REPERTORY THEATRE CLUB

A PLEA FOR A NATIONAL THEATRE

ADDRESS BY PROFESSOR A. T. STRONG.

There was a large attendance of interested persons who met for a repertory theatre club at Devon Hotel, on Wednesday evening, when Professor Coleman Phillips [

In the presence of Mr. Basil Harding, who presided, a most interesting speech was made by Mr. J. H. Strong, in which he urged the necessity for a national theatre, and pointed out the great advantages to be derived from such an institution. He said that the existing system of repertory theatres was unsatisfactory, and that a national theatre would be a great boon to the public. He also spoke of the importance of the arts, and urged the necessity for the support of the arts in general.

The meeting then adjourned to the Repertory Theatre, where the chairman, Mr. J. H. Strong, introduced the speakers, and the meeting then adjourned to the Repertory Theatre. The evening was successful, and the meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman and the speakers.

In conclusion, Mr. J. H. Strong said that the meeting had been a great success, and that he was confident that the proposed national theatre would be a great boon to the public.