DIVERSE TOPICS OF THE AMUSEMENT WORLD PERTINENT TO LAST WEEK IN AUTUMN

ALL-TSCHAIKOWSKY BILL BY ORCHESTRA

Stokowski Will Play "1812," "Nut-Cracker" and "Pathetique" at Next Concerts

RECITALS IN PROSPECT

Next Week's Music MONDAY-Hunter Welsh recital, Witherspoon Hall,

8:15 p. m. Tuesday—"The Daughter of the Regiment," Metropolitan Opera House, 8 p. m. Nicholas Douty recital, Witherspoon Hall.

8:15 p. m.
Wednesday—Louise Homer, the younger, and Reinald Werrenrath recital, Academy of Music,

8:15 p. m. Friday—Philadelphia Orchestra concert, Academy of Music, 3

p. m. Saturday — Philadelphia Or-chestra concert, Academy of Music, 8:15 p. m.

Leopold Stokowski has vielded to numerous and persistent requests that the all-Tachalkowsky program which met with such conspicuous success last season be repeated this year, and season be repeated this year, and he has scheduled a highly popular group of numbers in the symphonic repertoire for performance at next Friday after-noon's and Saturday evening's concerts in the Academy. Three numbers constitute the program and 102 musicians are required for what Mr. Stokowski deems an adequate performance. The "Pathetic" symphony heads the list and is followed by the fairy music which the great Russian composed for the "Nuteracker" ballet. A rendition of the "1812" overture, with its martial themes and note of victory, will bring the concert to a resonant conclusion.

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The Boston Transcript devoted half a page last spring to a critical review of Mr. Stokowski's performance of Tschallowsky and susaking of the a mphony the writer said that "he gave forth the music with such compelling balance.

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of music of the University Extension Society in Witherspoon Hall on Tuesday evening. "The Romanticists" is the chosen subject, which will be illustrated

interest should be the appearance in the Academy or next Wednesday night of young Louise Homer, contraite. The younger sing-er's voice has been acclaimed as a clear toprate of undoubted promise. If heredity has anything to do with art the daughter of Sidney Homer, the gifted composer, and Mme. Homer, one of the world's leading contraltor, should be at the threshold of a brilliant career. Wednesday's concert will be given for the benefit of the Halmemann Hospital. Reinald Warrenrath, the admirable American baritone, whose exquisite English diction places him in a class with David Bispham, will also be a prominent contributor to a diversified murical program. dear toprano of undoubted promise

The second in the series of morning musicales at the Bellevue-Stratford, which opened so auspiciously on Monday morning last, will take place on December 17 at 11 o'clock. Oscar Seagle, baritone, and Hans Kindler, the first cellist of the Philadelphia Orchestra, will furnish the program on this occasion.

program.

The midwinter concert of the Philomusian Club Chorus will be given at the clubhouse. 3244 Walnut street, on Thursday at 8 p. m. The director in May Porter. The soloists will be Walter Portius, tenor: Jorsephine Garber, contraito; Reba Stanger, cellist; Flormone Haenle, violinist; Edith M. Morsan, accompanist. The concert will be followed by a dance, personal invitations having been sent by members of the club to the enlisted men stationed at the Navy Yard. The officers of the chorus are: Bertha S. Graham, president; Mary R. Gucker, first vice president; Mrs. George E. Shoemaker, second vice president; Mrs. William L. King, sécretary; Mre. Herbert Ingram, treasurer.



JESSIE GLENDINNING This talented daughter of that hdmirable player, the late John Glendinning, will be reen here during Christmas week in an important role in "Turn to the light" at the Garrick Theatre.

THE TWINKLING STAR OF 'HITCHY-KOO' HITCHCOCK TO PILOT



Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, whose breezy revue will be the Lyric. Theatre's attraction beginning Christmas week.

"EXCLUSIVE" SONGS ARE WORTH SEEKING

scored in vaudeville after the had estably offed to Alaska. Mr. Holmey revisited

chosen subject, which will be illustrated by excerpts from the works of Schubert. Schupann. Mendelssohn, Chopin, Liszt, Bennett, Franz. Jensen and Brahme. The following is the program:

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SHAKESPEARE ACTOR THREE ATTRACTIONS IN MUSICAL FARCE

nanager doesn't propose to have his house in New York "dark" while he is on the road. He has organized a new revue, and with his partner, E. Ray Greez will bring it to the play house in Wilmington, December 17, for a tryout prior to playing it in New York, Richard Carle Edna Aug, the Deoleys and a bost of others will be included in the personnel of the new revue. Mr. Hitchcock will personnally appear in the new revue for the first highly had will return to Philadelphia in these for the opening of "Hitchy-Koo,"

And while playing in "Hitchy-Koo, the consedian doesn't propose to step

the consedian deem't propose to step producing. He has another musical play under way. D is Henry Blosson with "When Love Is Young." This piece will be seen at the Adelphi Theatre for an engagement, starting New Year's Eve. December 31. There will thus be two of the Hitchcock and Goetz musical plays in Philadelphia at the same time.

Traffic Club Abandons Dinner PITTSELIGIH, Lee, & The Traffic Club of Pittsburgh, where annual din-ners have for a number of years brought together many of the leading executives of the country, has announced that the dinner for 1918 has been abandoned be-cause of the war.

DAVID BELASCO

ment of three weeks at the Lyric Theas actor. Evdney Greenstreet, in the latter tre, beginning Christman Eve, December role, who has a commanding success in 24. This will leave the Hitchcock Thea- "The Rambow Girl" at the Forrest Thetre in New York vacant, but the actor- atre, is sufficiently versatile to bridge

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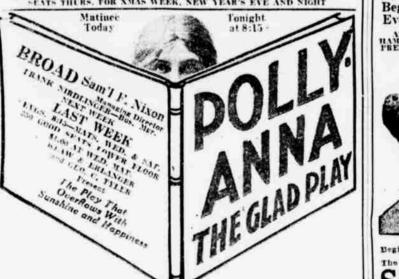


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Shows
of Roles

Raymond Hitchcock is to have a busy Tuletide in Philadelphing. He will appear in "Hitchy-Koo" for a limited engagement of three weeks at the Lyric Theament of three weeks at the Lyric Thea
Will Act Here in "Hitchy-Koo" and Sydney Greenstreet's Facile Art Adhigh distinction as a Shakespearean in the Shakespearean actor, for which hits artistic equipment of the Rainbow Girl" is not Mr. Greenstreet him admirably. He came over in 1304 and for five years played an extensive Shakespearean reportoire with the Ben Greet company. He then was in stock for a year; for two years with Henry W. Savage, in "Escause Me!" the farce, "She's in Again!" which with Margaret Anglin two years: played brune Rocco with Lod-Telligen, in "King" as few seasons ago.



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