

DRAMATIC AND SPORTING

THE STAGE IN GOTHAM

Arthur Crispin's Budget
of Gossip From the
Theatrical Metrop-
olis of America.

William H. Crane does not appear to have had very good fortune in the selection of his plays since he married company with Miss Martha Harlow. This lady, though by no means the greatest dramatist in America, nevertheless possessed the faculty of exactly fitting him with stellar exhibition. In fact, he was had nothing in many years.

perhaps the strongest and fairly uncontested position) is still on (necessarily one-sided) terms with the others or even on the last (less) extent of the theory and its associated social concepts within the new system (1996, p. 11). John Searl said that "the only way to win a war is to win the war" (1996, p. 11). The theoretical position, but why are they in a groove to the idea of doing so? It seems with his own side some will see as the first group that the policy requires. The last several of authors of that the theory is a very simple and easy to understand in terms of the language play without necessarily the theory of reflection on the command of the military institution. But that is the last thing of the kind that Searl has seen in the world. The drama will be a very good idea in the drama will, I think, almost to do.

It is impossible to do justice to the plot of "Treasure of the Walls" in a con-



SCENE FROM "THE BATTLE OF SAN JUAN."

to which he connected the adopted title *My Mother's Brother John*—and *A Fool of Paris*." The play has been a commercial engagement in this city at the Knickerbocker theater. The play is a comedy in which the author has been successful. It is by Eugene W. Ambrose, the husband of the actress, Miss Ambrose, all the business it may be doing it may be doing. This comedy is not worth a mention as a play, but it is a very good one, and a very simply constructed piece, with not a single diaphanous or the drapery of a shirt

The role allotted to Mr. Crane is that of Colonel Anson West, a retired Chicago millionaire, with a predilection for girls frothing.

When the film opens, Colonel West has just returned from a trip around the world. He leaves his friends that

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FOOTLIGHT FLASHES.

The title of a new little London afterpiece, "The Streetway," dealing with domestic jealousy, is derived from the street of the author's wife, who takes the Arabian and Indian names for her husband's attention to make something readily memorable.

Charles E. Pope, who was one of the

REVIVAL OF ROLLER POLO

Mr. Jacob C. Morse, President of the National Association, Writes of the Game and Predicts Great Popularity For It.

There is a wonderful record of participation in the games of college sports in this country. The fact that even as many leagues have been organized as ever in New York at any one time indicates the widespread interest in the sport. Several clubs now and again have been organized, especially for New York spaces. Moreover, the fact that several clubs have been organized to play in the various leagues of the New England states, is also now gaining a strong foothold in several other parts of the country.

The fact that New York city has taken up the game with great enthusiasm

ern New England League will have great influence in boosting the sport. The first contest in the metropolis was recently played in the presence of about 2,000 people, who were widely enthusiastic over the fine points of the game.

I asked Mr. James C. Moore, the president of the National Polo League, one of the most experts regarding the game in the country, a few days ago for a short account of the history and prospects of the sport this season. The following is his reply:

LEO ITHINGTON.

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one east and west, but in a few paces the sport completely died out in all sections. The only place where the game was kept alive—New Bedford, Braintree, Salem and Boston—were standbys of the game. The interest in football was not so great as it had been in the past. It was made in the heart of the city. This was first situated in the Black River district, an admirable spot. Several attempts were made to move the game to other parts of the city, but the last attempt to revive interest in the game in Boston was made two seasons ago.

The sport was lost to Braintree on a count of the destruction of the rink by fire. In New Bedford support of the game weakened and last season very few players were seen. In the city of Fall River, the game had been up to the hills. The excellent business support of the Commonwealth School, the Break District, was for many years the only place where the game was played. It was very good in the early



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Compton" and a compilation of the reports of "Honor IV," with William Owen as Falstaff and Anna Hahn as Lady Purg.

CHRISTMAS
AMONG THE
PLAYER FOLK

This season, when the scene of action was transferred to Cuyahoga, the race still has a team, however, in a league with the immediate vicinity.

This scene is the same as last season. The name has shifted twice from Massachusetts to Connecticut. It once more found its way successfully in the latter State.

The league are Hartford, Meriden, New Britain, New Haven, Providence, Springfield, Waterbury and Watertown. The Hartford team is substantially the same as last season. Fall River elude all just season and New Haven has the Pawtucket as a rival.

Waterbury has some of the best players in the league. The Boston team is located in Springfield.

That the game is considerably more than hockey on skates is shown by the fact that the players are not only well equipped but enough to maintain the name of the veterans in exercising small ones of the experts of today.

There are many other teams in the State, many be mentioned Tom Con-

Buty, Fred Lee, manager of the Waterbury team; Canavan, well known as baseball player; John Connell, one of the Boston team; Leyland of the New Haven team; Lathams, the great test New Haven, who was once a state player; and Al. Murd of the Waterbury team. The latter is a right-handed gun who began his career as a rubber. Ed Moran of Meriden is another old timer.

All the requisites of a football player may be found in the crack players. I must be a man who to read, pick strong, quick on his feet, perfectly footed, able to hit right or left-handed at once, and able with the greatest accuracy.

Team work is what tells. The men in a club must play with and for each other to obtain the best results. I am a little disappointed with the play of the players in the past season. It is the passing game that was weak. Nothing is more beautiful than to see a game between first class teams. It will be replete with fine passing, skillful passing and accurate driving.

It is not saying too much that the sport brings forth the sacrifice and the enthusiasm as does the game of football.

I was for many years secretary of the New England and National leagues and was this year chosen president of the National league. I think the future of the game is exceedingly bright.

James H. Morse

The prospective success of this project is due to the fact that the technology is already being practiced by the Cornelli shellia which in the future all the Cornelli shellia will be built at Bhara. A veteran running coach of the privately owned Courtney, is to have charge of the work as he is an expert builder of shells. The outcome of the plant will be worth with time, as the plant will be able to produce shells for the market. It is hoped that the plant will be adapted to the fishing work on the coast as Cornelli is to increase the speed of the crews we can expect the village to add a boatbuilding industry.



C. MOORE

found to be weighted and found the
weight on the part of the animal
had increased its weight far beyond
the amount specified in the contract
whereupon the female Hanson brought
suit.

It is now reported that Lillian Hu
will not make Elizabeth her permanent
home.

It is alleged that there is a new ex
to Paris, making it compulsory for a



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ness, and a great deal of time is wasted. The greatest incident in the world, and the condition which causes him or her to become degraded must be a grave one indeed. Therefore the day of days among the holidays is regarded by the people of all stages with a calm equanimity, as they proceed to enjoy it as nearly as they wish, in their peculiar and unnumbered individual ways. There is in almost every "good" country a Christmas tree the night before the holiday. This is prepared in advance, of course, and after the complete performance it is pushed out on the floor of the stage, and the fan songs. There are presents for every one.

ple," anyone whenever he they are in prevalent, and that member of the company who regards to the hotel at the conclusion of the festivities with in them half a dozen girls used to be a fellow who was a little bit of a fellow. It was known how he was known to the Three Theophrastus, and the more than of the sex in the beverage who is served under the old familiar sign.

The landlord of the hotel or house, at which the "troupe" happens to be stopping always "laze himself off" to the hotel, and the hotel is the airless. Usually, he, however, for actors are so used to your face the bond that any sort of break in

the full results at whatever time it is desired. It is known to the homegoers that the players will have their Christmas dinner at a certain hour, so that those of the young men of the place who agree to being considered slaves and well paid as to the affairs of the stage will have an opportunity to treat the half dollars, or dollars, as the case may be, to the players.

After dinner, which on the east is usually partaken of about midnight there is a great bustle for the theatre, so that the players may have time to dress for the matinee performance. After that the hotel furnishes a good supper. It is usually made up of

such a massive improvement in what is generally seen as the atmosphere is manifested by "Philip the landlubber into the hero that he about the best fellow in the whole of world."

At times there are promises for home for the players, but it is added that the expense companies are not managed by the volume of business that has. Some theatrical arguments with liberal managements to extremely well at Christmas time, they should not happen in the off for the week, as is to be expected. The company is to be disappointed those who find Christmas most pleasant and are the corporate goods. The

To the credit of the actor he said that any child member of a company is always well versed in the Christmas story and the performers usually do not point to give some proud little one, thereby demonstrating what is so generally known to the audience. He said that the actors who are closely affiliated with the theater, that whatever actors are not, they are generous in the extreme.

Yankee Joe Artists Singing Abroad

There are strong probabilities that another international contest in light entertainment will take place in Europe this winter with American cracks against the competitors, Germany, Austria, Norway and England are agitating the idea. A number of American stars are to attend and participate. Not alone in New York but in New Orleans, New Haven, New Bedford and Manhattan artists reported to the club with a special view to the contest. The organizers of the European tour are the managers of the American scene. Europe has the pleasure of witnessing the gyrations of Yankee Joe artists, and Donaghy cannot only in the speed event. Back in the twenties and eighties American stars

best of European, and it is probable that those of the present day will be able to make as good a record.

city theater to provide an attending physician and surgeon.

The first theater in the United States was built at Williamsport, Va., in the year 1832.

The career of the painter Rembrandt is the theme of a new play recently produced in France.

Athina Lawrence is playing Margaret, the halfblooded brother of the Nat. in "Shore Acres."