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EXCELLENT PLAY BUT SMALL HOUSE

"My Friend the Enemy" Played to Poor Business at the Grand Last Night.

"It looks like a chair factory in the busy season." This was the remark made by Manager Turton when he surveyed the pit of the Grand last night on the occasion of the presentation of "My Friend the Enemy." It was in-deed true, for the house was one of the smallest of the season. It was a pity that such was the case, for the play proved a very enjoyable one, and the management upon his engagement. His act is something new. He possesses who were present felt amply re-

"My Friend the Enemy" is a comedy drama, written by John Fowler, but TRADING STAMP PROBLEM several times since it left his hands it has been rewritten, and in its present condition it is one of the funniest plays A Proposition to Permit Merch which holds the boards today. And best of all its humor is of a legitimate brand, and does not depend upon suggestive utterances to keep it moving. Small as the audience was it was kept in continuous roars of laughter by the many witty lines and the ever-occurring ludicrous situations. It is a healthy, vigorous play, and one which certainly should have been well pat-

The cast was a thoroughly capable Mr. Frank Lalor appeared as Snuffles, a detective, and all his great wealth of humor found vent in the semewhat Sam Weller character of the English sleuth. Mr. Huge Toland made an excellent Ralph Monispinner, the old financier; Mr. Logan Paul as Count Lucien, proved a very funny foreigner, and Miss Lila Blow as Belle Clifton, a newspaper woman, gave a very satisfactory interpretation.

Miss Maude Starling who, by the a society bud, and her acting was of a very high order.

actor but a couple of times before his mind failed. It was carried out in a

JOHN GRIFFITH IN "MACBETH." John Griffith appears here on Saturday afternoon and evening next at the Grand.

Mr. Griffith's facial powers are admirable, and in all of the climaxes of the play he fairly carries the audiences off their feet by the intensity of his acting.

Mr. Griffith's interpretation of the part of Macbeth is intelligent and very effective. His voice is powerful and resonant, and in the quieter passages it is a pleasure to listen to the forcible manner in which he brings out his lines. Bargain prices will prevail at the matinee. gain prices will prevail at the matinee, and in the evening popular prices will be

In speaking of Henry Lee, who is shortly to be seen at the Grand on the oc-casion of the monster benefit to be ten-dered to the stage hands of that theater by Managers Small and Turton, the London Country Gentleman has this to say: "It was in the vraisemblance of the different impersonations that he achieved his greatest success. We congratulate the management upon his engagement. those who were present felt amply repaid for the patronage they extended order, and his impersonations are given with truly marvelous accuracy."

to Issue Them Individually.

Toronto, May 17.-The abolition of trading stamps, as purposed by Mr. cipal committee of the Legislature this morning. At the end it was mutually agreed by the opposing parties that the real evil lay in allowing trading stamp companies to do business, and that the issue of trading stamps by individual firms was per-fectly legitimate. It was decided to postpone further considerations of the matter till tomorrow morning, and in the meantime a conference will be held by Mr. Trowern, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, who advocated the doing away of trading stamps. Messrs. E. F. B. Johnston E. A. Duvernet, solicitors for merchants issuing the trading stamps; Mr. Dyway, is the daughter of the owner of ment, the law clerk, and Hon. W. J. the play, appeared as Maude Thompson. Hanna. These gentlemen will submit a plan for preventing the operation of The company used as a curtain-ronto and the other in Montreal, who raiser a playlet entitled "A Man of the are said to be effecting a combine in which was written by Augus- restraint of trade, but allowing inditus Thomas for the late Maurice Barry- vidual merchants to issue trading more, and which was used by the stamps if they wish.

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That will carry you until lunch-time, when the same articles can be used, and add a little hot, clear soup.

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Two days thus will open your eyes and 10 days make this good old world seem a happy place again.

It's nice to be happy.

THERE'S A WAY, AND "THERE'S A REASON."

FURTHER GRANT FOR ARMORIES

Supplementary Estimates Ask for \$6,000 for Lighting and Sidewalks.

Ottawa, May 17. - Supplementary estimates for the fiscal year, amounting to \$6,379,342, were brought down in the House tonight. These, added to the sum voted last session, makes a total appropriation of \$81,349,391 for the fiscal year ending on June 30.

Among the items are \$10,000 more for the voters' lists for the last general election, \$300,000 for immigration, in addition to \$682,276 already voted, \$100.000 additional for annual drill, \$25,000 pay of troops nof being raised to garrison Halifax and Esquimalt. The Intercolonial requires an additional \$450,575 on capital and \$2,000,000 on reserve account to finish up the year. The sum of \$290,500 is asked for Grand Trunk Pacific surveys, making \$1,619,000 for the year, \$26,000 more for dredging at Port Arthur, and Fort William, \$50,000 further for Collingwood harbor, \$7,000 for deep water-ways commission, \$65,000 additional for the Hudson Bay expedition, and \$1,000 honorarium to Commander Law. The sum of \$280,000 is required to pay unprovided items, including \$68,800 for mounted police, and \$48,363 over ex-

for electric wiring, fixtures, grading sidewalks, etc., at the London drill LIBERAL 'VARSITY PLANS

pended by the postoffice department.

The sum of \$6,000 adidtional is asked

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bulding on College street was to be erected at a cost of \$50,000. The proposed Convocation would cost \$150,000 or \$160,000. Of this the late Premier had promised \$50,000, and the same sum had been raised by subscription. The Government was acceding to the plan proposed by the trustees for securing the remainder. It was to be taken out of the endowment fund, and repaid from the revenues of the wild lands given the university The time had come when practical work in forestry and botany should be

house at a cost of \$5,000. successfully established, it was the in- press was going westward, and ran tention to build an addition, to cost into the two cars. Fire from the en-\$15,000, and accommodate 40 students. gine of the passenger train set fire to As previously explained, four resi- the powder and caused a terrible ex-Gences were to be erected for men at plosion, which together with fire from a cost of about \$40,000 each. The Gov-some unknown source, burned all pasernment was to give \$50,000, and the senger and Pullman cars. remainder of the cost was to be defrayed by private munificence.

The last and most important provi-

sion of the bill concerned the Toronto General Hospital. The original proosition had been that the Government and the city of Toronto each grant \$100,000, the hospital being rebuilt on its present site. The former Premier had concurred in this suggestion, and had promised a grant of \$100,000. It was now considered advisable that new site should be secured, which would suit the convenience of the faculty and the students, and if this was done it would mean an expenditure Downey's bill, was the subject of a lengthy discussion before the muniwould be asked to give \$250,000, while it would also be asked to consent to the borrowing of \$50,000 from the endowment fund for the purchasing of a

Expenditure of \$1,600,000.

The total proposed expenditures dealt with by the bill would be \$1,600,000, and of this sum the direct grants by the Government would amount \$465,000.

With regard to the internal management of the university, said Mr. Whit- will be ready for operation the comney, there was apparently room for a ing fall change, but he had no personal knowledge of the matter. The disputes withir. the walls of the university would be put an end to. In concluding Mr. Whitney said that

the Minister of Education had in his pocket written promises that if the scheme just outlined were brought to successful conclusion over \$250,000 vas ready waiting to be given to the university. The Premier then moved, seconded

by Dr. Pyne, the formal motion that a bill be introduced respecting the University of Toronto.

Takes Credit From Others.

Mr. Harcourt, replying, stated the Premier had taken credit where little credit was due. The Premier's speech contained the inference that the late Government had not moved rapidly enough in aiding the university, but he hoped to succeed in showing that in all seven points made by the Premier had failed. The physics building was assured one year ago, therefore there was nothing in Mr. Whitney's claim with regard to it. As to the science building, the late Government had spent \$300,000 upon it, and the credit of its construction belonged to the late Premier. An appeal had been made for \$50,000 for the convocation hall, and the late Government had given all the money asked for. Regarding the forestry school there need be no two opinions on an item of \$5,000 expenditure required. The late Government also deserved the credit for taking the first step towards the erection of woresidences. The Opposition co-operate heartily with the Government on this expenditure even now. As to the residences for men, he was pleased to see there had been such a successful appeal for aid from grad-uates, and friends of the institution, and that one donor had offered to subscribe so generously. This proposition had only been brought up recently, therefore the late Government had no opportunity to act in connection there-Thus, as to six of the seven points referred to, the policy of the late Government was resulting in

The Premier replied briefly to Mr. Harcourt. The Government, he said, did not propose to ask for any particbut would do so next session. What they did propose was to get the money from some public resource. He further explained that during the coming recess the Government would take up and consider the question of the troubles and complaints at the university. It was their intention to either appoint a commission or take some other steps to inform themselves of the exact state of affairs existing, and ascertain the best manner of changing the entire administration of the university. There something abnormal existing, said the Premier, when the affairs of the university cannot be conducted by business, men so that when the Gov-ernment met the House next session the members might expect to be asked to approve of a new system of man-agement at the university.

The bill was read a first time. When every one sees the words "con-science fund" in a paper he wishes that people who owe him would make

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NO ONE TO BLAME

Verdict of Coroner's Jury in the Harrisburg Railroad Disaster.

Harrisburg, May 17. - The coroner's jury returned a verdict exonerating the Pennsylvania Railway Company from any blame for the South Harrisburg disaster last Thursday, in which 22 lives were lost and more than 100 persons were injured.

The jury finds that the cause of the accident was the result of applying the air brakes to the freight train in order to stop it so that it would not collide with the shifting engine. "The shifting crew with its train was properly on the track," the verdict says, "and so far as the jury can learn were guilty of no negligence." The jury finds that "By reason of applying the air brakes on the freight trains two cars of the said train, one undertaken by the university. It was of which contained 20,000 pounds of therefore proposed to erect a glass- rock, chiefly blasting powder, were thrown upon the westbound track just A woman's residence having been as the Cleveland and Cincinnati ex-

The jury says that the freight train vas properly equipped with air brakes, and that no human agency could have stopped the passenger cars from running into the wreck

THE NEW C. P. R. LINE

Good Progress Being Made On the Goderich=Guelph Branch.

Goderich, May 17. - Construction of the Goderich-to-Guelph line of the P. R. is being pushed ahead with Several gangs of considerable speed. laborers are working between here and Guelph, more particularly toward this end. The grading has to a large extent been completed, and fencebuilding gangs are busy. Some of the camps in this and the adjoining county number as many as 150 men. The farmers are mking a good thing out of the presence of the men, who are dependent upon them for much of their supplies. It is expected that the road

GOMPERS ARRANGING PEACE

A Settlement of the Big Chicago Strike Is in Sight.

Chicago, May 17.-It is highly probable that the next 24 hours will see the end of the teamsters' strike in Chicago. Although none of the labor leaders will so acknowledge it, it is generally understood tonight that the programme for calling off the strike has already been arranged. Tomorrow a meeting will be held bea committee representing the team-

tween the teamsters' joint council and owners' association. It will be made plain to the teamsters that the business interests of the team-owners render it imperative that the boycotts be lifted. It will then be agreed, it is said, by the team-owners and the teamsters' joint council that the demand of the team-owners to make deliveries to boycotted houses with union drivers be submitted to arbitration. The arbitration is to concern only

the team-owners' association and the teamsters, the members of the employers' association being in no manner interested in it officially.

Pending the decision of this board of arbitration, the strike is to be called off, and such members of the team-sters' union as are able to obtain their old positions return to work. This will end the strike with the exception of the strike against Montgomery, Ward & Co., and it is expected the trouble in this direction will die out grad-

ually. President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, was active today in all efforts made toward settling the strike. He conferred with members of the team-owners' association, held conferences with the teamsters and had an extended talk with Mayor Dunne. He refused to state the result of his day's work, but expressed himself as continued in the strike would shortly be adjusted.

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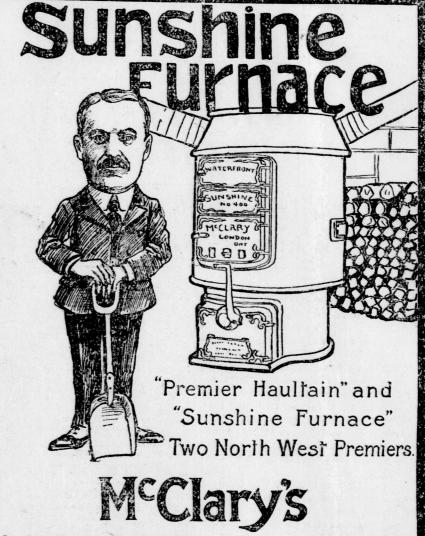


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