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un acte, de Meilhac et Halevy, and II.
"Madame Bigarot N'y Tient Pas," ou
"Allons a L'Athenee," vaudeville ep un
scie, de Georges Docquois et Felix Cresson, In the first the characters were

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The presentation of the characters by these ladies and gentlemen were most excellent, portraying the spirit of the COMPANY, "Star comedies with ease and fluency. The large audience of over four hundred guests enjoyed the charming program. removed from 530 73 East Queen-st. Main 4857. The assembly hall of the new school hulldings of St. Margaret's College is most commodous, so that every guest was comfortably seated. Among the ND CIGARS. Wholesale and Reguests present were: Lady Edgar and Miss Edgar, Prof. and Mrs. Ramsay Wright, Mrs. Yarker, Miss Yarker. Lady Moss and Miss Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Harcourt-Vernon, Misses Boulton, Mrs. Kendrick, Prof. and Mrs. Pelham one Main 1369. 127 Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. George Reid, Prof. Squair, Prof. and Mrs. McMurrich, Prof. and Mrs. Mavor, Prof. and Mrs. Keys, Miss Parsons, Miss Keat-

ald, Miss Helen Davidson, Misses Greig, kind, and Mrs. Tyrrell, Miss Gault, Dr. storms of applause. TIATE A LOAN FOR ve furniture or other Call and get terms, al. The Borrowers' 0 Lawlor Building, 6 Field, Mr. Nicolai, Mr. Allard, Mrs. Vanderlinde, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neelands Mr and Mrs W. E. Rundle, Mr. and Mrs. Rochereau de la Sabliere, Baron de Champ. The audience included many students, as the comedy of "L'Ete de la St. Martin," is one of the works being read

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"Irene Wycherley," the play by Anthony P. Wharton, in which Viola Allen appeared at the Princess last night, is an obvious attempt by an ambitlous young playwright to emulate the work of such expert traffickers in the ever present social problem as Arthur Wing Pinero and Alfred Sutro, and with a surprising measure of success. While it is highly probable that, but for the minds which produced "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" and "T the work of such expert traffickers in

the company of the "Alliance Fran-caise," gave the most accurate personi-of frankly open kind. The husband is husbands. caise," gave the most accurate personification of the French bourgeois manners, entirely disguising his own. Miss Neelands, whose delightful French we have heard in former plays, was very lovely as the little "nouvelle Marice," gay or triste according to her part and always a dainty Lucie.

Mr. Hicks, a born comedian, entered fully into the spirit of the farce and made much of his part as the son-inlaw.

Mile. Malaval showed great versatility and range of dramatic ability in presenting the different phases, of the nouveaulche Mme. Bigafot, tender, kind, wrathful, passionate, and won storms of appliause.

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ME." Mrs. H. C. Tugwell of Rose-avenue will not receive on the first Thursdivorcee ... Louise Meyers
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Eugenia Campbell
Pirker, maid servant at Beechwood ... Grayce Beebe
Prof. Hugo Stanley, a scientist. Mrs. J. A. Wickett, 678 Broadview-Miss Garrett of "Rosearden," Rose-dale, has left for Hallfax, whence she Prof. Hugo Stanley, a scientist.

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Guy J. Sampsel

Burton Blount, an attorney

H. Hartwell Sieight will sail on Thursday for Bermuda West Indies and South America.

Chester Clynch, next of kln ... E. D. Cromwell
Clyme, a gardener ... Milton Arnsman Mrs. Robert Kilgour, with her youngson, Master Arthur Kilgour, is leaving this week for a month's visit Kathryn Osterman, a charming come-dienne, and her equally clever sister, to her sister, Mrs. Ferguson, at Clare-Anna Belmont, presented their merry comedy "The Girl Who Looks Like Me" Mr. Robert Wellington and wife of Oshawa celebrated their diamond wedding at their home Sunday, March 1. life of 60 long years, enjoying the love

and respect of a large circle of relatives and friends. Altho both have been slightly indisposed owing to the grip. they were able to enjoy a quiet gathwishes of friends. Mr. W. E. Wellington and John Wellington of Toronto are sons. Mrs. St. John and Mrs. Stone of Rochester, and Mr. Geo A brief outline of this ingeniously fundary comedy is as follows: Prof. Hugo Stanley, a scientist, in order to escape for a time the unbearable actions of an eccentric wife, goes on a long trip to Asia. His wife decides to get a divorce in secret. To conceal her procedure from relatives and friends she engages her perfect counterpart, Erma Desmond, as a companion. After establishing the latter in her household Mrs. Stanley disappears, leaving Miss Desmond to impersonate her, both socially and to the conducting of the household. Prof. Stanley arrives home unexpectedly.

A brief outline of this ingeniously fundation of the harmful discomfort and defeat to the harmful necessary villain. As the title would nece T. Scott of Oshawa, daughters. Mr. Wellington in a few days will be 89 years old. Mrs. Wellington belongs to the Ritson family of Oshawa, was born here and is connected with a great many prominent families of the Mrs. J. H. Hunter and Miss Hunter of 114 Madison-avenue will receive on Friday, March 6, and on the first Fri-

continues in popularity. The reason is that it is made in one piece, and the bundering possibilities will appeal to received. The music was most acceptable. point d'esprit, and Mrs. C. R. Davidall mothers. This dress designed for the little boy is a particularly stylish model. It opens on the shoulders, and Junction. The St. George's Social Club the buttons by which it is fastened of Lambton Mills, who were among form a pleasing addition to the dress. No trimming is necessary, and made of tunity of presenting these two gentle-white or colored pique with leather belt, men each with a gold-handled umclub's dances during this winter's season. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bannon, Mrs. Isaac Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, the Misses Howell, Mr. Howell, Mrs. Richard Walker, Mrs. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Canning, Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pressley, Mr. and Mrs. New-love, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Cowley (Mrs. Jos. Bond Mr. Geo. Good, Mrs. Shannon, Islington), Mr. and Mrs. E. mystifying. This act is worth a trip to see.
ussell and Held have some good songs Williams, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Max-well, Toronto Junction; Mr. T. Elliott,

Mr. Timothy Johnston, Miss Bertna The Farrell. Taylor trio with a musi-Mason, the Misses Williams, Mrs. Tom cal act interspersed with bright dialog Dr. Morley Currie, M.L.A., who is lying ill at the general hospital, has greatly improved and is now out of the danger. season's strongest bills.

At the Alexandra. "THE LIARS."

EdWard Falkner ... Mr. Wm. Sauter Colonel Sir Christopher Deering ... Mr. David Glassford Gilbert Nepean, Lady Jessica's husband ... Mr. G. Riddell George Nepean, Jilbert's brother ... Mr. Ivan Simpson Freddie Tatton, Lady Rosamund's husband ... Mr. G. Graham Waiter at The Star and Garter. ... Mr. Lovatt-Fraser Archibald Coke, Dolly's husband ... Mr. E. Stallard Taplin ... Mr. E. Stallard Taplin ... Mr. Lambert Lady Rosamund Tatton ... Miss Jane Marbury Dolly Coke, their cousin ... Miss Catherine Towe Beatrice Ebernoc ... Miss E. Valentine Mrs. Crespin ... Miss Ida Waterman Ferris, Lady Jessica's maid ... Miss C. McNabb Lady Jessica Nepean . Miss Darragh ... Miss Darragh ...

who permed its lines while not busying reason at the more billing and celling and celling

Grant Stewart, the last-named formerly of Toronto, giving a capital sketch of the worldly-wise Sir Peter.

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Smiling Bob, a miner. Frank Woolford
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the male contingent having the minor roles.

There is a laugh in every line and delight in the many bewildering complications, culminating in outbreaks of joyous enthusiasm, to which the stars and their accompanying constellation were compelled to respond in curtain calls after the first and second acts. A brief outline of the hero and defeat to the hero and defeat to the hero and defeat to the harmful ny comedy is as follows: Prof. Hugo Stanley, a scientist, in order to escape

impersonate her, both socially and in a creditable manner.

The Fireside Fairies of Lambton Mills held a very enjoyable dance at "Barnacre" on Friday evening last. One hundred guests were present. The lady patronesses were Mrs. Andrew Graham, in a very becoming black grown, with velvet trimmings and touches of cream lace; Mrs. Wm. Clay-touches of black grown are present to the most exeruciatingly of the household. Prof. Stanley arrives home unexpectedly. During the week the local amateurs will compete after the regular performances on Wednesday and Friday and a special matine for amateurs under 12 years years of age will be given on Saturday.

Louis XV. Piano.

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Mr. Foster.

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Ai Shea's

Clayton White and Marie Stewart are bac kat Shea's this week. They have a new stang sketch, which is as funny as the old ones. Miss Stewart has another French song which makes another hit and Mr. White's line of dope is as funny as it is manufactured. Nelle Wallace, a live wire artist from London, has three screamingly funny English songs.

Mr. Hymack, the chameleon come
At the Star.

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per enjoyment. It was beautifully staged and the curtain calls were cordial and well deserved. "The Liars" will be played during the week with matinees on Thursday and Saturday.

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All yellowers of several penjoyed. Berz's cally that was much enjoyed. Berz's cally that was snowbound at Brockville, asting that the bill be laid over, as he had some amendments to submit.

Mr. Clarke, promoter, had a similar telegram. He said Mr. Macdonell desired that in any event the third reading be postponed and he suggested that do some excellent tricks, especially their holding their balance on a swiftly

All attempts yesterday proved failures. Buckley and Emerson, with a comedy RAILWAYS TIED UP.

Good Many Places in Ontario Are Isolated Again.

Ontario were out of business yester- plant. day because of the blockade, caused Miners, cowboys, etc.

With scenes laid in New York City, by the snowstorm of Sunday. The before a large audience at the Grand last night. It was a noteworthy production from the fact that the principal duction from the fact that the principal comedy roles were presented by women, which is the minor of the minor of

English songs.

Mr. Hymack, the chameleon comedian, has a novel act in rapid change ken Smith Blanch Washing and Alexandra Theatre was secured dian, has a novel act in rapid change ken Smith, Blanch Washburn & Co, stunts, which is both amusing and mystifying. This act is worth a trip

Miss M. J. Sisley, 117 Wright-avenue, will not receive to-day, on account of illness in the family.

The consumption of tea in England In Canada, since the introduction of Salada" Tea, the consumption of tea

HAMILTON RADIAL BILL

Claude Macdonell Sends Telegram Out of Snowdrift to Stop Performance Till He is Dug Out.

OTTAWA, March 2 .- (Special.)-When the house went into committee on the bill of the Hamilton Radial Elec-

cialty that was much enjoyed. Berz c's circus consists of several ponies and a donkey. They are all well-trained, and do some excellent tricks are all well-trained, and allowed to stand

Mr. Foster said it was not his intentheir holding their balance on a swiftly revolving table. The donkey furnishes much merriment by his bucking and kicking propensities, and the trainer has a standing offer of \$10 for every minute anyone can stay on his back.

Mr. Foster stait it was not his high that it is not ask anything unreasonable and if Mr. Clarke could see his way clear to meet the wishes of Mr. Macdonell he would promise no undue obstruction. Sir Wilfrid Laurier pointed out that this was the third Monday that the bill had been on the order paper.

Mr. Cockshutt (Brantford) objected to the clause prohibiting the sale or distribution of power within the limits of any city which owns and operates its own electric lighting or power plant, without consent expressed by law of council of such city. He thought A good many miles of railways in which may hereafter purchase its own

> Dr. Sproule, however, thought the clause would apply in such a case.

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"That was a government bill," suggested Mr. Foster.
Mr. Cockshutt said the coal supply of Pennsylvania, being in the hands of lailways, should be a lesson to us not to be in the same box. This railway

if given the powers asked for could be of immense damage to other coal companies in its district. Consideration was deferred. The bill of the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal Co. was reported. Dr. Sproule renewed his objections to an extension of time unless information as to the amount of money spent by the company was forthcoming. Mr. Stewart (Ottawa) assured the ommittee that the company was not now spending money, since the government had taken over surveys. The bill

was read a third time. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Editor World: According to a report in yesterday's World, Rev. R. J. Hutcheon, speaking in the Unitarian Church, Sunday evening, "deprecated

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