

AFTER THE SALOME DANCE--WHAT? INQUIRES FREDERICK THOMPSON.

Frederick Thompson in "Success" Magazine... THE regeneration of Coney Island has been kindly ascribed to me by friends and the public...

this particular movement, which is already growing to an alarming extent... The proclivity with which the American theatre-going public is accepting questionable plays...

Even the painting of a muck heap may be artistic, but the man who made it cannot have done so with the same idea of pleasing his sense of art... Similarly the man or the woman who portrays on the stage...

The Moral of the American Theatre... I am not a moralist and do not wish to be considered one. I believe that cleanliness of mind breeds the best mental hygiene...

Evil Influence at Work in Vaudeville... Less than a year ago an English woman visited our shores to enjoy the pleasures of the theatre...

The Theatre-Goers... Ob, say, do you go to the play, or do you stay away? And if you go, do you always know it is the sure...

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

A benefit for Clara Morris will be given in New York.

Frederick Ward intends to lecture on "Shakespeare and His Plays."

William Gillette expects to go to Australia at the end of the season.

Eva Tanguay has written a book which will be published in March. It is entitled "A Thousand Loves."

Clyde Fitch's latest comedy, "The Happy Marriage," will be produced in London with Mary Moore and Sir Charles Wyndham in the leading roles.

Booth Tarkington and Harry L. Wilson's new play for Otis Skinner contains an actor and an actress and a rich young man blinded by the tinsel glory of the stage.

William Pavuraham's new play "The Barber of Seville" has been produced by the author, Edward Childs Carpenter, and is being issued in book form now.

Alexander Bisson's play "La Femme" in which Mme. Jane Harding has been appearing in Paris has just been secured by Henry W. Savage who will produce it in this country next season.

Margaret Wocherly has been engaged for a term of years by Daniel Frohman and will make her first appearance under his management in "The Sign of the Cross" with Charles Dalton featured with her.

Bernstein's "Baccarat" played recently in New York in German, and to be produced soon by Harrison Gray Blake, is entitled "La Rafale" in the original French version performed in Paris recently.

Max Rogers will play a young German when he stars alone next season. Aaron Hoffman is already at work on the new play in which the survivor of the famous Rogers brothers team is to go to it alone.

Edmund Day's novel "Squire Finn" which has been so much popularized, is being dramatized by Eugene Prebrey and will be produced some time in September next under the title "The Circus Man" with Macklyn Arbuckle as star.

Mary Anderson de Navarro sailed on the Baltic recently to return to her home in England. She was accompanied by her son, Jose, her husband and daughter are detained here by the illness of Mr. Navarro's father, Jose de Navarro.

Madame Marietta Oilly, who made her first American appearance at the Irving Place theatre in a short time ago, has signed a contract to appear under the management of the Shubert Brothers in speaking roles, beginning next season.

Charles Frohman has decided upon March 1 as the date of Miss Marie Doris' first appearance in New York in her new play, "The Richest Girl," which will be written by Paul Gavault and Michael Morton. She will play at the Criterion.

After many years "Puddenhead Wilson" is to be played in London. The prestige of Mark Twain's name is very likely to be of great help to the success of the play in England and it is expected that it will have a long run.

GOVERNOR SAYS HIS OWN FIREWOOD

Potency of the Red Cross. From the Boston Transcript.

The time is past when emergency relief on a large scale can be left to amateur handling. It must be swung into line by the organized, scholarly charities of the day.

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