

THE MUSIC WORLD.

Opera in the Vernacular Surely Coming in the Near Future.

BOSTONIANS' OPERATIC SCHOOL.

Personal Chat About Scharwenka, Who Will Make a Concert Tour.

NEWS ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

The cause of opera in the vernacular is making decided progress. It is a fact that a foreign tongue is a thing more lame and illogical than Salvini's polyglot "Othello."

And for once it is a genuine case of vox populi, vox dei. The voice of the gods agrees most heartily. One of Wagner's cardinal principles—and, as the writer of his own text, one of his greatest achievements—was to make the libretto in itself a dramatic poem of equal value with the music.

It is a curious result of the past condition of the market for operatic singers that the Metropolitan Opera House in New York, which stands at the shrine of Wagner worship in America, has been violating this cardinal principle of the master's (and, incidentally, doing his works a great injustice) by using a foreign language in all its representations.

Through the medium of Mr. Sam M. Brown's voluntary "substitute bureau," Mr. M. J. Hammerstein, of Boston, has been appointed Secretary of State to the new Spanish Ministry.

Mr. Arthur Weld, the favorably known composer and critic of the Boston Post, has been elected conductor of the Arion Club, of Milwaukee, Wis.

Mr. Argent, of Liverpool, announces a series of "Young People's" orchestral concerts, the programs based upon a progressive plan, and the whole under the leadership of a conductor during the coming season.

Mr. Heinrich Strauss has just completed his new opera, "Ritter Pazman," and has presented it to the director of the Court Opera for acceptance, so that the Musical Courier, does not say, but it is a very successful one.

Of course, Xaver Scharwenka's present visit to America under the auspices of a well-known pianist, while declared to be purely for recreation, is in fact preliminary to a concert tour.

Xaver Scharwenka is a striking-looking man. He is an individuality that attracts one instantly. Of laughiness there is no trace, although abundant dignity and reserve.

THE KAISER'S VISIT.

His Inspection of the English Army and Navy Most Thorough.

ALMOST GETTING A BROKEN HEAD.

During His Exploration into the Mysteries of Yachting.

THE EMPEROR SAID TO BE AN ARTIST.

LONDON, August 9. — [Copyright.] — Kaiser Wilhelm, in taking leave of Queen Victoria last evening, is reported to have declared that the week has been the pleasantest he has spent since he was her guest last year.

He tried his hand at everything, could scarcely sit still, and when the yacht's topmast collapsed in a sudden squall it fell across the Kaiser's head. He was equally restless on shore. He seemed to chafe against the restraint of the Osborne House, and spent a little time within its walls as if he were at sea.

But after commanding a big general in his suite to taste one of the penny pork pies so dear to the stomach of Tommy Atkins, and observing that he did not seem to like it, the Emperor concluded not to try it.

Visitors to the imperial yacht Hohenzollern made the surprising discovery that Kaiser Wilhelm is an artist. His paintings are undeniable because pictures were found bearing his signature. But hypercritical persons have arrived at the conclusion that he cannot have an artistic hand because the green panels in his dining room on the yacht are "destroyed" by a table-cover of electric blue and the harmony of the bedroom walls is covered with light dove-colored clouds.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES GRANTED YESTERDAY.

Table listing names of couples who obtained marriage licenses, including Frank Morris, Sarah Lewis, and others.

MARRIED.

MCHENDRY KILLEN—On Thursday evening, August 7, 1890, by Rev. W. H. McMillin, Mr. JOHN P. MCHENDRY and Miss ELLA J. KILLEN.

DIED.

ANDERSON—On the 24 instant, at her residence in Huntington, Pa., MARGARET WILLIAMSON, widow of John P. Anderson, in the 71st year of her age.

BYRAM—At the residence of his father-in-law, William Vankirk, Forbes avenue, Oakland, on Saturday, August 9, 1890, at 1:30 P. M., CHARLES HERBERT BYRAM, in the 45th year of his age.

AFRAID OF THE PIE.

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HIS NEW DOMAIN.

The Kaiser will arrive at Heligoland tomorrow forenoon, but the formal cessation of the island to Germany has taken place today. Early this morning the Heligolanders have taken a very kindly address to the Emperor to-morrow, and bouquets of island flowers will be presented to him by 16 Heligoland girls in island costume.

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Himmelrich's. 430 TO 436 MARKET STREET, Braddock House, 916 Braddock Ave. CONDENSED MILK. NONE RICHER IN CREAM. BEST ON EARTH. Wm. Haslage & Son, Geo. K. Stevenson & Co., M. R. Thompson. "It disagrees With Me." A common remark. If you get a cold, you can eat anything you like and feel no bad effects. They act specifically on the liver, stomach and bowels, causing a free flow of gastric juice, which is essential to good digestion and regular bowels. DON'T FEAR NOW. Tott's Liver Pills. CURE CHILLS AND FEVER. GANCER.

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Bargains for all in every department. This reduction applies to over half of our stock. It is not a sale of odds and ends, or old, shop-worn goods, such as you usually see advertised as great bargains, but instead are nice, clean footwear. We are compelled to unload to make room for Fall Goods.

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DEAF AND HEAD NOISES. PHOTOGRAPHER, 16 SIXTH STREET.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ODDS AND ENDS. "I NEVER READ ADVERTISEMENTS."

So say many, but if you have never read an advertisement in your life, don't fall to read this one. It means business, every word of it. More than that! We ask you to BRING THIS ADVERTISEMENT WITH YOU, and see whether we have not every article, just exactly as advertised.

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Special Bargains for Gentlemen. 184 Ganss Undershirts, were 35c, now 15c each. 217 Ganss French Balbriggan Shirts, were 75c, now 40c each.

Special Bargains for Children. 831 Derby Ribbed Vests, were 15c, now 5c, or 3 for 25c. 182 Pairs Black Ribbed Hose, Seaman's, were 50c, now 25c a pair.

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