NEED OF LOCAL ORGANIZATION.

How the Chase of Pollars Leads to Extravagant Advertisements.

POINTS OF GENERAL INTEREST

The decision of the Exposition Society to continue in the future to employ Eastern military bands, instead of returning to local talent, could have been forecast by anyone familiar with the conditions of band and orchestral music in this community.

It is not a question so much of men as of market. It would not be difficult to organize a complete military band here; the few outsiders that might be wanted could easily be had. But such a band, when organized, would need much more than a few weeks' engagement at the Exposition each year, to pay for the work of properly preparing such a series of programmes as that one engagement would require. Outside the Exposition there is here but a small market for the services of the whole force in concert programmes.

First-class ensemble music, whether through the medium of a brass band or of a complete orchestra, cannot support itself without a large and constant public patronnge. The Boston Symphony Orchestra, for instance, did not become self-supporting even in the musical Hub of the universe, until Mr. Higginson had generously paid a half-dozen yearly deficits aggregating, perhaps, \$100,000. Of course that is unparalleled liberality; the cost might have been cut much more closely according to the cloth and still have fit right well. But it points the moral that outside financial aid must be liberally extended to all such enterprises, if they are to exist at all.

conflicting attraction. Mr. Breil reports that much interest has been manifested and that the prospects are good for forming an effi-cient small chorus.

To be sure, the players can do much to bring things to the point where men of wealth will think it worth while to provide the funds. If they would cease their squabbling over mere points of union partisanship, would inaugurate a liberal policy and uselves encourage all manner of orchestral efforts, whether the man at the next stand belongs to the union or not, they might beget the confidence of that exceed-ingly shy bird, the capitalist.

In many respects the time is ripe for a permanent high class orchestra in Pittsburg. The need for it is surely ripe enough and the general public, including those bolding the nurse strings, are more than ever sensible of that need. If all the actively musical people would join harmon-iously in agitating the topic we could, in all probability, have a good orchestra organized to open the next season.

A Case of Misguided Zeal.

It is positively funny to read the circulars sent out by managers whose zeal o'erleaps their discretion, heralding the advent of this or that musical attraction. As a genemi thing the less meritorious the performers, the more sweeping and superlative the managerial vocabulary. But the same style of advance gush too often finds its way into the circulars of high-class artists.

For example: Miss Marie Decea is giving song recitals here and there under the management of one Francis Leon Chrisman, who is doubtless responsible for the advertising methods adopted. His circular bestows on Miss Decca the questionable title of "The American Jenny Lind," and begins with the very doubtful ssertion: "Marie Decen is the greatest tyric soprano in the United States, if not in the world." After many more similar superlatives, the programme of the song recital, which, it is said, "presents in turn the most charming and characteristic songs the most charming and characte of all nations," is thus printed: TART FIRST.

to the song that Jenny Lind made fanous.

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The Decas sings this plees the graceral vertiant her voice is wonderfully slike to that of
redish Nightingale. PART SECOND.

tian Bolera, ("Sicilian Vespers")....Verdi da is the giver de resistance of the song recital, a Verdi heard Mile. Decea sing in Paris he consilically exclaimed: "It is a voice beyond

pare. "In Manola" Bourgeois
Above song this ("The Cigarette Girl")
In delegates to the Fan-American Congress
Tarnegre banquet in Washington, and comcautitaties the foreigners by the piquancy
sh with which she rendered it. 2

Plenty of Food for Humor. It is doubtful which is more amusing, the

touchingly paive comments bracketed in this programme, or the charming indiscrimmateness with which a German composer is classed as characteristically French, a Swiss piece dubbed German and a Londoner's song made to represent American music. Small wender that a local cotemporary, trying to reprint this programme, got "Comin" Thro' the Rye" down as a French piece, just as though it were "Comin" Thro'

such stuff is calculated rather to injure than to help the success of any true artist. Miss Decca may well exclaim, save us from

It is to be hoped that the circular referred to is not being sent broadcast through this community to advertise the recital to be given by Miss Deven February 11 at Carnegie Hall, nucler the anspices of the prominent young society women who are trying by a series of entertainments to raise a fund for series of entertainments to raise a fund for scholarships at the Pennsylvania College for Women. To say nothing of the deserving object, Miss Derea herself is far above this kind of circus trampeting. Her previous appearances here have made us all aware of the exceptional yount resources, the artistic atvice and the engaging personality that have placed her well up among the country's best septence. The further fact that Miss Decease them to the proper training forman speaks fluently French, Italian, German and Spanish, as well as English, is an important qualification for a programme of popularly pleasing songs in these tongues. Her recital will no doubt be successful and enterining, in spite of her manager's wellmeant absurdities.

Crotchets and Dunvers.

leader, will give a concert and promenade at tentral Turner Hall next Wednesday even-ing Messrs, John Forester, baritone, and Thomas J. Welsh, cornet, will assist in solo

MRS. CELESTIA McDonaln, Miss Wakefield, time, but now I feel as strong as ever." Miss Newcombe, Mr. Carter, Mr. Foerster, Mr. Princhard and others took part in a

concert at Masonic Hall last Friday evening, under the anspices of one of the lodges of high degree.

CITY ORGANIST H. P. ECKER Was assisted in eighty-sixth free organ recifal at Carnegie Hall, Aliegheny, by Miss Edna Vogler, violinist, Miss Florence Ashbangh, contralto, and Mr. F. A. Ammon, baritone. A large audience was present.

THE United States Marine Band has obtained a six weeks' leave of absence for another concert tour in March and April, and will probably be heard in Pittsburg, Miss Marie Decca, of Washington, has again been engaged as the vocalist. MR. JAS. G. HUNEKER, of tife Musical

wrier, was married a week or so since b Miss Clio Hinton, the well-known sculptor. Hearty congratulations to the genial "Ra-content," who has lately been in his finest fettle, as how could be be otherwise?

An interesting programme was given at the Pennsylvania College for Women on Friday evening by Mr. Joseph H. Gittings and his planoforte pupils, assisted by Miss Ellizabeth Waters, soprano, Mr. Valdemar Papenbrock, violinist, and the choral class. The series of classical pianotorte and song

recitals at the Duquesne Conservatory of Music, was an pictously opened on Thursday evening by Mr. Carl Retter, Miss Luella Totten, Miss Fanny King and Mr. Louis Critchlow. The second evening will be February 25. THE production of the cantata

shazzar," in costume, which Mr. W. S. Weeden has been preparing for the ultimate benefit of the Allegheny Hospital, will be given at the Alvin Theater in April. The members of the chorus are rehearsing each Thursday evening.

ME ETHELBERT NEVIN'S name appears on two important Western programmes noted last week—that of the fourth Theodore Thomas Concert at Louisville, where Mrs. Julie E. Wyman was the singen, and that of the Ladles Musical Society, Omaha's fore-most organization of the kind.

Ma. T. M. Ausren, whose singing at the re cent P. S. M. T. A. moeting will be rememered, has resigned his position as directo of the Westminster Conservatory of Music, at New Willington, Pa., to accept the leadership of the choir of the Second M. E. Church, of Brooklyn, N. Y., at a salary of SL800 a year.

The second meeting for the organization of the East End Musical Club, which was to have been held last week, was postponed till Thursday of this week, on account of a

RICHARD WAGNER IS making rapid strides itside of Germany, says the Musical Courier. "Lohengrin" was so pronounced a success at l'aris that Bertrand, the new director of the rand Opera, has concluded to go to Vienna i February on the occasion of the first pro-uction there of Masseuer's "Werther," and o engage Van Byck for a future French reduction of "Die Meistersinger" at the aris Grand Opera.

Mr. JOHN RICHARDS is to be the beneficiary of a testimonial concert tendered by the Superior Choral Union, occurring hext Thursday evening at Superior Hall, Preble avenue, Allegheny. In the 21 numbers of the nue, Allegheny. In the 21 numbers of the programme (it is just long enough to vote on age) Mr. Richards and the chorus will be assisted by Mrs. G. F. Midgely, Mrs. Dr. Miller, Miss Greaturke, Miss Annie Rees, Miss Annie James, Miss Vierheller, Miss Dona Stark, Messrs. W. J. Davis, J. F. Midgely, D. S. Harris, Henry Rees, D. J. Davis, Daniel Evans, Nat. Williams, J. Jones and Mark Porritt. Besides this list of performers the audience, too, is expected to join in the last song and chorus, bearing the familiar title, "Hen Wald fy Nindan."

Mr. Charles Davis Carryer has been chosen.

Mr. Charles Davis Carter has been chosen ganist and choir master of Oakland M. E. Church, where he expects to build up a thorus choir of exceptional efficiency by giving its members an equivalent in the way of personal tuition in singing. Mr. Carter ought personal tuition in singing. Mr. Carter ought to be encouraged in thus opening up, as a contempory puts it, a "source of supply for church singers." For his own sake, however, it is to be hoped that he has some means of keeping his singers, after he has trained them to some degree of prediciency and some other church offers them paid engagements. This stumbling block has upset the various choirs heretofore organized upon the plan now courageously taken up by Mr. Carter. The churches ought to offer a joint prize for an infallible mode of forming and, more difficult still, of keeping a complete chorus choir.

MR. ENANUEL SCHMAUK, of Kittanning, whose musical enterprise has already been noted from time to time in these columns, is evidently the lending spirit of the chubert Quartet, which gave a concert at that place last Friday evening. The other members of the quartet were Mr. Adolph De Quinze, first violin; Mr. Robert Friske, she "'it Was a Dream' Cowen
he "Coming Thro' the Rye" Balfe
ta renders these songs as they are sung
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nigher order than is wont to be offered in nonce. The programme was of a much higher order than is wont to be offered in higher order than is wont to be offered in smaller communities and contains brief notes of the composers and works represented that could not fail to be useful to the audience. It is worth noting, however, that the "good old church tune," known as "Anstria," was not taken from Haydn's quartet, but trice verse. Haydn subsequently used in the quartet that tune which he had originally written expressly as the Austrian national hymn. The point is worth noting, because that is the only tune written by a composer of the first rank which any people has taken for its very own, as its acknowledged national hymn—a fact which aptly illustrates the spontaneous, unaffected nature of "Papa" Haydn's muse.

Special To Let Lists To-morrow in the Dispatch. Home seekers

do not fail to consult them. Marriage Licenses Issued Yesterday,

	Name, Residence,
	Thomas McCarn. Pittsburg Millie Rollman Allegheny
	Edward Pierce Pittsburg Mary Sert Pittsburg
	Samuel Pryce Pittsburg Maggie Lightner Pittsburg
	Fredrich Schoppe Pittsburg Marie Dippei Pittsburg
	John Foltyn Sharpsburg Mary Anna Doonzal Snarpsburg
	Benjamin F. Fonike. Webster Sarab J. Campbell. Webster
	Andrew Kane Pittsburg Clara B. Howard Clara B. Howard Pittsburg
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	William Swick Pittsburg Minnle Wagner Pittsburg
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MARRIED.

MAURICE-LANE-At San Francisco, November 18, 1890, R. W. MAURICE, of New York, and Marie Lane, of Pittsburg. SMITH-SIPES-On December 3, 1891, at East Palestine, O., Miss ORIE SIPES and WAL ros E. Smirn, of Allegheny, Pa. SPUHLER-HENDERSON-On the even ing of December 2, 1891, by Rev. William

Thompson, Mr. HARRY SPURIER and Miss ADA HENDERSON, both of this city. DIED.

ABRAMS—On January 29, at 34, M., Maule Estella, only daughter of William and Katle Abrams (nee Dillon). Funeral from parents' residence, SUNDAY, January 31, at 2 r. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. CAVETT—On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 2:20 a. m., Bessie Vaugux, daughter of Will-iam B, and Mollie E. Cavett, aged 4 years. Funeral on Sunday, January 31, 1892, at 1 o'clock r. M., from Wabash street, West End.

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Mr. Jacob Kompp. a well-known mar

JULES MASSENET is going to write a new opera entitled "Thats," the librette of which is from the pen of Louis Gatlet.

Mr. Jacob Knapp, a well-known market man and dealer in ments, lard, hides, etc., in Tipton, lowa, says: "I have had the grip Sow they say that Rubinstein's answer to Abbey's \$125,000 offer for an American tour is not to be forthcoming until July I. This rumored four dies hard.

The Cathedral Band, Mr. P. Dannhardt leader, will give a concert and promenade at Central Turner Hall next Wednesday evening. Messrs, John Forester, bartione, and this lagt winters I was so badly off I could not eat and could not get any reflect. Having beard of Hood's Sarsaparilla I took it and it helped me so much I could soon attend to my business. I have taken 8 bottles now and feel strong and well, and have a splendid appetite. Before taking

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Friends of the family are respectfully in CLEIS—At the residence of his son-in-law, i. C. Frank, No. 1612 Roland street, near outh Seventeenth, Jacon CLEIS, in the 80th

year of his age. Funeral services on Monday, February 1, at 9 o'clock A. M. Interment at Beaver, Pa., at I P. M. Friends are invited to attend. 3 COOK—On January 29, at 5:30 A. M., JANES, second son of John and Lida Cook, aged 18 years, 10 months and 15 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, Middle street, Sharpsburg, This (Sunday) APTER-

soonat 4 o'clock, CORBETT-On Thursday evening, January 28, 1892, at 9:30, William Cohnerr, in his 75th year. Funeral from his late residence, Allegheny

Cemetery entrance Penn avenue, on Mox-DAY AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock. 3 CORY—At her home in Sharpsburg, on Friday, January 29, 1892, at 3:50 a. M., Lucy A., wife of E. S. Cory. Funeral from her late residence, No. 1732

Middle street, on SUNDAY, January 31, 1892, at 2 r. m. Interment private. 2 [Grand Rapids, Mich., papers please copy.] DOUDS—At Canonsburg, Pa., January 30, at 8:50 A. M., Mrs. MARGARET S. DOUDS, aged 84 years and 14 days.

Funeral services will be held at her late sidence, Sunday, January 31, 1892, at 5 P. M. Interment private Monday, February 1. FRIEND-On Saturday, January 30, 1892, at 25 A. M., JACOB FRIEND, in the 74th year of who have use for odd pieces.

Funeral on Monday, February 1, 1892 at 8:30 A. M., from 174 Twentieth street, Southside. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GOOSIN-On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 5 P. M., Rose Goosin, aged 57 years and 29 GOLDER-On Friday morning r 7 o'clock, Mariilda Augusta, youngest child of Will-iam J. and Ella Golder, aged 8 months. Funeral from parents' residence, Clifton avenue, Allegheny, on SUNDAY, January 31

GOLDING—At her residence, No. 18 Carson street, Southside, at 5:20 r. M., January 30, Mrs. Many J. Golding (nee Gleason), in the 47th year of her age. High mass at St. Malachi's Church, on

MONDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock. Interment private. HASER-At her residence. 99 Tustin street, on Thursday, January 28, 1892, at 11 a. M., Mary, wife of Nicholas Haser, aged

Funeral from residence of John Haser, No. 35 Ninth street, Sharpsburg, on Sunday, January 31, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. HOER—On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 9 p. m., Louis Hoen, in his 46th year. HOLLIDAY—On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 6:30 p. m., Mary Jane Holliday, in the 84th

year of her age.
Funeral services at the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. H. E. Bower, 274 Robinson street, on Sunday at 2 r. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to

LESLIE-On Saturday, January 30, at 1 o'clock r. m., Francis Rufus, only child of Clara E. and the late Rufus J. Leslie, aged 3 Funeral services at residence of C. H. Renter, Maple avenue, Nunnery Hill, at 10 o'clock A. M., MONDAY, February I. Inter-

ment private at a later hour. LOWRY—On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 11 P. M., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Jake Magle, 93 Fourteenth street, Southside, Mrs. Mania Lowry. Funeral THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 5

o'clock. LYNCH-Thursday, January 28, May, adopted daughter of the late William Lynch, in her 24th year. Funeral from her late residence, 5262 But

ler street, Sunday at 2 r. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 3 MAURICE—At Valparaiso, South America, May 22, 1891, R. W. MAURICE, of New York, aged 30 years and 4 months. MERRIMAN-Suddenly, at Ingram, on Friday, January 29, 1892, Frank R., son of James G. and Elizabeth A. Merriman, aged 29 years.

Services at his late residence, Ingram station, P. C. and St. L. R. R., Tats (Sunday)

MONAHAN—On Friday, January 20, 1892, at 4:40 P. M., Mrs. Winifred Monahan, widow of Patrick Monahan, deceased, at the residence of her son-in-law, J. E. McAdams, 2261/2 Bedford ayenue.

MURRAY-Killed at Hawkins station, P. R. R., on Friday, January 29, 1892, at 1:30 r.N., BRIDGET MURRAY, age 24 years.
Funeral THIS (Sunday), AFTERNOON at 2 Quinze, first violin; Mr. Robert Friske, o'ctock, from residence of her brothers, ond violin, and Mr. E. D. Weaver, viola, John T. and Thomas Murray, Braddock. In-

terment in Monongahela Cemetery, St. Thomas division. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. McCARTER-On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 3:45 a. M., John McCanter.

McGILLICK—On Saturday, January 30, 1892, at 9 a. M., John McGillick, son of James and Mary McGillick, in the 25th year of his age. Funeral on Monday, February 1, 1892, at 9

A. M., from parents' residence, 20 Fourteenth street, Pittsburg. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

NORTHALL—On Thursday, January 28, 1892, at 12:39 A. M., JAMES, 800 of Francis and Kezian Northall, aged 24 years 4 months 3

REED-On Friday night, January 29, Edward R. Reed, son of Theodore and Annie Reed, aged 6 years and 6 months. Funeral from his father's residence, 170 Washington avenue, Beltzhoover, Monday, February 1, at 2 o'clock.

SCHROEDER-On Friday, January 29, 1892, til P. M., ADAM SCHROEDER, aged 50 years Funeral on Monday at 2 r. M., from his late residence, No. 70 Fifteenth street, Southside, Pittsburg, Pa. Friends and members of Southside Turn Verein, Ottawa Tribe No. 64 I. O. R., and Gustav Adoiph Lodge No. 33, A

SCOTT-On Friday, January 29, 1892, at 3:15 A. N., IDA MARGAURETTE, beloved daughter of Frank and Rose Scott, aged 1 year 10 months.

Our little Ida has gone to dwell with Funeral services SUNDAY at 2 P. M. at the

residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Goettman (grandparents), 182 Liberty street, Allegheny, Pa. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment

STERLING-At Colton, Cal., on January 15, 1892, J. Franklin Sterling, son of the late Henry Sterling, of Philadelphia, Pa., form-erly of Pittsburg. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SCHIRMER—At the parents' residence, 13, O'Hara street, Third ward, Allegheny, on Saturday, January 30, 1892, at 11 P. M., Thilis, daughter of John and Johanna Schirmer, aged 19 years and 2 months. Notice of funeral hereafter, WAGNER-On Thursday, January 28, 1892, at 8 a. M., ENOCH WAGNER, in his 80th year.

WILLETTS-On Thursday, January 28, 1892, at 5:30 r. M., at his residence, Middle Lancaster, Pa., Henry C. Willetts, in his ANTHONY MEYER.

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