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Lillian Shaw, the singing character comedienne, will head the bill at Shea's Theatre next week. Manager Shea is to be congratulated in securing this clever and magnetic star for his patrons. The special features will be Tom Nawn and Company, presenting "When Pat Was King"; Mike Burnard and Willie Weston, the rag-time planist and the character gives e pianist and the character singer and William R. McCart and Ethlyene Bradford in "A Legitimate Hold-Up." Included also are Maxim's models, international polo teams, Floyd Mack, Anita Diaz monkeys and the kineto-

Victor Moore, in the newest musical offering, "The Happiest Night of His Life," will provide entertainment for next week at the Princess Theatre, beginning Monday night, with a company including such' Broadway favorites as Annabelle Whitford, John T. Kelly, Phil Ryley, Emma Littlefield, Joseph Marba, Jack Henderson. Gertle Vanderbilt, Mae Phelps, Margaret Lane and several other clever people. There is also a chorus of stunning young women, while the costuming young women, while the costumes and seenery are unusually class.

York Evening Journal said: "A tense, powerful play." An excellent cast is presenting the piece this season, with Harold Voburgh and Miss Mary E. Cunard in the leading roles, and Jack Drumler, Miss Louise C. Colvin, Miss Lora Rogers, Miss Blanch Sweet, Daniel Lawler and George Sinciair in the supporting company.

As it is customary with all the leading of deliberate iying. There are repersistent begans than the off" weef before Christmas, Royal Alexandra will not be one that week "The American area." andra will not be open that week. The next attraction at this theatre will be Gertrude Elliott, who will present Mrs. Frances Hodsson Burnett's charming play "The Dawn of a To-morrow." It is three seasons since Toronto playgoers had the pleasure of seeing Miss Elliott, whose engagement commences with a matthee on

mencing on Monday and continuing for the usual one week's engagement, the offering at the Star Theatre will be Miner's "Jardin de Paris Girls," one of the stellar attractions in the fanous Empire Circuit.

The chorus girls of the Big Review Company will give a great contest at the Star Theatre to-night.

onto; Rev. Chas. E. Perry, deputy grand chaplain; James Jennings, de-Of "The Turning Point." Preston Gib- puty district master; James Armstrong, son's successful comedy-drama, which past district master; and John Hewitt, comes to the Grand next week, The New grand treasurer, Ontario West.

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GRANGE AND OR. SHEARER

Didn't Like Remark About Their Knowledge of Law-New Officers Elected.

At the closing session of the Dominion Grange convention in Victoria Hall, there was some hot discussion when Rev. J. G. Shearer read a resolution which the Moral and Social Reform Council wished the grangers to adopt. The resolution regretted the action of parliament in legalizing professional race track gambling, repudiating the contention that this is necessary in the interests of horsebreeding. ating the contention that this is necessary in the interests of horsebreeding, and expressed gratification at the action of the Ontario Government in suppressing demoralizing pictures in cheap shows, especially fight pictures. This was unanimously approved, the dissension arising when reference was made to the suppression of social evils, by expressing the conviction that the criminal code ought to be amended so as "to make its enforcement more easy and effective, by providing for search of suspected premises with or without warrant, and by providing for a prima facie case, as is the case now with gambling houses and opium joints."

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Some of the delegates expressed the opinion that this would give dangerous power to officials, and that houses might be searched because of a spite against the tenant. Dr. Shearer became somewhat nettled, saying he didn't think a body of farmers would find so many objections.

"Don't you think we know anything about law?" one asked.

"Why, yes," replied Dr. Shearer, "You seem to know more about it than the lawyers themselves."

Instantly some of the delegates took exception, and he added, "I mean that for a compliment." The members refused to accept the compliment, however, and the remark was withdrawn after repeated demands. Finally it was decided to amend the clause, making a warrant necessary. Then the reform resolutions were adopted hodily.

Tariff Attitude.

The Ontario delegates to the Ottawa tariff deputation were instructed to press for joint action for: (1) Reciprocal free trade between the United States and Caanda in all agricultural products, fish and lumber. (2) Reciprocal free trade between the two countries in agricultural implements, vehicles and parts of same. (3) For an immediate lowering of the duties on all British imports to one-half the rates charged under the general tartif. (4) For a further gradual reduction of duties on British goods until complete free trade is established between Can-ada and the mother country. The mayor told the session that the

Banner Show," with an augmented chorus and elaborate scenic embellishments, presenting "The Girl From Paris," which will be at the Gayety Theatre past

The resolution committee asked the educational committee to report to subordinate granges for discussion the "The Bohemian Girl," which is the attraction at the Royal Alexandra this Ontario Educational Association with week, has made a decided impression a view to greater representation on the a view to greater representation on the advisory council of education, as to what can be done in regard to farm gardens with rural schools. A resolution was passed that all trunk lines of the telephone service should be taken over by the government, and the rural lines continued as the continue vate or communal ownership.

In the morning session the report of the education committee was read by

James McKeown, M.L.A. It expressed grave apprehension at the increase of military training in the public schools, and said: "However harmless or beneficial this drill may be in itself, we fear that there is behind it a well matured plan to make Canada a recruiting ground for the imperial army and navy. Already we have essentially sacrificed control over our own forces both on land and sea, and, unless there is strong opposition to those who now have this matter in hand, we shall soon awake to find awake to find a worse condition than conscription, namely, our young men ordered abroad to fight the battles of charge of Mrs. T. Lucas, against by

and co-operation in effort." tions for teachers and higher educa-tion, especially as to agriculture, in the rural districts, and for elementary instruction in agriculture in multiple of 9 Marshall exercise the privilege of

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will receive on the afternoon and evenoverseer, E. C. Drury, Crown Hill; secretary-treasurer, J. J. Morrison, Arthur; lecturer, J. G. Lethbridge, Alliance; chaplain, W. Waldron, North
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SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. A. Noxon and Mrs. Neil Mc-Lean were the hosterses of a large atnew home, 833 Bathurst-street. Mrs. Noxon was wearing a gown of black satin brocade with jet trimmings and carried cream roses, and Mrs. McLean wore a dainty gown of mauve and white liberty with real lace and gold and a corsage housest of mauve and a corsage bouquet of mauve orchids. The hostsses were assisted

Fraleigh, nee Frances Thompson of Los Angeles, California, in a govern of champagne slik. Mrs. J. Stanton and Mrs. Hugh McLean poured tea and coffee, and the tea room was in **AMUSEMENTS**

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the empire, without our having any Miss Gertrude Tomin, Miss Nelle say in the matter. There is no need to Jeffries, Miss Florence Wharton, Miss adopt military drill to teach neatness. Ada Jackes and Mrs. Charles Mitchell. punctuality, obedience, alertness, and The tea room was done in color scheme impress the value of unity of action of red and white, the polished table and co-operation in effort. It also asked for increased qualifica-ions for teachers. being beautiful with its face centre and cut glass vases of Richmond roses

the rural districts, and for elementary instruction in agriculture in public schools. It also suggested that in some way training could be given in the practice of democracy which will count De Lesseps, en route to Paris Taranto has almounced at New from Teronto, has allounced at New York that his warriage to Miss Mac-kenzie will occur in London. Mrs. George H. Read of Yonge-street

The following officers were elected: and Rochampton-avenue. Eglinten, faster. Neil Burton. Middlemarch; will receive on the afterneen and even-

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And notice is hereby given that after the said Executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for the said estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not have had notice at the time of said distribution.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of November, A.D. 1910.

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