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## LARGE CROWD GREET'S MERRY MINSTRELS

### Local Talent Wins Applause Making Big Hit With Songs, Jokes, Sketch, Monologues and Specialties.

From the rise of the first curtain until the last spoken word of the closing sketch, the home talent minstrel show held the large audience which gathered at the auditorium last night to witness the performance which had been worked up and staged for the benefit of the Catholic Church. Chorus, song and specialty features were heartily applauded and the entire program seemed to win the favor of the spectators. The persistent efforts of the entire cast during their rehearsal period were made apparent by the success of the performance. Director V. W. Nunez and Miss Genevieve Grevemberg have handled the stage and musical direction for the minstrel and the smoothly running program pronounces their work as highly efficient.

Mr. V. W. Nunez as interlocutor and Messrs. Raoul, Charles and Eugene Delas and Messrs. L. F. Kihneman, Jack Chronister and Frank Vaughn as endmen, kept the house in a continuous state of merriment with their gags and comic capers. The others in the cast were: Misses Bessie Wise, Ruth Moncrief, Edna Gillen, Eunice Terrebonne, Ollie Hebert and Irma Ditch and Messrs. Robert Gillen, Linus Terrebonne, W. J. Bouterie, J. L. Adams, R. D. Hays, P. H. Kinney, J. C. Harrell and Cass Jolley.

The opening chorus by the entire circle was well received and numerous drills and formations were worked out during its rendition. Raoul Delas was the

first soloist and won prolonged applause in his ragtime diversion entitled "Pray for the Light to Go Out". Mr. L. J. Adams was appreciated in a late and catchy song, "Don't Bite the Hand That's Feeding You". Miss Bessie Wise sang one of the sweetest of Irish Melodies "Just a Little Bit of Heaven, and They Called It Ireland". Miss Wise has an exceedingly musical voice and delighted her hearers with her song, "The Hesitating Blues" by Mr. Charles Delas, was one of the best numbers on the program and he was enthusiastically endorsed. Mr. V. W. Nunez sang a beautiful ballad called "In the Garden of My Heart". Miss Ollie Hebert added to her already heaped-up laurels as a soloist by her charming little French "Un Peu d'Amour". Miss Hebert is a singer of rare talent and personal charm and is one of the Morgan City's favorite daughters. Mr. Eugene Delas captured the crowd with his "You Missed a Good Woman When You Picked All Over Me." His song was one of the decided winners on the program. Immediately following the number by Mr. Eugene Delas the entire circle sang down the curtain on the first part with a musical medley that fittingly ended an hour of continuous triumphs.

The Olio or second part of the program was filled by a laughable and excellently delivered monologue by Mr. Frank Vaughn in black face, followed by a trio of beautiful young ladies, Misses Wise, Grevemberg and Hebert,

who sang "When I Dream of Old Erin". The trio was followed by a yodel selection by Mr. J. C. Harrell, a recent addition to the citizenship of this city. Mr. Harrell's ability as an entertainer added largely to the success of the program. A number omitted thru error from the printed program but put in the performance with vim, vigor and vitality was the black face monologue by Mr. L. F. Kihneman. This number brought volleys of laughter from the audience.

The program was closed by a comedy sketch entitled "Balm For a Wounded Heart". The cast included Mr. Robert Gillen in the decrepit character of Abijah Pippins, the defendant in the exciting breach of promise suit before the court; Mr. Linus Terrebonne, judge of the court was splendid in his judicial interpretation of the part; Mr. Jack Chronister as the court officer was a typical Irish cop and did his best to preserve order with a disorderly jury; Mr. Frank Vaughn as Snapcash, attorney for the plaintiff, surprised his friends with his knowledge of the case in hand and his insidious attempt to pry the defendant loose from \$5000 as balm for the wounded heart of his client; Mr. P. H. Kinney, lawyer for the maligned unfortunate, Abijah Pippins, sprung numerous legal phrases and outbursts of oratory in behalf of his client—it was probably due to his masterly appeal to the jury that the divided couple were once more brought into harmony; Miss Irma Ditch as Mrs. Lenora Smithers Trustly acted her lines effectively, and it was probably strange to the spectators that her charms, which so obviously affected the jury, did not win for her the balm she asked. On second thought, however, the audience will recall that the jury was completely dominated by a vigorous suffragette who announced her intention of running things and who carried out her intentions. This part of Mrs. Doctor Pullem was ably acted by Miss Edna Gillen. Miss Ruth Moncrief as Miss Amelia Bedelia Arrowroot was the beautiful corroborative witness for plaintiff. Her full and complete answers of "yes" and "no" to the intricate legal conundrums propounded by the cross-examiner showed that she was really familiar with the details leading up to the suit. The jury was composed of a cosmopolitan group who represented many nations and many freaks. In addition to the forelady already named the jury included: Mr. Cass Jolley as Levi Hochheimer, Mr. J. C. Harrell as One Lung Gong, Mr. Eugene Delas as Vanderbilt Persimmons, Mr. Raoul Delas as Jamison James, Mr. J. L. Adams as Goblief Wurstmacher, Mr. R. D. Hays as John Measles, Mr. W. J. Bouterie as Holligan, Mr. Charles Delas as Footlight McGuff, Mr. L. F. Kihneman as Sillicus Beeswax, Mr. V. W. Nunez as Mulligatani and Miss Genevieve Grevemberg as Aunt Simpson.

The performance was entirely creditable to the efforts expended by Director Nunez and the accompanist, Miss Grevemberg. Miss Grevemberg contributed to the fun of the sketch by her laughable impersonation of Aunty Simpson and appeared to be equally talented in character work as in music. As a musician, Miss Grevemberg is possessed of remarkable talent and she

has generously put her ability at the service of many of the benefits held in the city in the past few years.

Tonight the minstrels go to Patterson and with the confidence won from their performance of last night, a great success is predicted.

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Miss Ruth Joret has returned from a visit to friends in Franklin.

Mr. Herman Kreh of New Orleans, La., visited his family in Berwick this week.

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