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Admirable Presentation of Strong Play in Opera House in Honor of St. Patrick's Day

Before a large audience, the play of the hour was presented in the Opera House twice yesterday under the auspices of the Young Men's Society of the Catholic Orphans. The presentation of the play marked the usual St. Patrick's Day performance for the benefit of the Catholic orphans. The first performance will be given this evening. It was the first dramatic venture of the society and was an outstanding success. The play in itself is a strong one. Its plot is centered around graft in politics and there are some big situations. The way in which it was produced reflects great credit on those taking part. That it was well handled, admirably staged and most creditably presented was the general verdict. That amateurs were able to bring out the strong lines of the play so well as did the cast of "The Man of the Hour" is a matter for congratulation. Most of those in the cast have all been seen on the amateur stage before and their abilities need no expounding. All played their parts well and the play went with a swing from start to finish.

D. J. Corr, in the title role, was excellent. He played a big strong character, that of a man who would not be crooked. Against political enemies he fought single handed with determination though even friends turned against him, but, sticking to the right he could he won a triumph for right and honor. Mr. Corr's work was consistently good. J. R. McCloskey played the part of Horrigan, the boss, and won new honors. He is well experienced in stage work and this was readily to be seen in this production.

On William Flaherty, as a ward politician, James Phelan, much work fell and he played his part well. He was a favorite with the audience if not with Horrigan.

James F. Winston, the new physical instructor of the Y.M.C.A., played the juvenile lead and he made a most favorable impression in the part. He was quite at home on the stage and he quickly won friends in the audience.

Joseph Kennedy, in one of the heavier roles, acted naturally and won much favorable comment. David Higgins played the part of Judge McDonald, and he was well received by the audience. Frank Hazel gave a good performance as Scott Gibbs and Fred Hazel as Fred McDonald. S. C. Hurley, John P. Gormley, Leo Conlogue and George Stafford were good in smaller roles. There were two bright flashes of dramatic light, all too brief, in scenes which Mr. Hurley and Fred Hazel for the moment dominated. Both young men won hearty applause.

Mrs. Edward P. O'Toole played the principal feminine role and was excellent in action and diction. She wore several very pretty dresses. Mrs. O'Toole gave a delightful performance throughout and her work contributed largely to the success of the play.

Miss Kathleen O'Malley was excellent in the role of a matron, the mayor's mother, and Miss Vera King in the lighter role of a little mischievous girl was very good.

There was an enjoyable musical programme by the orchestra, including the oratorical Irish airs. Between the acts solos were well sung by Alex. Simmons and M. T. Morris, and the audience were given an unexpected pleasure when Mrs. Kathleen Furlong-Schmidt was heard in two numbers sung delightfully.

The cast of the play was as follows:

Alwyn Bennett D. J. Corr
Richard Hurley J. R. McCloskey
Charles Wainwright Joseph Kennedy
James Phelan William Flaherty
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The play deals with the present war and depicts a sorrowing girl, who is seeking knowledge of her soldier lover, reported killed in the battle of Mons, but who body was never recovered for. Her cousin is sent to Europe to try to learn some particulars, but returns in so as to get possession of her portion of wealth, jointly left to them by their uncle. Fearing and despising his approaches she marries another, and later comes face to face with her erstwhile fiancé, who lost his memory as the result of an injury sustained in action. Shock kills her husband and the plot works out satisfactorily to all, the villain meeting his just dues, and the curtain rings down on a comparatively happy scene.

Frank P. deRosier, in the leading role, gave a clever portrayal. His lines at times call for an unusual effort and the way he acted his part was well merited applause.

John T. Haggerty gave a very clever performance in the role of the villain. Although hisses were chiefly his portion no better tribute could be paid him, and his work stood out prominently.

J. J. O'Toole added to his laurels as an Irish character he won the entire audience, who generally applauded him with a few witty sayings and funny actions. He made a most lovable character and his infectious smile, his wit and humor all combined in winning the heart of a fair colleen and incidentally the entire audience. There are few amateur actors who are in a class with Mr. O'Toole when it comes to versatility and ability as a director.

In the leading feminine role Miss Irene Malloy was never seen to better advantage. She gave a clever portrayal and showed emotion which had a touch of true artistic perfection.

Miss Blanche O'Brien as an Irish lass was a general favorite, both with the members of the cast and with the audience.

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