



Miss Emma Branton, of the Hawtrev Comedy Co.

essentially to the present than this versatile actor, who simply revels in the possibilities of modern comedy. Miss Branton began her professional life with the late Mr. William Creswick as one of the singing witches in "Macbeth," and she has since played under the management of Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove, Mr. George Rignold, Miss Janet Achurch, Miss Olga Nethersole, Mr. Charles Cartwright

and, as beforementioned, Messrs. Brough and Boucicault. Miss Branton's physical charms have greatly aided her success; she is not only a sound actress, but a handsome woman also.

Mr. Gregan McMahon, like many other actors, originally intended to devote himself to the Bar. He graduated with honours in classics at the Sydney University, and spent some time in the Faculty of Law at