Dramatic and Lyric.

A Breezy Letter from New York—Sport McAllister.—Death of Mrs. Barrymore.—Mr. Merrill's Compositions.—Latest News in Professional Circles.

NEW YORK, July 1, 1893.

Dramatic Editor NEWS:

One by one the theaters have rolled away before the leaping comet's tail, until thirteen house have closed their doors. Tonight the Garden, where Robin Hood is running, the Casino, where Daly has so long held forth, and Palmer's, where Rice's 1492 has been doing good business, join the procession. The Madison Square, where the Trip to Chinatown (which by the way Salt Lake closed as the best of Hoyt's productions) has passed its 650th performance, and the Metropolitan Opera House, where the Talisman has enjoyed a brief but successful run, have both sent out their warnings, and in a few nights more New York will depend for its summer theatrical amusements on three houses—the Americus, where the Prodigal Daughter, the great racing play, is the sensation of the hour, Tony Pastor's, and the Broadway, where gigantic De Wolf Hopper is drawing immense houses in the double attraction of Panjandrum and his twin marriage. Mrs. Hopper No. 2 is Miss Edna Wallace, of Frohman's forces. Perhaps you know her. Mrs. Hopper No. 2 secured a divorce only last week.

I suppose you have heard of Cowles giving up his position with the Boodleians. Hopkins will be filled by Mr. Sykes, a basso who was with the Fencing Master last year. There is a rumor that Bartlett Davis will retire too, and it seems to be very probable. It is well established that Dwight closes the connection of the sprightly Camille D'Arville with the Boodleians. It is understood that she is negotiating with Manager J. M. Hill and with the Americus, being anxious to remain in New York all the year around. The Americus are conducting her favorably for a series in their proposed production of th Rainmaker of Syria.

Without doubt, the disappointing attendance of out of town visitors has had much to do with the wholesale closing movement as the weather. The Omega of Europeans who were expected here this summer on route to the World's Fair have been so far failed to materialize, and managers who has prepared for summer runs are feeling very blue in consequence. But it is expected that the rush will set in when people from the West have got through visiting the Fair, it is thought the Eastern people will not return home without visiting New York, and to cater this transient trade many of the theaters will reopen unusually early. A list of the openings for the fall is as follows:

Aug. 7—Lyceum ..... E. H. Sothern.
Aug. 8—Palmer's ..... Lottery Ticket.
Aug. 8—Metropolitan Opera House ..... The Talisman.
Aug. 21—Fifth Avenue ..... Shore Acres.
Aug. 22—Bijou ..... Dan'l Druce, Blacksmith.
Aug. 22—Madison Square ..... A Trip to Chinatown.
Aug. 22—Garden ..... The Black Crook.
Aug. 22—Lyceum ..... Rosemary Rose Cross.
Aug. 28—Broadway ..... Hoyt's Comedies.
Aug. 28—Casino ..... Erminie.
Sept. 4—Bijou ..... The Dancing Girl.
Sept. 4—Fifth Avenue ..... Lady Windermere's Fan.
Sept. 11—Garden ..... Wang.
Sept. 18—Madison Square ..... A Temperance Town.
Sept. 18—Palmer's ..... Robson and Crane.
Oct. 23—Tony's ..... Tony Pastor's.

The out of town openings of the principal attractions are as follows:

Old Homestead—Chicago, July 3.
E. S. Willard—Chicago, Aug. 7.
The Dove—Chicago, Aug. 14.
The Soudan—Chicago, Aug. 21.
Thatcher—Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 21.
Lyceum Theatre Company—St. Louis, Aug. 21.
John L. Sullivan—Newark, Aug. 21.
Bonnie Scotland—Boston, Aug. 21.
Peter F. Daley—Brooklyn, Aug. 21.
Gentle Shepherd—Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 28.
Lyceum Theatre Company—Chicago, Sept. 4.
Lost in Chinatown, A Company—Binghamton, Sept. 18.
A Brass Monkey—New Haven, Aug. 28.
A Temperance Town—Providence, R. I., Aug. 28.
Elliot Opera Company—New Orleans, Sept. 4.
Old Jed Prouty—Providence, Sept. 4.
Friends—St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 4.
The Prodigal Father—Detroit, Mich., Sept. 4.
Use of Chicago—Washington, Sept. 4.
Magnum Bonum Opera Company—Boston, Sept. 4.
Robert Downing—Brooklyn, Sept. 4.
John Drew—St. Paul, Sept. 4.
F. W. Sanger—Pittsburg, Sept. 4.
Frank Daniels—Brooklyn, Mass., Sept. 4.
Rose Wakefield—Toronto, Sept. 4.
Boston Ideals—Boston, Sept. 4.
Pat A Rooney—Providence, Sept. 4.
A Texas Steer—Brooklyn, Sept. 4.
Chas. Dickenson—Lynn, Sept. 4.
Robert Mantell—Chicago, Sept. 11.
W. H. Crane—Philadelphia, Sept. 11.
Lyceum company—Boston, Sept. 11.
Chas. Morton—Chicago, Sept. 11.
Boston company—Boston, Sept. 11.
Knickerbocker company—Albany, Sept. 11.
J. H. Eames—Providence, Sept. 11.
Dixie Bell—Newark, Sept. 11.
Henry E. Dixey—St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 11.
Marie Burroughs—Louisville, Sept. 18.
The Highlander—Chicago, Sept. 18.
Gaiety company—Brooklyn, Sept. 18.
N. C. Goodwin—Providence, Sept. 18.
Trip to Chinatown, A Company—Washington, Sept. 18.
The Country Circle—Boston, Sept. 25.
Stoddard's entertainment.
Tavary Opera company—Chicago, Sept. 25.
Joseph Jefferson—Chicago, Sept. 25.
Fanny Davenport—San Francisco, Oct. 30.
A Milk White Flag—Buffalo, Oct. 23.

It must be a very rare and strong attraction which can come to Salt Lake now a days and play against our Lake attractions and insatiable, lovely and showy as Spot McAllister. Yet it is said of the gentle man one successfully cope with the opposition aforesaid. Hoity toity is an excellent estimator of a certain type of Irish character, and he brings its authentic to a Bijou the whole type so to on the stage. He comparing to all the average act, and will do, and, it makes for an agreeable evening of merriment, and one that is worth experiencing in these times of all pervading ennui. The same attraction will be seen tonight.

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The most amazing competitions turned out late by a home author are two hymns by the organist, Frank W. Merrill. They are all "Hallelujah" in the worst vein and help to spur cast," and a hymn to the words "Behold thy feelings, O my brother!" The composer says they were written for the use of the Salt Lake, Provo and Logan choirs, and are published at the suggestion of Professor Stephens, Giles and Lewis. They are spoke the genuine true and tender feeling, and the minor movements in both are specially well and naturally worked out. Both compositions form valuable additions to our store of home music.

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The violinist, M. Arnold, and his wife, will probably spend the summer in Salt Lake, as Madame Arnold's health could not stand the heated term in the east. During the week M. Arnold has been heard at several private gatherings, and everywhere his exquisite work has caused the most enthusiastic enthusiasm. It is not entirely that he will be heard in a public concert before long, and would seem may prepare Mrs. Arnold for a feast. M. Arnold is an enthusiast on the subject of old violins, and his own instrument is a Stradivarius of the rarest order. He has gone with delight over Dr. Dorn's collection of instruments, and said he discovered to his amazement that in the set was an old violin of the rarest make which used to be well known to violinists of Paris, but which disappeared at the time of a sale there some seven or eight years ago. The instrument was bought at that time in Paris by Dorn himself. M. Arnold says that Mr. Joslin, of Denver, has a violin of various worth $1000 or $2000, and that every violinist in Paris knows of its whereabouts and will sympathize deeply of what becomes of it at the owner's death. These instruments are so rare that they can be sold at any time more readily than diamonds, and one of the famous mass is never allowed to leave Europe if there is any possibility of keeping it there. Even if it goes, its destination is carefully registered, and it is never lost sight of by the artists and collectors.

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The death of Mrs. Georgia Drew Barrymore in California the other day will be a little shock to the theatrical world. Her illness started last month in Salt Lake where Frohman's companies were playing here, and she failed on the stage at the end of an act. She went on to San Francisco without finishing the engagement and returned to New York by easy stages. During her health was not benefited she went to Cuba for some time and then returned to New York where she tried to go back to the stage but found she was still too weak to appear. She was then sent to sunny California by her physicians, in the hope that the climate would restore her, but it was all in vain, as the hand of the destroyer had taken fast too firmly upon her. She was the daughter of Mr. John Drew, the sister of John and Sidney Drew, and the wife of Maurice Barrymore, and had all the bright, distinctive records of the distinguished family from which she sprang. Her loss will be keenly felt by the American stage.

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Mr. Mantell during his coming engagement at the Theater will have the support of one of the best appointed and most powerful companies that has recently visited this city. The scenery and properties are the very best, all being brought here in a special car. The dresses of the ladies are said to be beautiful creations of Worth of Paris and the leading modists of New York, the costumes are by Daniel of New York and the music by Charles Puriton. On Monday evening Mr. Mantell will present the romantic drama entitled "Monbars," a play that has been for the gentleman form fame and fortune. Those of our citizens who saw the rendition of this play when here four years since will improve the opportunity of again witnessing it. On Tuesday evening will be presented "The Face in the Moonlight," a powerful French romantic drama, in which Mr. Mantell assumes two distinct characters.

STAGE AND MUSIC NEWS.

Minnie Ellsworth is still acting in San Francisco.

George Thatcher's Affica seems to be a big hit in San Francisco.

Arthur Wallack, son of Lester Wallack, has returned to the theatrical profession.

It looks very much as though the Boston Bonanzas were slowly but surely going to pieces.

The Press is agitating the question of a statue of Edwin Booth to be erected in Central Park.

Nat Goodwin has quit the business and gone into permanent retirement. He is said to be very wealthy.

The famous New York Casino is in the market. Gaiety and what is Bijou is to man Kennedy.

The New York Herald notes the presence in that city of Manager Hayden and his wife. They are now in Chicago on route home.

Emma and Heartsia Vance will be members of Thomas W. Keene's company, "Richard and Juliet" will be added to his repertory, and in it he will be seen as Benedick.

Jack Drew and his company (headed by Marie Adams) will receive their last August Bob, presenting the Musical Boy, and appearing in Philadelphia (Broad) in January to a new play. Mr. Drew, who is now in Europe, sails for America July 29.

The plays whose runs neared or passed 100 at A Trip to Chinatown are Aaron, 500 performances; Hard Knocks, 400; Hungry Hearts, 400; The Black Crook, 475; and Erminie, 352. In England all records are distanced by Our Boys, which had a run in the Vaudeville of 1362 performances.

The good fairy has pushed the clouds away from the Chicago theaters. Six or seven houses turned people away all last week. The immense Auditorium, with its seating capacity of 4000, was not large enough to accommodate the throngs who wished to see "Aristos," Mr. Aldrich's operatic burlesque.

When Charles Hoyt becomes tired of writing plays he can get an easy income easily as a place agent. He persuaded an entire legislature to adjourn and go to his play, gets temperance societies to endorse his latest work, and now he has succeeded in getting a temperance union to advertise "A Temperance Town" by passing resolutions about the play.

The Empire engagement at present appearing in London, says the World, is not meeting with unqualified success. The dispatches state that Dore's audiences have fallen off to one and that the Comedie Francaise company is to be invited during the absence of Henry Irving, Ellen Terry and Dore's Dante in A Dream of Fame, with the exception of a few matinees, was not cared for.

Mr. Frohman will have seventeen companies on the road next season. The list will include The Lost Paradise, Lady Windermere's Fan, Jane, with Jennie Yeamans in the title role, The Sportsman, Mr. Wilkinson's Wives, and Men and Women. A stock season will also be played in Boston at the Columbia and another at the Bobbie theater in Chicago. Among the first productions in Boston will be Oscar Wilde's new play now running at the Haymarket theater, London—A Woman of No Importance.

What, again? Why, only yesterday I disposed of the Marie Wainwright case, and now she falls in serious more more. This time she shows her hand, and it is not a sentimental one, I tell you. She will return to the stage next fall, and her manager, Julius Magnus, is already taking steps by the footsteps. She will star out west. I am I shrewdly suspect that it was not the Bohemian or Millionaire Bachelor which made Marie back on the stage. The whole matter smells of an advertisement pure and simple.—*Examiner.*

Henry Miller and Viola Allen will head Frohman's stock company next season. William Morris and Sydney Armstrong who are playing the leads at present in the organization, will continue next year in The Girl I Left Behind Me. Both Mr. Miller and Miss Allen will appear in the play. Harry plays and Agnes Miller, May Bilson and Cyril Scott of the stock company will also appear before the regular season. A number of new people have been added to the stock company. They are W. J. Ferguson, Edie Walton, Harrison Sterling, W. H. Crompton and Harry Worrell, who will appear in Mr. Frohman's other productions before they are required to the Empire stock. Two companies will be sent from the Empire theater next season to present The Girl I Left Behind Me, which will be also given under Mr. Frohman's management abroad.

Talk about theatrical superstitions—evening yet, I saw a most startling instance the other morning in the lobby of the Empire theater. A man was on a ladder repairing something or other, and to reach the elevator for the office opening you had either to walk under or climb over the ladder. Would you believe me that as long as I stood there not one member of the theatrical profession had the courage to go under the ladder? Bad luck and all that sort of thing, you know. I was sure to follow, Charles Frohman, who came in first, solved the problem quietly by pushing that round, bulky body of his in the ladder and climbing over it. Then appeared Julius Cahn, who contemplated the direct impediment and then calmly walked outside. Harry Rickwood used his long legs to advantage and slumbered over. Then followed a long list of people I know, including Henry Miller and Hoole Adams, but, you may believe me, not one of them went under that unlucky ladder. The men who

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