

Number of Theaters in United States

Alabama.....	80	South Dakota.....	16
Arizona.....	7	Tennessee.....	30
Arkansas.....	47	Texas.....	78
California.....	68	Vermont.....	16
Colorado.....	20	Virginia.....	36
Connecticut.....	23	West Virginia.....	26
Delaware.....	13	Wisconsin.....	58
District of Columbia.....	7	Wyoming.....	11
Florida.....	15		
Georgia.....	21	Total.....	2,183
Idaho.....	9		
Illinois.....	96		
Indiana.....	8		
Iowa.....	83		
Kansas.....	82		
Kentucky.....	46		
Louisiana.....	24		
Maine.....	37		
Massachusetts.....	19		
Michigan.....	101		
Minnesota.....	14		
Mississippi.....	21		
Missouri.....	51		
Montana.....	220		
Nebraska.....	24		
Nevada.....	251		
New Hampshire.....	18		
New Jersey.....	163		
New Mexico.....	24		
New York.....	251		
North Carolina.....	18		
North Dakota.....	15		
Ohio.....	15		
Oregon.....	15		
Pennsylvania.....	15		
Rhode Island.....	15		
South Carolina.....	15		

SALT LAKERS IN GOTHAM.

Mrs. Russell Entertains Salt Lake Girls—A Host of Romeos—"Mormon" Elders Return from Trying Experiences in the German Mission.

Special Correspondence.

New York, April 27.—At the Twelfth Night club, on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Wm. Reid, the Misses Afton and Jesse Young, and Robbie Morris were guests of Mrs. Harold Russell (Ada Dwyer), who arrived last week with the "Audrey" company from the south, and who is stopping at her old quarters at the Ashland House. At the club, Amelia Bingham acted as hostess. Miss Bingham and her company, you will soon see in repertoire, June 19 being the date of her Salt Lake engagement, "The Climbers," "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson," and a "Modern Magdalen," her plays, have all been New York successes.

Mrs. Russell is very busy since her return, as she is to play Lady Capulet in the Liebler all star production of "Romeo and Juliet," which is being rehearsed daily on the stage of the Manhattan theater.

The morning papers are having no end of fun at the expense of Mr. Bellevue. There are nine of the "has-been" Romeos in the cast of the play above referred to. Wm. Thompson, Eben Plymouth, Geo. Clark, F. C. Bangs, J. E. Kellard, Edwin Holt, Forrest Robinson, and Edmund Breeze. These nine artists, have each in their day, played the Shakespearean lover, and in the opinion of each one, he was the only Romeo. Without doubt they were all excellent, but Kyrie Bellevue, the noblest Romeo of them all, has to listen to suggestions, and hear comparisons on all sides, not always in his favor either, and to rehearse under the fire of such criticism is certainly trying. This all star combination will first be seen in Albany Monday night, April 27. The company travels as far as Chicago, where they play a week, then have a week or two of one night stands, bringing them to New York May 25, where they remain until June 6.

Mr. Harold Russell of Mrs. Le Moynes company, has been in Jersey for the past week, and he ran over to New York last Sunday for the day, it being the first time he and Mrs. Russell have seen each other since last November.

Mrs. W. G. Sharp and her sister, Miss Ora Harkness, who have been in Washington for the last month, returned to Salt Lake in a few days to spend some time with their parents.

Wednesday evening, Mrs. McQuarrie and her little son Edward, with Elder Kent, left for Washington, D. C., to join President McQuarrie, who has reached that city on his tour of the conferences. They will all remain in Washington for three days, then go to Baltimore for a few days, thence to Philadelphia. Meetings will be held in each of these cities: Elder Kent and Mrs. McQuarrie will leave Philadelphia for New York Monday.

Hon. John W. Young and his son J. Wesley Young, were the hosts at a theater party Wednesday evening, to witness the great success of the "Earl of Fawcett." The guests were the Misses Afton and Jesse Young, President Arthur Welling, Mrs. William Reid and Miss Robbie Morris. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all.

Three new Elders made their appearance at mission headquarters this week. They will remain at Eighty-first street until sent to their different fields of labor. They are E. Woolley of Preston, Ida, Nevell Davley, of Oakley, Ida, and Melbourne De Mille of Rockville, Utah. For a few days they are seeing the sights from the elevated trains, and surface cars of this great city.

An old landmark to the members of our colony and to traveling Utahns, is about to disappear. No. 292 West Twenty-third street, the home of Mrs. Helene Davis and her sister, Mrs. Catherine Lane, who is now in Salt Lake, has changed hands, the property having been sold. Mrs. Davis will move to Fifth avenue, where she will conduct a millinery establishment. For nearly two years these ladies kept open house for Utah people, and their hospitality will be remembered by every one who had the good fortune to enjoy it. The Sunday evening, cottage and Relief society meetings were held in their elegant parlors, and many pleasant socialities have been enjoyed as well. It is with regret that this conference will see the old home pass into strange hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eldridge of Portland, Ore., have been visiting in the east, and gave New York a three days call, stopping at the Holland House. They were guests of Colonel and Mrs. Willard Young at dinner Tuesday evening.

Miss Lile Leigh and her aunt, Miss Sara Alexander, left for Pittsburgh Monday evening, where Miss Leigh has been specially engaged to play for four weeks at the Grand Opera House. The engagement begins with "The Pride of Jennico." Miss Leigh is cast for the gypsy girl. "The Climbers" will follow, given by Miss Leigh playing Clara Woodson's part, the scheming society woman.

Nineteen hundred and three will long be remembered in history as a theater building year. Thirteen new theaters are being erected in New York city and 33 in the rest of the country from "Frisco" to New York. More than \$5,000,000 will be spent on the New York theaters, and nearly \$5,000,000 throughout the rest of the country, which means that \$17,000,000 is to be invested in one year in buildings wherein the American people will be entertained.

There are already some 42 active theaters in New York city, and one would almost imagine that there was no place left for further development along that line. Yet of the theaters now building one is designed to be the "finest theater in the world," costing for building, exclusive of the ground, \$1,250,000, and another is intended to be the "largest in the world." These two are Klau & Eschinger's New Amsterdam, and Mr. Hammerstein's latest effort, the Drury Lane.

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