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AMUSEMENTS

(Edited by T. P. HASH, JR.)

"Naughty Marietta"

"Naughty Marietta" was fascinating—both "Naughty Marietta" which was the comic opera, and Marietta D'Altana, who was Mlle. Florence Webber. The performance had the characteristic finish and completeness of a Hammerstein production, and all the charm of a Victor Herbert score. Gorgeous costumes; an all-singing, all-pretty chorus; and by no means least, a thoroughly competent orchestra, are some of the properties which helped this opera to one of the distinct successes of the season.

It would be hard, indeed, to find a more lively, thoroughly enjoyable little person than she who had the leading role of Marietta. Mlle. Florence Webber is quite capable of making herself thoroughly at ease before any audience in any part that requires light hearted song and laughter. Her voice is admirable, both in quality and volume. She sang frequently and charmed with each number.

Another excellent voice was that of Cora Drendill, the quadroon slave. The chief fun-makers were Sid Braham and Blanche Latell, and believe the laughs of the audience, they were some fun-makers. The sustained seriousness with which they carried out their ridiculous parts was as commendable as it was difficult.

The scene of the action is laid in New Orleans in the days of the French colonization. Advantage is taken of this situation to introduce an unusual amount of color in the piece. With this, and the charming Mlle. Webber, and perfection of detail, "Naughty Marietta" takes rank with the most enjoyed of the fall-season offerings.

"The Isle of Smiles"

A big sixty foot baggage car is required for the transportation of the immense amount of beautiful scenery and effects that go to make the new musical comedy, "The Isle of Smiles," the one big success that has proved to be, and it has been said to be the best musical comedy that the present season has yet produced.

Forty people are included in its roster which contains the names of some of the most prominent musical comedy people that have appeared in this class of attractions.

The musical numbers are twenty-two in number and are of the bright jingly, whistly kind, all of which are elaborately costumed with several new and novel effects.

In a word, nothing has been left undone by the management to make "The Isle of Smiles" entertaining and they have succeeded beyond their fondest hopes. "The Isle of Smiles" will be seen here at the Academy of Music soon.

"The Dawn of a Tomorrow"

Christian Science, New Thought and all the varied theories that have to do with psychology are to hold the attention of young and old these days and "The Dawn of a Tomorrow" by Frances Hodgson Burnett, is, therefore, bound to attract large audiences when presented in this city in the near future. Here is a theory, a story and a living example of what can be accomplished through the medium of even the most lowly and ignorant. Glad, the blind, deaf and dumb, is so strong in her belief, so outspoken and conscientious that many in well educated, refined society can take home the truths she utters, being the better for having them so well presented. Even the great financier of the play, weary of the world and satiated with its gloom and the abnormal conditions existing in the money-getting atmosphere of the large cities, acknowledges her right to citation to her faith, inasmuch as she proves that by asking earnestly for help when the need comes, with firm conviction that it will be given, she gets her answer in such a manner the poorest mortal can understand.

Isabelle Lowe plays the leading part and is supported by an adequate company. Local patrons will have an opportunity of seeing this interesting production at the Academy of Music in the near future.

A wholesome, entertaining and instructive play is what theatre-goers are looking for these days and they could not do better than witness Isabelle Lowe in "A Dawn of a Tomorrow," which comes to this city in the near future with a new production scenically and a special company, through arrangement with Liebler & Co. The long run enjoyed by this piece in New York adds much to its value on tour and Miss Lowe is quite irresistible in the part of Glad, the London walf.



MRS. WALDORF ASTOR.

Mrs. Waldorf Astor, who is a sister of Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, who cabled \$1,000 to add to the building fund of the Young Woman's Christian Association in Richmond, Va. Mrs. Astor spent her childhood in the home of her father near Lynchburg, Va.

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