

MARY GARDEN SCORES TRIUMPH AGAIN IN MASSENET'S OPERA

New York Goes Wild Over Production of "Griseldis" at Manhattan Opera-House—New Musical Comedy Pleases and Early Successes Still Hold on Broadway Stages.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Among the plays that appeared the first of the year, several promised to be tremendous successes.

The "The Lily," at the Stuyvesant Theater, with Nance O'Neil as leading woman; "The City," the Clyde Fitch play; "The Next of Kin," Charles Klett's play; Francis Wilson's "The Bachelor's Baby"; "A Little Brother of the Rich," by Joseph Medill Patterson and Harriet Ford, who also wrote "The Fourth Estate."

Forbes Robertson, in "The Passing of the Third Floor Back," has already passed the 500 mark and it continues to have a rare fascination.

"The Arcadians," which was one of the greatest successes of London, was produced for the first time in this country on Monday night.

The story relates the experience of James Smith, a London restaurant-keeper, who lands from his home in London a beautiful mountain country in the heart of Greece.

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Henry Miller opened Wednesday night at the Savoy in "The Faith Healer," by William Vaughn Moody, author of "The Great Divide," Mr. Miller, and perhaps Mr. Moody.

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brings an equally brilliant color to the characterization. The story is one of those mystery tales of the middle ages, brought down to modern times by Armand Sylvestre, and Eugene Morand.

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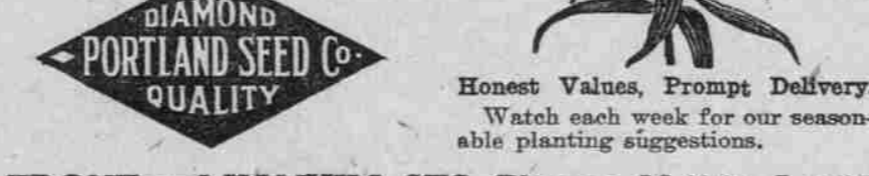
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The Musical Event of the Season

Myrtle Elvyn

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Miss Elvyn's present tour has been one continual triumph and stamps her as unquestionably the rightful holder of first place among American pianists.

The following notices are from some of America's most critical musical centers:

NEW YORK TRIBUNE—Myrtle Elvyn, the soloist with the New York Symphony Orchestra yesterday, was the greatest musical surprise I have encountered in many a day.

BOSTON POST—Her personal beauty and fascination are potent factors in Myrtle Elvyn's great success.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE—Her work grows in authority, beauty and virtuosity until her listeners were simply carried away by her tremendous performance in the great Tschakowsky Concerto.

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artist, her teacher is a woman who has never heard music in a city, yet that girl's rhythm was perfect, her time was even, and she has the feeling for the music.

Trains do not wait, even for artists, so our little circle reluctantly said goodbye to Madame, with many hopes that next time she came she would find more of the appreciation of music in Portland.

"She is one of the women who have learned some of the deep things of life," remarked our gentle hostess after Madame was gone.

W. M. RASMUS ANSWERS His Attorney Says Snag Judgment Was Taken Against Client.

William M. Rasmus yesterday made the following statement in regard to a proceeding in the Justice Court:

"An article in Saturday's Oregonian under the caption 'Rasmus Saves Society,' gives to the public an account of a court proceeding in which I was placed in the unpleasant position of defendant and made to appear as one who was trying to avoid the payment of a just debt.

"On July 20, 1909, a complaint was filed against William Rasmus by S. J. Kaminsky, one D. A. Pepp, claiming to be one of the attorneys of plaintiff, making affidavit to the complaint.

"Having been informed by one of the firm of Emmons & Emmons that no further proceedings would be taken in the matter until I was notified, I did not file a cost bill and was, indeed, most surprised to learn that the aforesaid attorneys had taken judgment against my client without giving me an opportunity to defend the suit or appear in court in

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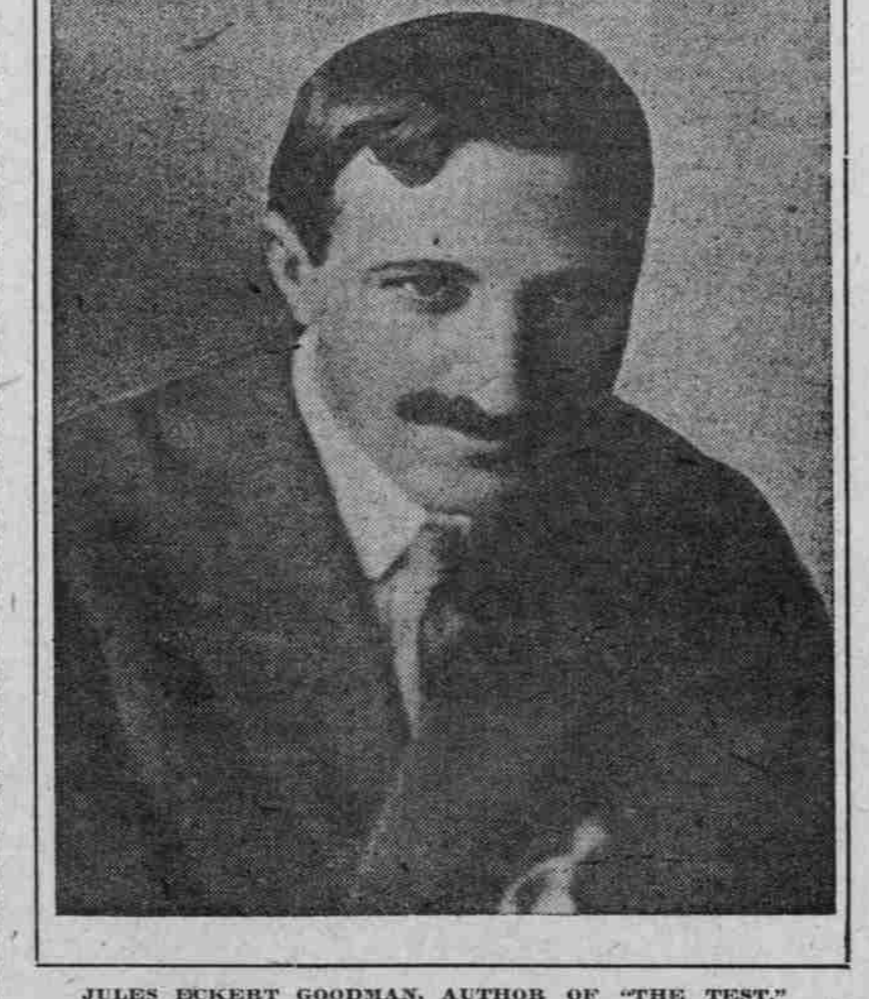
Inhuman Stepmother Is Captured. SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 29.—After several weeks of tireless vigil, the police last night captured Juan Alderez, accused of kidnaping the 14-year-old stepdaughter and holding her captive in the wilds of Mexico.

"On the court files it now appears that when the above statement was made to me, on September 8, 1909, the complaint upon which this present proceeding was had, had already been sworn to at that time, and bears date of September 7, 1909.

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PLAY BY PORTLAND DRAMATIST TO BE SEEN THIS WEEK



JULES ECKERT GOODMAN, AUTHOR OF "THE TEST." Jules Eckert Goodman, the author of "The Test," in which Blanche Walsh opens a four-night engagement at the Bungalow on this evening, is an Oregon boy.

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