIDENT'S DEATH. Mr. Patrick B. Brophy died here yesterday in his 66th year, having resided stone going for 111/2 cents and Proof in London a number of years. He was Line for 1114 cents.

The funeral of the late Mr. William Lamb, of 566 Dufferin avenue, was held yesterdayafternoon to Woodland Cemetery. As it was of a private character it was attended by only the relatives pallbearers were the four sons of Mr Lamb-James, of Toronto; Andrew, of Hamilton; Fred and Charles, of this city, and the two sons-in-law-

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sive of the esteem she is held in by the choir, of which she has been a member for some years. Mr. J. Chapman read the address and Miss Kestle made the presentation on behalf of the

ORGAN RECITAL.

The programme of organ music to be played by Mr. W. H. Hawlett tomorrow evening in the Memorial Church will be as follows: Fugue on St. Ann's Tune (Bach), Adagio and Allegro from Benediction and Entree du Procession (Wagner), and Choral March (Dudley Buck). Mr. Chrystal Brown will also contribute three vocal numbers: Aria,

RESOLUTION OF REGRET. The East Middlesex Conservative Association met on Saturday afternoon and passed a resolution of regret at the death of the late president, Mr. Shaw-Wood, who was also the founder of the Ontario Association and the first president of the same. resolution was introduced by Mr. James Gilmour, M. P. for the riding, and was carried by a standing vote. Several members spoke highly of the services rendered the party by the late Mr. Shaw-Wood, whose death

was referred to in a letter from Mr. Borden, which was read at the meeting. Action was also taken by the association regarding the voters' lists and Mr. S. F. Glass was authorized to act as president until the annual

DAIRYMEN ARE ORGANIZED

London Exchange Began Season on Saturday.

Mr. John Brodie, of Mapleton, Is President.

organized for the season on Saturday the society men of the city to attend, afternoon. The start made was a good and many accepted it. The Woodmen one, the price paid for the three lots of cheese offered being as high almost as was reached on the board at any time last year.

Besides conducting the regular sale, he exchange had to elect officers for the year. Mr. E. S. Hunt, of Westminster township, retired from the presidency after serving three years, and his place will be filled by Mr. John Brodie, of Mapleton, who has always taken an interest in the welfare of the ed the members for their support and visit the sick and bury the dead. It camps among the lumbermen. also took occasion to refer to the loss sustained by the association by the death of Mr. John Gilmour, of Dorchester. He moved that a letter of condol-

ence be forwarded to Mrs. Gilmour. to homes, for every well regulated home The motion was adopted. The report of the secretary, Mr. J. that the secrets of the home are not the exchange during 1902. The season of the crafts. Some people defend was favorable in some respects. It was them. I would not waste time defend-

President—John Brodie, of Mapleton. stitution, and Jesus Christ is its most dist Church, whose pulpit was occu-Vice-President-J. W. Crinklaw, of

Delaware. Auditor-J. S. Pearce, London.

Secretary-Treasurer-J. A. Nelles, of Directors—George B. Brodie, Glad-stone; J. W. Boyes, Leesboro; T. Bal-

Ingersoll; John Sullivan, Camlachie. Messrs, J. R. Isaacs, London, and E. Ballantyne, jun., of Stratford, were elected to represent the exchange on A letter was received from Mr. Rud- Two Women and a Boy Have a Very Rev. G. B. Sage Refers to the Death Mr. Vosburgh spoke upon "Christian dick, of the department of agriculture, requesting the exchange to send a salesman to a meeting of

officials of the departement and the Montreal Produce Merchants' Association, the object being mainly to consider the standard of quality and deno action, as the matters did not apply to the west, where cheese was bought ern markets.

Saturday's offerings were confined to three factories-Mapleton, Gladstone and Proof Line, which offered 70, 100 and 70, cheese was sold, Mapleton and Glad-

DR. JOHNSTON PEN-SKETCHED

Montreal Herald Pictures Preacher Named by American Church Com't.

American Presbyterian Church's decision to call to its pastorate, either Rev.

city, says:
"Dr. Johnston, like Dr. Ross, is a
Canadian, both by birth and education,
having graduated from Knox College, to which institution he is also indebted for his degree of D. D.

'A man of considerably over six feet in height, Dr. Johnston has a strikingly handsome face-dark hair, eyes and beard—in short, an imposing pulpit presence, which lends itself to his style

REMAINS IN COMMAND

Lt.-Col. McEwen's Tenure of Office Officially Extended.

The latest issue of the Militia Gazette announces the appointment of Lieut. and Brevet-Capt. S. P. Layborn, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, as district staff adjutant for the London military district. It also states that the period of tenure of command of Lieut.-Col. R. McEwan is extended to May 19, 1904.

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ALFRED FITZPATRICK'S WORK AMONG ISOLATED WORKMEN

and Has Proved Successful-His Plans for the Future.

Alfred Fitzpatrick, of Nairn Center, Algoma, general secretary of the Canadian Reading Camp Association, is spending a few days in the city. Mr. Fitzpatrick spoke on his work in St. Andrew's Church yesterday morning, Concert and First Presbyterian Church in the second concerto (Handel), Concert Satz (Dienel), Romance (Svensden), Canzonetta del Salvator Rosa (Liszt), University and became interested in University, and became interested in (Dubois), Pastorale and March Nup-tiale (Tombelle), Cantilene (Pierne), Fantasia (Siorgen) Flea's Breutzug Fantasia (Sjorgen), Elsa's Brautzug as a Presbyterian minister in the redwoods of Mendocino County, Cai. After taking short post-graduate "Waft Her, Angels" (Handel); "The Ninety and Nine" (Campion), and "Glory to God" (Rotoli). "The save up the regular work of the ministry in order to devote all his time to

improving the sanitary and social conditions of the lumbering, mining and railway construction camps, and experimenting with the institutional church as applied to camp life. The separate building at each camp set apart for this purpose he called a reading camp, after the local analogy of camp phraseology "sleep camp," "cook camp," etc. The object of the reading camp is to surround these isolated toilers in forest and mine with a social and religious atmosphere, to combine the benefits of reading, entertainment, instruction and public worship. When and indorsing his work, a clergyman visits the camp he is to consider the reading camp as his many churches and individuals in the church building for the time being. work he is carrying on.

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The reading camp is *designed to afford fresh air, beautiful pictures, current literature, including the daily papers in French and English, the best books, a young man in charge (usually a school teacher of good habits) to supervise the games and sing and supervise the games, read, sing and play for the men, and assist them with

elementary studies. Mr. Fitzpatrick has succeeded in organizing a reading camp association with the most prominent employers in the lumbering and mining industries as officers and councilors, including J R. Booth; John Charlton, M.P.; A. P Turner, of Copper Cliff, and E. W

The purpose of the association is no to assume responsibility for the establishment of reading camps at all of the camps, but to demonstrate the feasibility of work of this kind and urge provincial governments to make it a phase of their public education

Mr. Fitzpatrick at first met with no response from employers and in order to carry out his idea was compelled to build the first three reading camps at his own expense and partly with his own labor. He has since secured their co-operation and that of the Ontario Government, and he is now trying to enlist the sympathy and assistance of the churches and general public.

It speaks well for the Presbyterian Church that when Mr. Fitzpatrick withdrew, giving all his time to work of an undenominational and educational character, its General Assembly passed a strong resolution commending Mr. Fitzpatrick hopes to interest

EVERY WELL-REGULATED HOME A SECRET SOCIETY

ternal Orders-Sunday's Doings in Local Churches.

Rev. H. T. Crossley spoke particuarly to members of secret societies Methodist at the Dundas Church yesterday atternoon. A gen-The London Dairymen's Exchange eral invitation had been extended to of the World were the only ones to be present in a body, with regalia. Other societies were fairly well represented. Mr. Crossley and Mr. Hunter are both members of some of the orders, and being firm believers in the good done by the latter, they desired to devote

one of their services to them. "I want to say that all of these propriate to the day. crafts are founded on the Bible," said Mr. Crossley. "In all of the rooms we have an open Bible, and not morning by Rev. Mr. Fitzpatrick, who infrequently in the procession we find The rules are to relieve distress, would be well if churches had similar

leaves in their books. is a secret society, and I am sorry Nelles, reviewed the operations of as well kept sometimes as the secrets

indication that the bulk of the make was sold off the board. The prices obtained were satisfactory.

The officers chosen were:

The bulk of the make was sympathy with the orders. I have sympathy with the Christian church, which, properly understood, is church was addressed. a secret society. The Bible is its con-

Rev. H. T. Crossley Upholds Fra- Mr. Crossley gave some words of counsel to the members of the orders assembled. He advised the brethren not to allow the work of the lodge to interfere with their domestic happiness, and not to put their order in the place of the church, giving the latter the preference at all times.

CONCERNING MANY CHURCHES.

Rev. A. G. McGillivray, the pastor til his health broke down beneath the Church, is on a holiday trip to the Northwest, and his pulpit was yesterday occupied by Rev. Dr. Jordan, of Queen's University, Kingston.

The tenth milestone in Rev. W. H.

Claris' pastorate of the Southern Congregational Church was reached yes-terday, and the occasion was marked by special services, conducted by Rev. A. Mackenzie, of Stratford. Mackenzie's sermons were very ap-The pulpit of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was occupied yesterday

has for some years been devoting himself to the establishment of reading Fitzpatrick is being assisted in work by the Government and the em-"Sometimes people object to secret ployers of the lumbermen, and is consocieties. We might just as well object sequently meeting with considerable He spoke at the First Pressuccess. byterian Church in the evening The Centennial Methodist Sunday School was addressed by Rev. Mr. Crossley yesterday afternoon. A meeting is to be held at Hyde Park tomor-

row afternoon by the evangelists. since the latter was organized, although themselves. Live the principles of the volume of cheese represented on them, and that will be sufficient de-last evening Miss Ross, of Tilsonburg, At the First Presbyterian Church

pied by Rev. J. E. Hunter.

worshipful master." STRUCK BY AN ENGINE A TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD Rev. A. R. Vosburgh, of Rochester, study of Mrs. Eddy's book upon the

Crossing of G. T. R.

Narrow Escape.

Two women and a boy had a very the Adelaide street crossing of the to in a number of the city pulpits yes- it was based upon the Bible, it was a cheese and butter. The exchange took Grand Trunk this morning. The party terday, and many were the expressions through the discovery of a new old on inspection, as they did to the east- they were on their way to the market, when the accident occurred. As they approached the crossing of the railway an engine was backing down respectively, or a total of 240. All of the from the coal shutes, and before they could get across the tracks or back the horse clear of the rails on which the engine was moving, their rig was

struck. One of the women was Mrs. Ames. When she saw the engine so close she attempted to stop the horse, but in this she was unsuccessful, the locomotive hitting the buggy in the center, upsetting it and causing the occupants to be thrown out. The horse was to be thrown out. The horse was slightly cut, one of the wheels of the The Montreal Herald, referring to the rig was broken, and the women and boy were shaken up, besides receiving bruises.

The watchman, Mr. Brown, was on Prof. Ross of Rev. Dr. Johnston, of this duty at the crossing at the time, and he claims that he warned the party of the approach of the engine

Sawmill Burned.

West Superior, Wis., May 11.—The saw-mill of the Schofield Lumber Company, on Superior Bay front, has been burned, entailing a loss probably of \$75,000. Three hundred men are thrown out of employment

Tarkington Will Recover.

turers of the Christian Scientists. lantyne, jun., Stratford; Jas. Thomas, Accident at the Adelaide Street Memorial Service Held at Christ addressed a meeting in the First Ingersoll: John Sullivan Cambachia Church Yesterday. afternoon. The audience more than

of Rev. J. H. Moorhouse.

The death of Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, narrow escape from serious injury at rector of Christ Church, was referred doctrine taught by Jesus Christ, While belonged to Dorchester Township, and of sorrow at the loss sustained by the truth, the healing of Mrs. Eddy, in sad event. General sympathy was felt Lynn, Mass., 37 years ago. for the congregation, which had flourished so well under his guidance. At
Christ Church, which was draped in Christ Church, which was draped in qualities were her spiritual aspirations. black out of respect to the late rector. She was born and reared among spirithe morning service was conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage, 'rector of St.George's, ple were reaching out for things West London, and it took the form of a higher intellectually, ethically and memorial service. The attendance was spiritually. She had been chastened, very large, for it had been announced too, in the school of adversity, so she that Mr. Sage would make some fitting reference to the death of Mr. Moorreference to the death of Mr. Moorhouse. The text was "Sorrowing most of all that they should see his face no more," and Mr. Sage mentioned the fact that the death of Mr. Moorhouse occurred after only one Sunday's absence from his own pulpit in 26 years. He added that by his integrity and kindness of heart, Mr. Moorhouse endeared himself not only to the members of his own congregation, but to should be made. The lecturer quoted some of the autobiography of Mrs. Eddy, and made it plain that Christian Scientists did not in any way deify Mrs. Eddy. Science was that which analyzed things. Christianity had its birth in the innermost sanctity of thought. People might say they could not go together, that there was an inherent conflict between Christianity and Scientific between Chri bers of his own congregation, but to conflict between Christianity and Scimembers who did not enjoy the bene- ence. The lecturer claimed that there fits of his ministration. His brethren was a blending, just as there was in the ministry early learned his music, the analogy of which he pointworth, and every honor in their gift ed out. Christian Science was not was bestowed on him. For *many founded in person, but in principle. It years he was a member of the execu- was not primarily rooted in the Bible tive committee of the diocese, and sat but based on practical experience. But in the highest councils of the church.
"During his ministry he occupied was lifted into perfect understanding.
"The disease" continued the charges of the most influential charges the disease." in the diocese," continued the preach- Scriptural promises were not based

With steady steps his way was rather upon believing than upon know-upward from his first charge at ing. Faith, he claimed, was the be-Bervie to this church, where his ministry, so blessed of God, came to an end. From Bervie he was called to Gorrie and thence to Wingham, From Wingham he went to Ingersoll, and law of God, the law of good, interpret-

been, not in believing that all things were possible to God, but that all "Our brother was an excellent things were possible to him who bepreacher. His sermons were deeply lieved in God. Christian Science was spiritual and carefully prepared. In not what was known as faith cure, but his doctrine he was conservative. His recognized that all causation of dismethods were free from sensational- ease was in the mind. Thought was ism. He believed in steady growth, coming more and more to the recogniand set the example by earnest toil un- tion of this. The critic today was face to face with too many of the new St. James' Presbyterian strain. You sorrow today at the loss of ling to deny this fact. God was a being your beloved rector and devoted ever active, changeless, universal and friend, and it is natural for you to do acting according to law and order. God was a divine principle. Christian Science did not make God a mere ab-Mr. Sage went on: "Jesus wept by the grave of Lazarus, although he straction, but a being knew that he was to be raised from hands and feet. That God was a spirit the dead. And so we do not sorrow without physical form was what he We also look must ever be thought of. If Christian forward to a joyful resurrection from Science were Christian, then the only way to avail themselves of the power When the disciples of John the of God was through prayer. Christian Baptist learned of his death they went | Scientists believed in nothing else but and told Jesus and listened to our prayer. If the teaching of the Bible Lord speak in his own beautiful way were true, then the divine resources of John's presence in the light of God, were sufficient to meet all needs. He where the wicked cease from troubling focussed his thoughts in an illustraand the weary are at rest. They kept tion of the solar spectrum. As through the sense of their own personal loss, but thought of the loved one as being a prism of glass a ray of light was broken up into all colors, dark and light, so spiritual understanding Mr. Sage asked the prayers of the human consciousness. The dull lights congregation for the bereaved family,

ing and demonstrating the principle of universal harmony. The difficulty had

and the shadows would be replaced by the hues and tints that would be the glories of heaven. Having referred to the healing of the sick by Christ, the lecturer pointed out that he had left the injunction for us to do what he did. Jesus held out the model for human attainment and human achievement. Rev. A. R. Vosburgh Lectures on Science could be summed up in these four things: belief in God, belief in the Bible, belief in Jesus as the Christ and one Mediator, and the necessity

of a radical conversion, meaning the repenting of all evil and living the Christ life. In conclusion the lecturer said Christian Science came not to destroy, but

N. Y., a member of the board of lec- subject. TRAVELERS GET

They Intend Their Picnic to Be a Big Affair.

applied himself to the subject. Chris- It Is to Be Advertised Extensively Through the West.

> The Commercial Travelers of this city are already preparing for their picnic this year. These early preparations indicate that they intend to make this picnic the event of the year among picnics, and it will need to be a large and exciting affair that will approach it. The travelers are making generous contributions to the picnic fund, and giving, as well, much time, energy and thought to arrangements for it. It is their intention to have the most original and entertaining programme of special features ever carried out in this city. To do this means a lot of hustling, for the Old Boys have set a pace that will be hard to catch up to. However, the traveling men intend to do it, and if it can be done, they are the ones to prove it. The events will be burlesque and spectacular, and altogether new. Uniforms will be adopted for the day and badges will be worn. The committees hope to have as their guests the drummers of Hamilton and Toronto, whom they have invited.

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