

MUSICAL FESTIVAL OF FIVE SYMPHONY CONCERTS TO BE GIVEN HERE IN APRIL

Orchestra Will Number Sixty Pieces, While Three Hundred Well-Trained Voices Are to Be Heard in Chorus Choir. Professor Boyer Will Be Director.



An old song says that with the approach of Spring, "young man's fancies lightly turn to thoughts of love," but there are many Portlanders who will associate this coming Spring with the musical treat which the Portland Festival Chorus, in conjunction with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, is to give at the Armory, about the end of April or beginning of May.

SEMBRICH'S TRIUMPHANT FAREWELL STIRS ALL HEARTS AND BRINGS TEARS

Deluged With Costly Gifts of Love and Appreciation, Her Last Appearance at Metropolitan Opera-House Is Event of First Importance in Musical History of Generation.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(Special Correspondence.)—There has never been a more impressive occurrence in the professional life of America than that which occurred Saturday night at the Metropolitan, when Mme. Sembrich played her last performance as a regular member of the Metropolitan opera company.

Her loss to the stage is very great, greater indeed than we realize at the present moment. Mme. Sembrich's influence upon the stage not only as an artist, but as a woman as well, has been unique. Her art is the greatest and the purest, scientifically speaking, because the present demands upon the singer are such as to destroy the pure singing beauty of a voice.

livery. She embraced Mr. Scott, who kissed her hand and there was obvious grief at the thought that this was their last appearance together. The next act was the second from "The Barber of Seville," with Bond as Almaviva, a comedy role which he lightened greatly on account of the tears which hung in the atmosphere.

Discussion on Domestic Problems

Colonel John-Sneed Talks With His Daughter on the Subject of Smoking at Home.

BY CASPER E. YOST. COLONEL JOHN SNEED, having dined with satisfaction to himself and pleasure to his wife, lighted a cigar and strolled around the corner to the modest cottage in which his son-in-law had recently established himself.

APOTHEOSIS OF THE MIND OF THE HUMAN SOUL

Most Remarkable Age of Physical and Mental Progress and Enlightenment.

BY R. M. BERRIOTT, C. E. IN THE STORY OF EPOCHS, the general generation from Adam, the Hebrew and the Christian are told that he "walked" on earth with his Spirit-Father during 300 years, and then, not by death, but by refined translation or transubstantiation, of the physically etheric body, he was enabled to continue his "walk" in the next higher stage of eternal existence.

FUTURE COUNTESS OF DROGHEDA.



MISS KATHERINE PELHAM BURNS. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—This is the beautiful future Countess of Drogheda, who is Miss Katherine Pelham Burns, daughter of Charles Pelham Burns, of Edinburgh.

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earth, and let him smoke anywhere he doggone please. Now, call Bill in and tell him I've got a real cigar for him."

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with the remarkable physical and physical apotheosis of Jesus as related in the four chapters of Luke, and the doctrine of the resurrection of the body of flesh and blood and of vicarious sacrifice and atonement, that are now based, as they were during the Dark Ages, upon a purely physical hypothesis and hypothesis, can no longer scare the mind and conscience of educated and civilized man into a life of righteousness.

Russian Railways Lose.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The Russian railways with few exceptions are sources of loss, not profit, to their owners. In some striking cases it has been proved that the greater the traffic the smaller the returns.

WOMAN'S NATURE

Is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering, danger and fear that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread.

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