

GROSSMITH AT THE PRINCESS.

"The Night of the Party" Opens New Playhouse Auspiciously, Says Kate Carew.

ABOUT SERVANTS' HALL.

Miss Barrymore and Miss Crossman Renew Old Triumphs in New Dramatic Offerings—News of Theatres.

All in bright red and dull silver, with the newness testified by a whiff of paint and a slight embarrassment of tears...

There were wonderful florid things in the lobby—I forgot to notice whether they were brocade columns, or gates ajar...

"The Night of the Party," played by Mr. Weedon Grossmith and his London company, went with a great deal of dash and at its close Mr. Grossmith, pressed for a speech, made quite a long one...

Mr. Grossmith is a small and amusing gentleman who has devoted the best years of his life to studying the manners, speech, habits and points of view of the English lower classes.

Have Fun with Their Help. Mr. Grossmith wrote "The Night of the Party" himself, and it is all about "help."

The English have obsequious and well-trained servants and these are those caricatured on the stage. In a well-conducted English household a servant is merely an animated piece of furniture...

There are Other Classes. That sort of servant has been a familiar figure in literature and drama for some centuries, and Mr. Grossmith has made him very lifelike in "The Night of the Party," which is a brisk little farce full of situations as ludicrous as they are far-fetched.

Not all the characters are servants. A few of them are quite "chummy," and they are even funnier than the servants. But the fun in their case is unintentional.

There have been a lot of actors on the New York Theatre stage without half the sense of Charlie, the sea lion, who performed there last night at the opening performance of Carl Hagenback's wild animals.

Mr. Grossmith in these scenes does not drop a single one of his excellent servant mannerisms, and yet the jealous baronet does not think of turning to his lovely wife and remarking that his rival is indeed a remarkable "gent."

But you must overlook these things if you wish to enjoy "The Night of the Party." And there really is much to enjoy in it.

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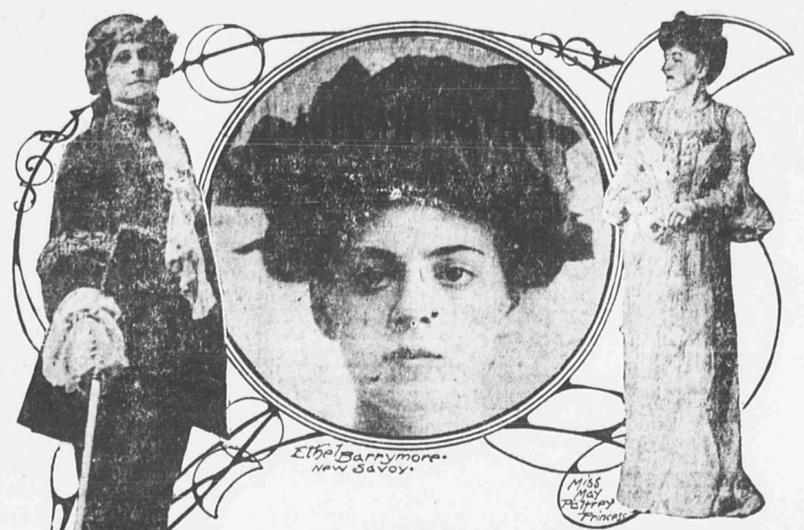
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THREE WOMEN STARS WHO SCORED IN BROADWAY'S NEW DRAMATIC OFFERINGS.



once more in "A Rose of Plymouth-Town" at the Manhattan. "A Chinese Honeycomb" shone with its original brightness at the Casino. "The Emerald Isle," with Jefferson De Angelis, began the next to its last week at the Herald Square Theatre.

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CAPT. ALLAIRE OFF THE FORCE.

Millionaire Police Official Put on the Retired List by Col. Partridge.

GAINED A BIG FORTUNE.

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NICOLA TESLA FINED \$100. Electrician Ignored Notice to Appear for Jury Duty. Nicola Tesla, the electrician, who asserts that he will talk to Mars some day, failed to appear in the Court of General Sessions to-day to talk to Judge Foster about why he did not report for jury duty.

CAR HITS EGG WAGON. A collision between a south-bound American avenue car and an egg dealer's wagon at Sixty-fourth street and Columbus avenue this morning caused the pavement at that point to look like a big patch of scrambled eggs.

John Daniell Sons & Sons Announce Their Opening Fall Sale Blankets and Bed Coverings For Wednesday and Thursday, Comprising a Large Assortment of Standard Goods at About 1/4 Off Their Former Low Prices.

COURT GRANTS MRS. FENN'S PLEA

Alimony and Counsel Fees for the Woman Who, Her Husband Asserted, Was Cold in Disposition.

Mrs. Marie De Leon Fenn, who was described as being too cold in disposition by her husband, Emory Fenn, in his suit against her for divorce, has been allowed \$25 counsel fees and \$6 a week alimony by Justice Gilderleeve in the Supreme Court pending the trial of the suit.

Fenn is the son of Judge Augustus Fenn, of Connecticut, and is a veteran of the recent Spanish-American war. His wife charged that he abandoned her to go to the war and has not contributed to her support since.

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BEHEADED BY FAST EXPRESS.

PITMEAN GROVE, N. J., Oct. 7.—George M. Simpson, thirty-eight years old, a prominent resident of this place, was decapitated by the Bridgeton express train on the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad, within sight of his home, this morning.

Simpson left home intending to board a train for Philadelphia. While endeavoring to get out of the way of an approaching freight train he stepped directly in front of the on-coming express. Engineer Dwyer and his fireman, Charles Ward, saw the man walking towards the train, but they supposed Simpson was aware of his peril and would get off the track in time to avoid being struck.

As quickly as possible the train was stopped, backed up to the station and the mutilated remains gathered up. Mrs. Mary Peterson, a sister of Mr. Simpson, and with whom he lived, was waiting him at the station and she fell unconscious and lay in a serious condition from shock.

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Women's fine quality Cashmere Waists, six 1/2 inch tucks running horizontally, four tucks in sleeve, 6-inch back, each tuck of color. \$5.00

Women's tailored Bedford Cord Waists, elegantly trimmed with silk, with leather and Dresden buttons. \$5.75

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