

an opportunity to hear good music sung

as it is sung in grand opera. Coin's dogs are a bunch of comedians, and their little scene from Dogville is sure of plenty

of praise. The animals seem to know

and take a palpable interest in their

The Minstrel Maids and Watermelon

a number of sweet songs, clever dances,

and Winchester are on the top of bur-

performance

signed. Miss Waldrope is said to be a clever actress, and will add strength to the already strong company.

Big House for "Tom Jones." Big House for "Tom Jones."

"Tom Jones," a pronounced musical success, will be at the Grand to-morrow night. Because of its excellent qualities, its comedy, melody, character types, stage pictures and the glimpses it gives of Merrie England, "Tom Jones," has won great popularity, It is old English in character. The story is taken from Fielding's masterpiece of eighteenth century English fiction. The book is by Courtneidge and Thompson, the music by Edward German, foremost of present day English composers. The sale of seats has been very large and a crowded house is assured. This week's bill at Bennett's is off to good start, and excellent crowds have attended every performance so far, while the bookings show that another prosperous week is to be seen. The acts deserve the highest praise, and the audiences have not been slow to give it. The Basque quartette of Parisian opera singers is a very high class attraction, its rendition of several songs and the priscene from Gounod's "Faust" giving those who have cultivated musical tastes

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The attraction at the Grand on Friday night next, will be the popular young singing comedian Allen Doone, who will present his successful comedy-drama, "A Romance in Ircland." The story of the play is somewhat sensational, but wholesome and consistent, and original in construction, being somewhat of a departure from the conventional Irish drama which has become so familiar. In "A Romance in Ircland," Mr. Doone is afforded many chances to show the metal of which he is made in a part which is calculated to show his personability, and which permits the young comedian to indulge in his own particular style of humor to the limit. During the course of the play Mr. Doone will render several new songs in his characteristic manner.

The Sheffield Choir. that they are doing something clever, Girls have a very pretty act, in which and funny talk is introduced. Radford and Winchester are on the top of bur-lesque jugglers. The comedian gets plenty of laughs in return for his stunts, and the act has been found to be one of the best fun mediums yet seen here. Charles Walthour's pedestal balancing stunt is recognized as very dangerous, but after the easy way he does his trick is seen nothing but admiration remains for him. "At Camp Rest" is a jumble of fooling,

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The visit of the celebrated Sheffield choir to this country in October next is one of those events which is worthy of more than passing notice. The idea of bringing to Canada this celebrated choir of England was inspired by a desire to draw still closer the bonds of musical unity which were cemênted when Sir Alexander Mackenzie paid his now historic visit to the Dominion a few years ago. It has been taken up with enthus-

Alexander Mackenzie paid his now historic visit to the Dominion a few years ago. It has been taken up with enthusiasm by the musicians of the north of England and already the promoter of the enterprise, Mr. C. A. E. Harriss, of Ottawa, is in receipt of information that not only will the choir come in a body, 250 strong, but that it will be accompanied by numerous distinguished journalists representing both the Sheffield and the London press, lay as well as musical.

Inasmuch as the members of the choir are prominently identified with the industrial enterprises of Sheffield, the visit will be of economic importance as well as of influence nusically, It will be impossible for these captains of industry to conic to Canada, see for themselves the industrial growth of Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton and other places and, to grasp, for themselves the enormous potentialities of Canada, without substantial advantage ensuing from a business standpoint. This view of the case has been grasped by the Executive Council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association which has sent a letter to the Lord Mayor of Sheffield, not only extending a hearty welcome to the members of the choir and their friends, but the Lord Mayor of Sheffield, not only extending a hearty welcome to the members of the choir and their friends, but also assuring him that members of the association individually will do everything in their power to make the visit both profitable and enjoyable.

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both profitable and enjoyable choir will be in Canada for a fort

night, only. At the Savoy.

of that sort which an audience is con-vulsed over. "Sam Williams talks and sings, and his figures face is always favorably commented on by the fair sex-after his disappearance. The motion pic-tures are particularly god this week. O Hana San, the talented young com-edienne, who is to be the headliner at Bennett's next week, is a Jap. only by adoption. She comes of an excellent Eng-lish family, and married a Japanese offi-Without exaggeration it can be said that the show at the Savoy this week s one of the best balanced and most cleasing bills seen here this year. Every number is thoroughly entertaining, and there is not a dull moment from the overture to the pictures. The big featlish family, and married a Japanese offi-cer. He was killed in the great Russo-Japanese war, and his widow then found that she would have to work for a livire is the Chevalier De Loris, heralded as dapanese war, and his widow then round that she would have to work for a living. The stage offered her a chance, and she determined to use the experience she had gained by living in Japan. She therefor had a little play written for her calked "The Geisha's Dream," and in it she introduces all that romantic atmosphere which attaches to life in the land of the Rising Sun. The act has been well received across the border.

Another large and fashionable audin Full" at the Grand last night. While the house was not as large as on the previous evening, it was not as critical, and the applause was more general.

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"Paid in Full" will be seen at the Grand for the last time this evening, and the champion rifle and pistol shot of the world, and anyone who witnesses his miniature novel musical comedy, which combines much good singing and an original finale, and a society skit by Mr. and Mrs. John Cossar, clever artists, who keep the audience smiling all the time. Atwood and Terry are much different from the ordinary line of singing and talking comedians. They have an original line of patter. Jugglers have to get away from the beaten path to please. Arthur Onri has done that, and he has one of the most entertaining on



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cuffs. Our \$1.35 quality. Special opening price 89c.

low with lace insertions in new patterns; baby back; trimmed collar and

\$1.75 dainty white lawn blouses at only \$1.19 each Another opening special that will attract widespread attention. Made of fine quality muslin; open back; fronts beautifully trimmed with German Val-

enciennes insertions. Some are in scroll designs with pin tucks to finish;

others have V-shaped yoke with panel of embroidery insertions and pin tucks

to finish; trimmed collar and cuffs. Special opening price \$1.19.

Made of extra quality fine white lawn, trimmed on front with embroidery

Complete showing of new **Embroideries** 

this week's bill. Shorty and Lillian Dethis week's bill. Shorty and Lillian De-Witt have a knock-about comedy turn that always brings the laughs. The guessing competition as to the age and sex of Cupid in the Morrow-Schell-burg sketch is exciting considerable in-terest. A large number of guesses have already been filed at the box office.

Lyceum Grand Concert.

The Lyceum Grand Concert Company, of Rochester, N.Y., will appear in Hamilton at the Association Hall, Y M.C.A. buildings on Wednesday, Y M.C.A. buildings on Wednesday, evening, Feb. 26th with a magnificent programme of vocal and instrumental selections. Among the artists who ns. Among the artists who seen are Madame Myron and will be seen are Madame Myron and Arthur Braunberger. Madame Myron, contralto, is widely known throughout Great Britain and America as a magnificent singer. She has sung at the Symphony concerts and the ballad concerts in London, England, and was also soloist for the tour of the Scottish orchestra. During the past two seasons she has devoted her art to oratorio concerts in America and has made herself a favorite everywhere.

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Mr. Arthur Braunberger is a baritone of more than ordinary ability. He has a magnificent voice, so mellow, deep and musical, that without any apparent effort on his part he moves his audience at will.

Besides the artists mentioned, there will also appear several other singers and musicians of distinguished ability. Persons wishing to take advantage of this concert should secure their tickets at once, as there will be only a limited number sold. Plan at Nordheimer's.

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Elgar Choir Plans.

The Elgar Choir advertise in another column that the plan for subscribers only, opens at the box office, Grand Opera House, on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Owing to the large subscription lists it is necessary that all subscribers apply for their seats on Saturday, as whatever seats are left over Monday morning will be offered to the general public. It is well to bear in mind that the Elgar Choir invariably starts its conthe Eigar Choir invariably starts its con-certs promptly at 8.15, and no ushering is allowed during the performance of

Between the Acts.

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The sale of seats for "East Lynne," the attraction at the Grand next Saturday matinee and, night, opens to-morrow morning. It is promised that a capable company and special scenery will be seen in the presentation of this great emotional drama.

New York, Feb. 19.—Henry Pincus, who helped to make Harry Thaw famous by providing the setting for the Stanford White Isiling, will be the lessee of the Madison Square Garden roof again the coming summer. The chief regret of his life is that he had neglected to have a moving picture camera installed on the roof the night of the Thaw-White transaction.

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Francis Wilson requires the services of forty-two people in his new and successful farce, from the pen of Charles Marlowe, "When Knights Were Bold," which is said to be the laughing success of the year. It is confidently stated that Mr. Wilson has never had a part better suited to his needs, and that his humor is as irresistible as ever. Charles Frohman

has provided the popular star with a very elaborate production, and the cast is a strong one. Francis Wilson will pre-sent "When Knights Were Bold" at the Grand Monday evening, seats for which go on sale Friday morning.

KELVIN 

The anniversary sermons in connection with the Kelvin Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, and on the Monday following there will be a grand concert under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid met at the parsonage on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Graves, of Teeterville

Mr. and Mrs. E. Waves, of the were visiting Mrs. S. Burtch, of this place, on Monday last.

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Mrs. William Almas has returned home from Brantford, after spending a couple of weeks with her daughter.
Rev. C. and Mrs. Cookman were calling on friends on Wednesday last.
The snow banks are disappearing very rapidly after the heavy rain.
Mr. A. Huffman and daughter were calling on friends on Saturday last.

TURNED FAMILY INTO STREET. So Magistrate Did Not Punish the

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Toronto, Eb. 19.—"He put my wife and family on the streets and so I hit him," admitted Tom Flanagan, bursting into tears, when charged with assaulting Harris N. Pennoek, of 3 Manning avenue, his landlord, in yesterday afternuon's Police Court.

It transpired that Flanagan was out of work and behind with his rent, and had offered to pay up if given a chance, but Pennock had got a bailiff's order and turned Mrs. Flanagan and the children out on Saturday afternoon last.

"It was a rough day on Saturday, wasn't it?" inquired Magistrate Kingsford: "it rained all morning and snowed all afternoon. How would you like to be turned out of your home on a

to be turned out of your home on day like that?" "I will let you go, Flanagan," said the Magistrate, "and will remand you for sentence until called on."

PAY INTEREST ON TIME.

**VINELAND** 

Mr. Wm. Gayman has hired to Sylves-r Kratz, of Jordan Station, for the Howard spent Sunday evening in

t. Catharines.

A number from this vicinity are taking vocal lessons, Miss Hattie Tweedle,

of Fruitland, being the instructor.
The fruit growers of this locality are nolding a three-day meeting at Jordan.
Quite a number from here attended the oung men's service at Jordan Station n Sunday night last. Mr. Joshua Housser is keeping about

A grand entertainment is to be given in Victoria Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 26. The musical circle will meet at Joshua Wismer's on Thusrday night of this

Week.
Mr. and Mrs. Crompton made a trip
to St. Kitts on Monday.

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A debate was held in Jordan Station
Church on Tuesday night. The affirmative was taken by Tintern, and the nega-

tive by Jordan Station. The subject was: "Resolved, that money exerts a greater influence in the world than greater influence in the world than brains." A good time was enjoyed by all.

>>>>>>>>>>> RENFORTH

Mr. and Mrs. I. Smuck visited friends a Hamilton on Sunday, Mr. E. Kelley, who has been spending everal weeks with friends in Forrest, as returned

has returned.

Mr. A. Teeple, who has been seriously ill with grip for some time, is slowly in-

cluding the choir of the Bowman Church drove to Jerseyville on Monday after noon, for the purpose of attending a tea meeting in the Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson an family, of Mount Hope, spent an after noon with Mr. and Mrs. C. Snith las

week. Mr. Wesley Smith has been paying au extended visit to his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cavanagh, of Bar

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Anniversary services were held in the Methodist Church on Sunday last. Excellent sermons were preached at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p.m. by, Rev. J. Austin Jackson, of Paris. A free will offering was taken up, which amounted to \$106.55. On the following evening an old time tea meeting was held. A large crowd was present, and listened to a splendid programme. Proceeds of the evening amounted to \$102.

Mrs. George Knowles and Mr. Roy

Agricultural Association, left for Toronto on Tuesday.

The Farmers' Institute meeting held in the town hall on Saturday was a very successful affair.

Johanna, wife of Joshua Hogner, was, on Sunday afternoon, sitting in a chair eating an apple, when she was seen suddenly to lean forward, and before medical attendance could be procured passed away. She had been suffering from grip, but was thought to be nearly recovered, when she was thus suddenly called away. Her remains were laid to the town but to be mearly recovered, when she was thus suddenly called away. Her remains were laid to the town but the washing to the increment weather and bad roads.

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age this week.
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Mrs. (Rev.) Davey, of Beamsville, spent a few days this week with relatives in the village.

Much sympathy is felt in the community for Mrs. Robt. Markle upon the death of her brother, the late Mr. Edward Foulger, of Cainsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wait, of St. George, were in the village this week.

SOUTH CAYUGA

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Beck visited in Dunnville on Sunday.
Willie Frier has been spending a week with his uncle, in North Cayuga.
A number of young people from here attended a skating party at the river on Tuesday night last.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Culp and daughter spent Sunday at the home of O. Fathers, jun.
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Miss Jean Caughill spent a few days eith friends in Dunnville.
Mr. William Edie, of Toornto, spent sunday with his family here.
Mrs. Howard Pridmore returned to be home in Buffalo on Monday, after pending a week at Mr. J. Pridmore's.
The Dunnville Consolidated Telephone Co. has installed a switchboard at Freeman Snider's.

FISHERVILLE

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There are white muslins, Persian lawns and spotted Swisses. Some have all-over embroidery fronts; others have entire front of alternate rows of embroidery and Valenciennes insertions; still others are in pretty yoke designs with wide panels of embroidery and Valenciennes insertions below. Open lack and front; special value opening price to-morrow and following days \$1.50 each.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\* MOUNTSBERG

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Carton visited friends at Moffat on Sunday.

Miss Janet Cameron, who has been very ill with pneumania, is not improving as well as her friends would nke.

Mrs. W. McFarlane, of Harper's Corners, who has been visiting at the home of her father for a few days, is confined to the house with grip.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads the service in the Methodist Church was not very well attended on Sunday night.

Miss Hannah Mount is laid up with grip.

Quite a number from here attended the missionary rally at Freelton on Thursday night, and report a very good

time.

Mr. D. McCurdy is having a sale of implements on Tueshis farm stock and implements on Tuesday, Feb. 18.

Mr. R. Hewins paid a business trip to

Hamilton on Monday Miss Maggie Davidson returned to her ome in Fulton after spending a week nome in Fulton after spending a wei with Mrs. James Campbell, who has be-quite ill.

### VALENS

Mrs. Adam Valens spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Young, of Galt,

Miss Etta McQueen and Miss Marion Harvie, of Kirkwall, spent Sunday the guests of Miss Sadie Coburn.

Mr. Willian and Robert Cook, of Poris, paid a flying visit to their uncle, Mr. Robert Cook, last week, Messrs. William and John Gilman are

at present in Hamilton, putting in a supply of ice. Miss Agnes Cowie is in Hamilton tak ing a course at the Conservatory of Mu

sic.
Mr. George Paterson visited last Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. William Robson, in the village.
His many friends here were sorry that Captain Gilbert, of the Hamilton Fire Department, was kicked by a horse.
There has been no Sunday school at Valens for the past four Sabbaths, on account of the inclement weather and bad roads.