

MOZART CLUB NIGHT.

An Auspicious Opening of Pittsburgh's Musical Season.

THE CAUSE OF ART ADVANCED.

Massenet's Oratorio Eve Given Before a Critical Audience.

EXCELLENT WORK BY THE ORCHESTRA

The Mozart Club gave its first concert of the season last night, at Old City Hall, in the presence of a large and cultured audience.

Mendelssohn's "Melusine" overture opened the concert. Its suave and graceful measures gave opportunity to hear what was in most respects the best local orchestra thus far got together by the Mozart Club.

The orchestra, as now made up (counting in the absentees mentioned) is well worth working with. There were very many points of excellence in its playing; quite enough to justify the expense and labor of several more rehearsals, in the confident expectation of attaining that complete certainty and refinement which come only through much practice, and which so incalculably increase the total effect of the performance.

Eve Given for the First Time.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to the first production of Massenet's "Eve." The author, Louis Gallet, calls this work "a mystery," showing his intent to exploit the field once occupied by the medieval "miracle plays" or "mystery series."

"Eve" was a fruit of Massenet's early maturity. It was produced in 1875, two years after his first oratorio, "Marie Magdeleine" (which some critics deem still his best work), and two years before his first great operatic success, "Le Roi de Lahore," which helped to make him in 1878, at 36 years of age, the youngest person ever elected to the Academie Francaise.

It is in the moment of poetic fancy and of amatory emotion which so abounds in this work that Massenet's music is at its best. The opening number for chorus and orchestra is most gracious and happily conceived, and the first exchange of sentiment by Adam and Eve preserved the same strain of peaceful innocence.

The finest number is the great passionate duet with Adam, which opens, and particularly the section dominated by a lovely theme that reminds one of the love-duet in "Lohengrin." This whole episode is most eloquently set forth.

One cannot wonder at the frequency with which "Eve" has been given in the composer's own land, as also in this country, where it was first produced by Mr. Clement Tettonix, in 1881 at Chicago, with Miss Jean Wallace (now Mrs. L. C. Webster) in the title part.

In most respects the singing of the Mozart Club last evening was on the high plane to which it has accustomed us. The precision of attack and cut-off, the noble volume of tone from each part, the remarkably pure intonation and the vigor and spirit throughout—all call for high commendation.

Mr. Edward H. Dermitt did excellent work in the high baritone part of Adam. Certain faults of method aside, his singing was artistic and full of appropriate feeling. Mr. Harry B. Broad also gave a fine voice showing the effect of a spell of illness, sang with the utmost intelligence the lines of the Narrator. Miss May Beesley did not shine as Eve. The part is not in any way suited to her, it calls for a dramatic soprano, of sympathetic voice, with broad declamatory style in certain passages and suave cantabile in others.

WONDERFUL AUSTRIAN BOYS.

A Remarkable Revelation of Juvenile Talent at the Auditorium—They Play a Very Varied Programme With Musicianship and Unusual Enthusiasm.

The Austrian Juvenile Band is not merely a novelty and a phenomenon as an organization composed of boys ranging from 12 to 18 years of age, but a wonderful corps of musicians, the like of which, all things being considered, we have not in this country. They played last night before a small audience in the new Auditorium on Penn avenue, and their performance of the first number showed what precision, dash and musicianly feeling might be expected of them.

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Austria, in which we understand, Mr. Steiner prepared them for the military bands. The training must be of unexampled thoroughness, for there was not a sign of hesitancy or a ragged edge in all their work, and the steiner is a very undemonstrative conductor, is enough to bring every instrument into right proportion, to change time, or to carry a crescendo movement without a flaw, step by step to a climax. Such delicate shading and quick yet easy transition through all the moods of a potpourri, such magnetic treatment of fine melody, such swing and bold accentuation in the marches, as these lads from over the sea command without apparent effort, are things that a Gilmore or a Strauss in their several fashions might be proud to produce with their veterans.

The Little Austrians To-Day. The matinee of the Austrian Juvenile Band to-day will be a treat for the school children, the price of admission for them being fixed at 10 cents.

MAX O'BELL IN SEWICKLEY. The Talented Author Will Lecture There on Thanksgiving Night.

The first lecture in the course which has been arranged by an enterprising committee for their fellow citizens in Sewickley will take place on Thanksgiving night, at the Presbyterian Church, and it promises to be a delightful entertainment as well as a brilliant social event.

The Snowden Officers Vindicated. The Colored Voters' League, of Allegheny County met last night in Florence Hall, Arthur street.

The Wreck Repaired. The wires wrecked by the storm of Monday were generally repaired yesterday and the telephone companies were enabled to handle all business without trouble.

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MARRIED. O'LOUGHLIN-KILLEEN—On November 17, 1891, at St. John's R. C. Church, Thirty-second street, by the Rev. F. McKeever, P. MICHAEL O'LOUGHLIN, Esq., to Miss ANNIE KILLEEN, both of Pittsburgh.

DIED. AIKEN—On Tuesday, November 24, 1891, at 4:55 P. M., JAMES KIRK AIKEN, son of Callie J. Aiken and the late David Aiken, Jr., aged 15 years.

CLINE—At his residence, 38 Taylor avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday, November 24, 1891, at 5:30 P. M., ALGER CLINE, son of James Cline and the late Mrs. Mary Cline, aged 3 years, 3 months and 18 days.

CONLEY—On Monday, November 24, 1891, at 9:30 P. M., JULIA, wife of John Conley, in her 40th year.

DUNCAN—On Tuesday, November 24, 1891, at 7 A. M., Mrs. MARIA K. DUNCAN, in her 72nd year.

DURAND—After a brief illness, on Tuesday afternoon, November 24, 1891, at Avalon, Pa., JOHN DURAND, Rochester, N. Y., aged 78 years.

DYERET—On Monday, November 23, 1891, at 11:30 P. M., STELLA L., daughter of Charles H. and the late Jennie K. Dyeret, aged 7 years 1 month and 10 days.

HUGHES—On Monday, November 23, 1891, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Kalk, at 11:45 A. M., ELIZABETH HUGHES, widow of the late Charles H. Hughes, aged 72 years.

HUNKELE—On Sunday morning, November 22, 1891, CHARLES HUNKELE, of Elizabeth.

KREH—On Tuesday morning, November 24, 1891, at 10 o'clock, ESTER K., daughter of Joseph and Kate Kreh, aged 1 year and 11 days.

LARRY—Suddenly, at 4 A. M., November 24, DAVID CURT LARRY, aged 25 years 9 months and 21 days, at 283 Arch street, Allegheny.

NEUMONT—On Tuesday morning, November 24, 1891, at 11 o'clock, ELIZABETH, wife of John J. Neumont, in the 35th year of her age.

RENFRE—On Tuesday, November 24, 1891, at Evergreen, Ross township, JOHN RENFRE, in his 70th year.

SCHWOBHALTER—On Tuesday, November 24, 1891, at 11:45 A. M., WILLIAM FRIDRICH SCHWOBHALTER, eldest son of Louis B. and Mary C. Schwobhalter, and grandson of Jacob Keller, aged 5 years.

STANDING—At the residence of his parents, on Thirteenth street, Sunday, Tuesday, November 24, 1891, at 8 A. M., JOSEPH TURNER, son of William A. and Millie L. Standing, aged 4 years 10 months 14 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. THE BEST YET. B. & B. 5,000 YARDS 22 AND 24-INCH SILK PLUSHES. That are going to be sold, and sold SOON. For Fancy Work, Upholstery, Children's Wraps, Ladies' Jackets, all colors, from light fancy shades to Seal Brown Navys, Myrtles, etc.

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