

STAGE NEWS AND NOTES.

Matinees Not So Badly Attended. Considering Election.

Cards Out for Agnes Huntington's Wedding.

The matinees yesterday were not as bad as they might have been, and not good enough to fill the managerial heart with joy, and the managerial coffers with the merry, merry chink of gold.

Cards are out for Miss Agnes Huntington's wedding on the 19th inst. She will be married at St. Thomas's Church, and the wedding breakfast will be served in the Salamander Suite.

Jane Harding, it is said, has just cancelled a three years' engagement in St. Petersburg, and had a ring of diamonds.

Miss Rose Coghlan will give a special matinee of "Diplomacy" at the Star Theatre next Wednesday.

Mr. Guerra, the male dancer of "The Black Cross," is laid up. He stepped upon an electric pocket on the stage of the Academy.

Rumor has it that All Hampton wedded a couple of days ago to Miss Nettie Lowry. Mr. Hampton is a clever young comedian who has just been here with his troupe.

Henry E. Dixey has already begun rehearsing "Mr. Dobbs of Chicago," and rehearsals will be begun for "The Trial After Tonight."

Comedian Crane has had the play "On Probation" rewritten, and he will play it during his coming tour of the city.

Mrs. Walsh, the mother-in-law of the Madison Square Theatre, at least, of its lessee, Charles H. Hoyt, is expected to appear yesterday wearing a huge chrysanthemum and an election day sun.

The new Manhattan Opera-house will be formally inspected by the Building Department today.

Lord Tennyson's son Hallam, wrote a letter to the trustees of Shakespeare's birthplace, thanking them for the laurel wreath from Shakespeare's grave.

GOSSIP OF RING AND FIELD.

Talk of Reinstating A. A. U. Athletes Revived.

Princeton Boys Get a Line on Yale's Play.

That old story of reinstatement of athletes in the ranks of the A. A. U. who have plastered themselves with professionalism, seems to be revived again, now that the Board of Managers is on the eve of holding its annual meeting.

New York was honored with the presence of two of the king-pin football teams yesterday, for Yale in her game with the New York Athletic Club under the severest kind of scrutiny.

Nothing so rare as a day in June is an old saw, but yesterday could give a June day a new meaning.

The Seawanna-Corinthian Yacht Club met last night and intended to satisfactory close the business of the new clubhouse at Oyster Bay.

The Acorn entertainers last night were in company with the Bromides laid out, and the combatants waged in blood.

This Mike Hughes, by the way, is matched to fight Billy Rust ten rounds at 135 pounds, for the Bushwick Club late in the current month.

Mr. Albers says Bob Lee (Central A. C.) would like to meet Caspar Lyon (Granite A. C.) in a six-round go the club offering largest purse.

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Curtis looked around in mild surprise to see what had happened, says the Buffalo Express, then turning to the alarmed audience again said, with a twinkle in his eye: "Ah, that must have been the thread of my discourse."

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TRUCK FARMS ONCE HISTORIC.

Estates That Were Little Principalities in Themselves.

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ENGLISH DINNER SETS (12 pieces), printed decorations, elegant shape; very desirable; worth 10.00. 8.50
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AMERICAN DINNER SETS (102 pieces), flower decoration and gold edges; best porcelain; worth 18.00. 11.98
AMERICAN DINNER SETS (130 pieces), printed decoration and gold edges; iron, stone, china; worth 25.00. 17.85
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PARLOR LAMP, vase and shade decorated to match, always sold for 2.25. 1.75

PAILOR LAMP, vase and shade decorated to match, large size, worth 3.25. 2.10

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POSTAL CLERKS PASS A SHOE. TRAMPS VERSION OF IT.

From Boston It Made the Tour of One Hundred and Fifty Offices. An old, badly worn shoe passed through Madison, Wis., in the United States mail the other day, says an exchange.

He Traced the Origin of a Fire Back to the District Attorney. A barn had been burned in the suburbs and a tramp had been arrested for setting fire to it.

There are about two hundred tags tied to the holes for the lacings, and something like one hundred and fifty of them have the stamps of different post-offices.

There is a request that it be returned there. The shoe was started from Boston by one of the postal clerks in the East and some in the South.

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Everything being ready he called out: "Hold her, my son, and I will run her up for you, and then she is yours."

Toney started in quarter-race time, encouraged by frantic yells from the boys; but alas, just as Arthur's young son was merrily applauding from the piazza, the kite commenced to duck in the most cowardly way, and the faster Toney ran the more it ducked.

"Sumpen's the matter," said Arthur. "Tain't got the right sort of tail," said another; "tie a rock to her," and many similar pieces of advice came from all the boys at once.

Toney, who was puzzled, his mind as to what to do, saw his kite fall with a crash, looking up his only extra pair of pants, looked up and remarked: "Well, old man, what do you know about this anyway?"

LETU. TUCKER'S KITE.

It Caused the Reconciliation of Two Old Veterans.

It was usually noon at a Western fort with a mixed garrison, and the morning drill and reading of the mail having been safely gone through with, everybody was waiting for something to break the everlasting monotony.

Lieut. Toney Rucker came out of the rookery known as the cadets' quarters, and started jauntily down the officers' line, bearing in his hand a kite constructed on the most approved plan as remembered by him, and in building which he had awakened many fond memories of "kite time," which as a boy he had looked forward to with happy anticipation.

He was immediately surrounded by the abundant supply of small boys from the officers' quarters, all of whom were anxious for the kite.

He picked out young Arthur, because the boy was so fond of sport and never cried when thrown from his pony, but

Major, let me present you with this as a memento of the most pleasant occasion.

While the Major was still overcome by this graceful move, the General wished them all a pleasant time and escaped to his quarters.

The news spread around that the Major was having a birthday, and even Toney Rucker put away his wrath when the orderly came to ask his presence at the club-room. "Tubs" was kept busy during the afternoon attending to the spiritual needs of the ever-increasing party, for with each new arrival the Major would say:

"What a fine gentleman the General is! It was the nicest thing you ever saw, sir! Why, he actually took this button from his own breast and presented it to me, by gosh, sir, and you will think his health, gentlemen?"

That evening, as the Major and Toney were in arm, he wished they were in their quarters, they passed young David on the walk with the Captain's wife's sister, making hay while the field was clear.

The garrison wore a peculiar smile for several days over the episode in their lives, and even the old repeaters in the guard-house actually stopped hauling cordwood long enough to let the cart-nurse have a horse laugh. "H. H. Carter on the Argonaut."

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