At the Princess.

are strung together in "The Happiest Night of His Life," which opened at the Princess last night, in a way that a brisk American variety show. Canadians can hardly be expected to be

character of the humor. The piece might have been called the "Rejuvenation of Uncle Harry." Mr. Jelliman is taken out in the guise of a deacon with his son, and the son's chum, who masquerades as a clergyman in a not too reverent guise. They drop in at Mrs. Rickett's garage, where a birthday reception is being given for her daughter Jane. A Widow's League supplies a women's chorus and altogether there are 24 people in the cast. Viotor Moore as Dick Brennan has much slang to recite and holds up his end of the repartee for New York in the contest of wits with the Chicago widow, played by Annabelle Whitford, whose stately beauty would adorn Prairie-avenue. Tom Dawson (Jack Henderson) and Jane (Gertie Vanderbilt) had a good deal of dancing, and Miss Vanderbilt was unrestrained in her agility and very graceful. She secured many encores for her song, "Just Out of My "Teens" in the second, and three encores in the third act. Emma Littlefield as Topsy also did some excellently eccentric dancing, and was encored. Phil Ryley as Uncle Harry was properly vivacious, and the Dutch "Hot Dog" vendor by Joseph Marba was sood burlesque. It was John T. Kelly who made a solid hit with his Officer Flannigan. He swaps uniforms with the "Hot Dog" man and his troubles begin. Victoria Moore's duet with Miss Whitford, "New York and Chicago," was very popular. Miss Whitford also made a hit in "The Fiddler Must Be Paid." The music is not alarmingly original, but the two scenery sets, especially the boulder built.

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At a meeting of Toronto Lodge Theatrical Mechanical Association, held yesterday, a Christmas donation of \$5

The vaudeville attractions are especially good. Miss Blanche Baird, who has joined the troupe in Toronto, had the audience right with her in her planolog, in which she sings some catchy songs. The "Les Junts," Alf and Iva, did some fine work in head balancing. Annette Goldie sings, and Ed Gallager and Al Shean bring down the house in their skit, "A Navai Travery. These contributions, together with previous donations, make a total of

Altogether it is a show that will \$200 given to charity by the Theatrical please.

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Mount Royal College, CALGARY, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The new college of Calgary, of which Rev. G. W. Kerby, pastor of Central Methodist Church, has been made president, has been granted a charter under the name of the Mount Royal College of

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DROPPED BY THE CROWN

At the Grand.

"The Turning Point."

the Grand this week, and the audience

At Shea's

has been seen before, "A Legitimate Holdup."

The moving pictures portray the an-

charitable institutions: Sick Children's Hospital, Home for Incurables, Protestant Orphans' Home, Sunnyside Orphans.

age, Salvation Army, East Eend Nnrs-

F. Pierce, manager Star Theatre, presided at the meeting.

President of Defunct Bank Dead. MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—(Special.)— Ex-President P. Roy of the defunct

St. John's Bank is dead at the Hotel Dieu. whither he was removed some.

the play by liberal applause.

Ex-Employes of the Lindsay Branch of Farmers' Bank "The Turning Point," the offering at Go Free.

CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY

last night showed their appreciation of LINDSAY, Dec. 19 .- (Special.) -A. B. drama with bright dialog, good, clean, ter and J. J. Fleury, ex-employes of drama with bright dialog, good, clean, wholesome humor and a strong and sripping up-to-date story. The scenes of the play are add in Alexandria, Virginia, an historic part of the south. Brent Breckenridge, thru reverses, was obliged to sell the home of his ancest tors to a New York capitalist. Coal in abundance has been found on the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, unknown to Breckenridge, and Ferguson, the capitalist, has formed a company to mine it. The stock has been acting for the property, and the effect of the salverse rullings of the count as the view of the count and to adopt the only outling the exact wholesome humor and a strong and the Farmers' Bank of this town, were

Stewart of Lindsay, represented the defendants, asked leave to make a few remarks, which the judge permitted.

Mr. Cowan began to review the evi-

tion to its alleged weakness, when Mr. Davidson interrupted and called Varied Vaudeville Bill.

Lillian Shaw is back at Shea's with stating that the crown would not have

Lillian Shaw is back at Shea's with her comedy character songs. She has five of them, and they are all good. Lillian made a big hit at two performances yesterday by her finished work and dainty deliverance.

Mike Bernard and Willie Weston, the rag-time planist amd the character singer, put up a good fight for first place with Lillian.

Tom Nawn and Company present Anna Marble's tabloid playlet, "When Pat Was King." It tells of a gardener's return trip to A.D. 968, when he was Mahon, King of Munster. Pat's present-day ideas get some funny bumps in his early surroundings. One thing that worries him is that he will have to wait about 1000 years to get a smoke, and that he can't get back to

dish Eyes," was both snappy and en-joyable. The girls that can sing and dance are Helen Davis and Ruby Har-ris—the former Wiles and Ruby Harwith her clog dance. The Girls of the Regiment, well trained, caught everyone's fancy. The Broadway Comedy
Quartet are good, and especially Selz,
who dances some. Marion Campbell is
an added attraction. A baseball team,
with much faking, is well worth seeing.
"Legarille" introduces.

"Jagsville," introduces a country store and its owner, the promoter of a prize fight, and the fighters.
With the above, the chorus of pretty girls make the show one of the bost yet presented.

The Usual Bungle.

Hamilton Herald: The O.R.F.U. managed to make the usual bungle of things on Saturday when it threw but the protest against the Alerts, but censured the team for its rough work, and demanded that it apologize for the unsportsmanlike manner in which it acted on the field. Some of the O.R.F.U. officials were here for the game, and surely they were competent to decide the protest a week ago, without having to wade thru a big batch of affidavits. It looks like a scheme to keep the Alerts from figuring in the Camadian championship games, and, while the scheme was successful, it did not show the O.R.F.U. up in a very good light. The O.R.F.U. should be a much stronger body than it is, but as long as it continues to adopt such childlesh tactics as it has on various occasions this season, it will continue to be looked upon as a joke.

Ora Morningstar, to whom James Schae.

Ora Morningstar, to whom Jage Schaefer, the wizard of billiards, looked for the education of his son, Jake, ir. was yester. day beaten twice by young Schaefer at Schaefer's 200. In the afternon he made 283 to Schaefer's 200, and in the evening counted only 219 to Schaefer's 200.

Mariages at St. George's, Hanover

Square.

From The London Chronicle.

Hardly any church in Christendom can show a record so remarkable for marriages of aristocratic or remarkable people as St. George's, Hanover Square.

This is explained by the fact that for more than a century St. George's enjoyed a practical monopoly, because the rectors refused to risk loss of fees by allowing their hure parish—which included the best part of the West End—to be sub-divided. It was not until 1844 that Bishop Biomfield, who had acquired the patronage, was enabled to enforce the formation of several daughter parishes. Two of these-St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, and St. Peter's, Eaton Square—having more ornate ceremonial and other attractions, have eclipsed the mother church in the race for fashionable funuctions.

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Remembers Work Yearly.

New Process of Staining Glass.

From The Chicago Tribune.

The art of coloring glass has been lost and refound, jealously guarded and ma-

The art of coloring glass has been lost and refound, jealously guarded and maliciously stolen so many times in the history of civilization that it seems almost impossible to say anything new on glass staining. Yet a process has been discovered for making the stained glass used in windows which is a departure from anything known at the present time. What the Venetians and the Phoenicians knew of it we cannot tell.

The glass first receives its design in mineral colors, and the whole is then fired in a heat so intense that the coloring matter and the glass are indissolutify fused. The most attractive feature of this method is that the surface acquires a peculiar, pebbled character in the heat, so that when the glass is in place tite lights are delightfully soft and metlow.

In making a large window in many shades each panel is exparately mounted in a metal frame,

ALMOST HIGH AND DRY

G. T. P. Steamer Prince George Hit a Highest Time of Extra High Tide. Congregation Ask Bishop to Continue Present Rector.

ing. Her passengers have been taken off. A fleet of tugs will be hooked onto her at eight o'clock to-morrow morning. She listed somewhat this af-

BRITISH MAILS.

As the sailing of the steamer Royal Edward of the Canadian Northern Steamship Co., Ltd., scheduled to leave Halifax, N.S., on Dec. 28 next, has been cancelled, the mail advertised to be closed at the general postoffice, Toronto, on Monday, Dec. 26, 8 p.m., fo that steamer, will not be made up. The next mail after it will close on Dec. 27, at 5.20 a.m., for despatch from New York via S. S. Lusitania of the Cunard line, sailing on Wednesday,

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saves digestive energy and gets you more strength from food of all kinds. Best for winter. Good grocers have it.

C 15 lb. sack, 75c. 6 lb. sack, 35c.

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Store Opens at 8.30 a.m.

Closes at 6.00 p.m.

Harrison Fisher's New Pictures, 16 x 20 in., \$1.50 This popular artist produced five new special pictures for this season—the best we think he has yet done. We imported a number of fine impressions of these pictures, and have framed them in one-inch black or brown moulding, highly finished, with a white

mat and narrow gilt lining. They make a perfect picture to give "Miladi" for Christmas. See them in the window to-morrow. Pictures worth \$3.50 for\$1.50 Books as Gifts

Regular Book Section - First Floor, Near the Elevators. Holiday Book Section - Basement A book, if intelligently selected, is after all one of the very safest things to give, especially in cases where one is at a loss to know just what will please.

This year we have so large a collection of standard and popular books in so great a variety of bindings that even a novice, aided perhaps by a hint or two from us, can make a satisfactory

An important feature of our Christmas stock of books is that it covers a range of prices broad enough to suit all purses. In our Holiday Book Section, for instance, we show a beautiful little edition of the Classics, bound in "Yapp" leather, at 25c each, and dainty little booklets, also Classics, beautifully decorated and illustrated in colors. In England these booklets largely take the place of Christmas cards, and it may surprise you to note that we sell them here as cheaply as they do in the old country, viz., at 10c each.

Children's Books for Wednesday

To-morrow we are going to specialize in Children's Books. and, if possible, make it the banner day of the season in that section of our Holiday Book Department. An important point that should not be overlooked by parents when purchasing gift books for children is care and discrimination in the choice of authors. Years of experience have guided us in importing a selection of English books written by noted authors especially for children. These, while interesting, will be approved as safe for the immature mind. They are grouped on several tables. For boys and girls from 6 to 16 years old there are attractively bound and well printed books at 20c, 35c and 50c. For children there is a wonderful assortment of Raphael Tuck & Son's Picture and Toy Books in colors, very much underpriced, and now marked at 5c, 10c, 20c, and some, bound in cloth, at 25c.

Annuals "Boys' Own"
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SPECIAL-100 copies only of the "Wish-Bone Boat, illustrated with beautiful colored pictures. Regular price \$1.00. House Coats and Dressing Jackets at Prices Cut Nearly in Half

The temptation to secure at a big concession things so entirely ited for Christmas gifts as these House Coats, Smoking Jackets and Dressing Gowns presented itself, and was altogether too strong to be resisted. The benefit goes to our customers, for we intend making a speedy clearance of the lot, and to that end they go on sale to-morrow marked at figures which represent about one-half

Men's Smoking Jackets and House Coats, in a variety of handsome materials, grey, brown, green, red, etc., in stripes, checks, etc., trimmed with cord edges, frogs, fancy collars, etc.:

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A Christmas Sale of Fine Waists at Very

Special Prices

Most women like beautiful things to wear, so you may be sure that one or two of the waists included in this offering would make a highly acceptable Christmas gift for any lady about whose tastes you are in doubt. The fact that every waist in the lot is marked at a price quite exceptionally low is a feature of this sale not to be

Hand-made Lace Waists. Very special at \$2.95 Silk and Net Waists. Value up to \$8.00 for \$4.75 Waists made of Chiffon or Marquisette over silk. Values up to \$15.00 for \$7.50

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A Clearance of Fine Furs Commences To-morrow To-morrow we commence a Christmas clearance sale of Fine Furs—an event unusual for a date so early in the season, but which will be entirely welcome to Christmas shoppers intent on the selec-tion of things desirable for Christmas gifts. Included in this special sale are furs of quality such as:

High-Class Mink and Ermine Sets. Sample Hudson Seal Coats and Musquash Auto Coats. Misses' Grey Lamb Sets at \$15.00. Children's White Thibet Sets at \$6.75. Grey Squirrel Neck Pieces at \$8.50 and \$12.50. Mink Marmot Sets. Regularly \$37:50 for \$24.00. Blended Mink Muffs. Regularly \$18.50 for \$12.00. Persian Paw Sets. Regularly \$18.50 for \$14.75. Alaska Sable Throws. Regularly \$18.50 for \$15.00.

Also a table of odd Muffs. Regularly up to \$12.00 each

17 TO 31 KING STREET EAST

KAISER QUOTES SCRIPTURE

Argues With Professor and Advances His Proof of the Divinity of Christ.

persuade him that Christ was not God. ever said to his students, "I am the tra high tide, and all efforts to disvine and you are the tendrils." The answer was, "No." "Do you believe," continued thr kal-

ser, "that any professor before you ever said such a thing?"
"No," said the professor.

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"Certainly not," replied the professor.

"Good, then," the kaiser declared.

"Since no teacher can or will so speak as Christ spoke, I believe that Christ was not only a man, but the true God."

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Remembers Work Yearly.

One of the constant friends of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is Dr. E. A. White of Kanmount. Eat barley malted for breakfast to do the day's work right. BARLEY FLAKES

GRACE CHURCH AFFAIRS

George Sand and the French Academy
From The London Times.
George Sand came very near being an
Academiclenne, and had she cared for
what would have been, especially in those
days, an overwhelming honor, it would
almost certainly have been awarded to
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almost certainly have been awarded to her, not perhaps so much because of her literary fame, but because of that finely tempered mental quality, that broad humanity, which made her equally dear to the Utopians and to the Realists of her when writing her a chaffing letter concerning the rumor of her possible election Flavbert araphrased Scurl's famous line to mollere: "Rien ne manque a la gioire; French women writers have been "crowned" by the French Academy. In the majority of cases the work so honored, especially if a novel, is judged from the ethic point; the honor sometimes carries with makes a considerable difference to the sale of the book.

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ISLAND DID NOT SINK.

SAN SALVADOR, Dec. 19.—The report emanating from Port Limon, Costa Rica, that as a result of a terrific earthquake, an island in the Hopango had disappeared, with the drowning of many women and children, is entirely without foundation. Only a slight carthquake has occurred recently in this section without damage to property or loss of life.

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