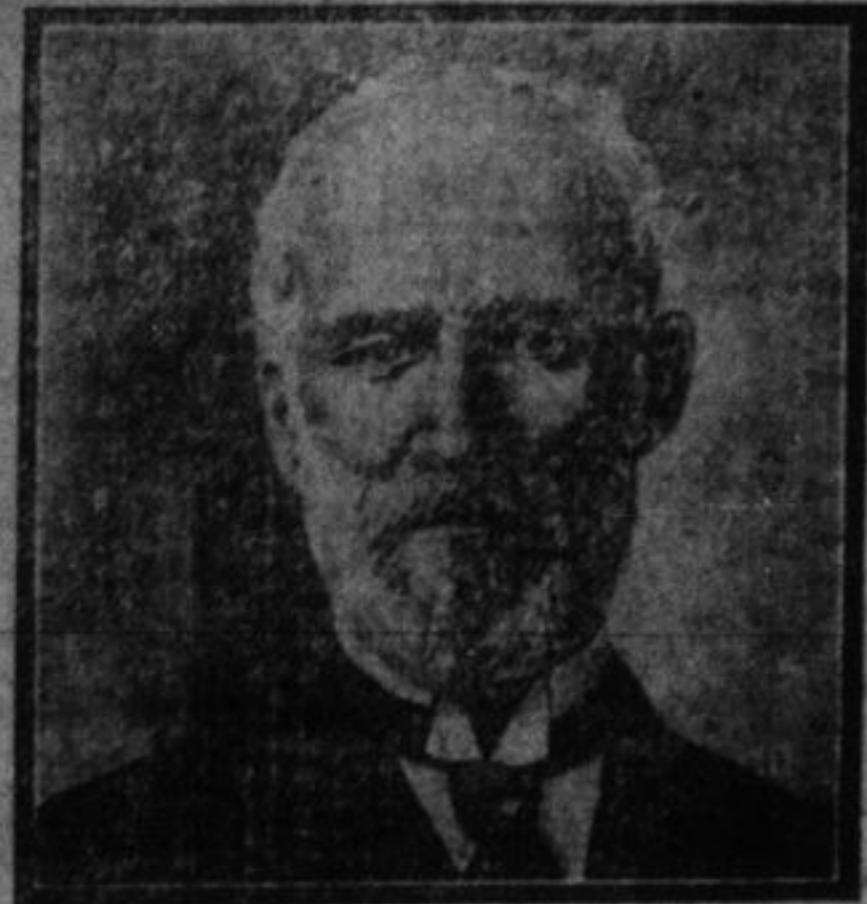


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THINGS THEATRICAL

NOTES ON PLAYS, PLAYERS, AND PLAY HOUSES.

Chinese Theatre in New York-Closed—A New Play for Wat Goodwin—Fred Terry and Julia Neilson to Play in New York.

Emily Stevens, a sister of Mrs. Fiske is to be starred by the Leiblers. Holbrook Blinn, Mrs. Fiske's leading man for many years, is to be starred. Jules Murray, a theatrical producer, is bankrupt. Likewise, Grace Van Studdford.

It is stated that the company raised to pay off the mortgage of \$20,000 on Clara Morris' home has succeeded.

Edward Sheldon, author of "Salvation Nell," has put out two new plays called "The Murder," and "The Boss."

Klaw & Erlanger will produce "Miss Endelback" in November. It is the operatic success of Berlin and Vienna.

Henry Miller goes to the Pacific coast early in the season with "Her Husband's Wife," a comedy by A. E. Thomas, which was quite the vogue in New York city in the spring.

Adeline Genes, who will make her farewell appearance on the stage this season, under the management of Klaw & Erlanger, will open her season in Philadelphia in October in "The Bachelor Belle."

Lenny Dustin is to tour America and Europe at the head of her own ensemble, appearing in selections from Italian operas. Geraldine Farrar, her rival, will appear in Berlin shortly in "Neon."

Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree is out with his booklet in reply to the criticisms of Herbert Trench on the production of "Henry VIII." at His Majesty's theatre. There are many caustic passages in Sir Herbert's statement.

The outrageous caricatures of Frenchmen, Englishmen, Germans, Hebrews and Irishmen that have been seen on the musical comedy stage for many years are arousing the ire of people, not only of the offended nationality, but generally.

Klaw & Erlanger will star N. C. Goodwin in "The Captain," by George Broadhurst and G. F. Dazey, opening in Indianapolis in October. Mr. Goodwin will play the role of a globe trotter and clubman who has been an officer in the National Guard.

Among the new things promised at the National opera, Paris, is "Le Miracle," by Georges Hue, the composer of "Le Roi de Paris," and "Titania." There will also be "Siberia," by Giordano and Le Cobzar, which was produced by the Monte Carlo Opera company last winter.

Fred Terry and Julia Neilson will appear in New York city next month under the management of Klaw & Erlanger, for a brief American engagement in "The Scarlet Pimpernel" and "Henry of Navarre." They bring their own company with them. Their visit to America will last only ten weeks.

The Chinese Theatre, which for many years, has been the centre of interest in New York's Chinatown, has been closed for all time and will hereafter be used as a Christian mission. The theatre failed as a money maker when the rival Tong took to shooting at patrons. The Chinese didn't object over much but the American sight-seers, whose gold kept the place running, did, and withdrew. They were used to stage murders, but the real thing in the audience annoyed them.

The late King Edward was an ardent theatregoer. He saw his first performance March 24th, 1846, when a little over four years of age. During his life he attended the theatre about 150 times, according to English records. Of the performances twenty-five were given by royal command. As a youth, the then Prince of Wales once took part in an amateur performance of "Athalie," appearing as Abner. The Duchess of Argyll played Lacharia and the late Empress Frederick of Germany, the title part.

An American on the Exodus.
At a dinner in honor of a party of American newspaper men in the west not very long ago, Elmer E. Critchfield of Chicago said:—

"A good many things have been dropped on our way up here which give us from the other side of this imaginary something called a boundary line, occasion to think. People are telling us, or rather a few people have been endeavoring to tell us, that some of our former citizens who decided to cast in their lot with you have become dissatisfied and are flocking back to the states.

"Gentlemen, the people on the other side of the line who really count for anything and who really do things and help to make the big world go round understand the animus behind this declaration. You need not be worried in any particular about that declaration because it is not true. It is not a fact that our people who come over here are going back to the United States. It is not because the people are dissatisfied with you, or with your country, or with your government, or with the administration of your laws, or of the condition which they find that they are going back. You are all big enough to know that occasionally a man becomes dissatisfied without cause. The dissatisfied individual is not going to do you any good if he remains here. Let him go back.

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Entitled to Half.
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TASMANIA.

Nicknames Applied to the One Time Convict Settlement.
"Tasmania is perhaps the most interesting of the states of our commonwealth," remarked the Australian. "It is a large triangular island lying to the south of Melbourne and was once a convict settlement.

"The climate is delightful and the soil remarkably fertile. The island is practically one large orchard, where peaches, apples, cherries, etc., are grown in sufficient quantities to keep the adjoining continent supplied with some left over for export to England. As fruit trees do not require much tending, leisure is a notable characteristic of the inhabitants, and Tasmania is known throughout the antipodes as 'the land of lots of time' or 'the land of sleep a lot.' It is also called 'the jam country' and its natives familiarly termed 'jam eaters.' This is on account of the presence of an enormous cannery in the island, where some of the orchard products are converted into jams, jellies and preserved fruits.

"But this by no means ends the list of Tasmanian nicknames. Two Dutch explorers—Tasman and Van Dieman—had to do with the discovery of the island, and although the name of Tasman is now used, it is often referred to in old school books as Van Dieman's Land. We find it amusing to twist the latter name a bit and call the Tasmanians 'demons,' which is a shame, as they are the mildest and

best fellows in the world. They speak of themselves as 'Tasians,' and that may be accepted as their unofficial designation."—New York Press.

A Plea for Sympathy.
Catholic Register.
This week, there are thousands of Catholics praying for dear Protestant friends and we can well believe that there are many thousands of earnest Protestants looking wistfully to Montserrat and wondering if their forefathers made a mistake. They are the heirs of the sad sixteenth century tragedy which divided the Christian world into two hostile camps; but to-day they are looking for proofs not abuse. The case for the real presence in the sacrament of the holy eucharist is very strong. Luther believed it down to his dying hour as did Henry VIII, Queen Elizabeth, and a host of the early reformers. More than three-fourths of the Christian world believes in the real presence to-day, and as Mr. Birrell put it, a few years ago, "it is impossible to believe that a mystery, so tremendous, so profoundly attractive, and so intimately connected with the keystone of Christian faith, so vouched for by the testimony of the saints, can be allowed to remain an open question."

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