ROGERS BROTHERS JOKE RECKLESSLY

Without a Screen Between Stage and Audience They Unload a Staggering Collection of Jests.

DRIVE STRONG MEN TO CAFE.

Joseph Coyne Does Well with a Chappy Part—Much Noise by Musicians and Shouting Girls—Big Bevy from Stage School.

FOR BETTER OR WORSE.

"My sister married a doctor, so that if she got sick she could get well for nothing."

"My sister married a minister, so that if she got bad she could get good for nothing."

FRONT!

"I went to the Waldorf and asked the clerk to give me a room and a bath."

"What did he say?"

"He said he would give me a room, but that he didn't have time to give me a bath."

WAITER, SOME WATER, PLEASE.

"I went to supper at Delmonico's, and the waiter put something on the table that made me feel bad."

"What was it?"

"The check."

"THOU SHALT NOT STEAL."

"Your friends will say 'There goes a coward.'"

"Well, I'd rather have them say that than come and look down and say, 'Don't he look natural?'"

HELP!

"What do they do in the Gulf Stream?"

"They play golf."

"Who does?"

"The fishes—they play with fish-balls."

"CASH!"

"How high do your socks come?"

"None of your business."

CHEER UP!

"Why do people cry at weddings?"

"Most of 'em are married and haven't got the nerve to laugh."

WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

"By this wireless telegraph we can tell what is going on in New York without wires."

"My boy, nothing goes on in New York without wires."

IMPORTANT IF TRUE.

"I'm in Wall street now."

"What are you—a bull or a bear?"

"From the way the stocks are going I guess I'm a jackass."

HASTY HELEN.

"What's the difference between your automobile and your girl?"

"When your automobile goes too fast you break it; when your girl goes too fast she breaks you."

POLICE!

"If anything goes wrong, buy a pen and make it write."

SINCE CHILDHOOD'S EARLY HOUR.

"Dried apples and a glass of water make a swell lunch."

Without even a screen between themselves and the audience the Rogers Brothers are recklessly throwing these things about at the Knickerbocker Theatre, while strong men stagger to the sidewalk and anxiously seek the nearest life-saving station.

This time it is "The Rogers Brothers in London," with John J. McNally still sticking to his job as chief guide, and Max Hoffmann and Melville Ellis failing to make up for the absence of Maurice Levi in the matter of music.

There's an immense amount of noise in lieu of melody, two or three leather-lunged young women shout instead of speak what few lines fall to their lot, and a battalion of girl graduates from the Klaw & Erlanger school who would not have left a gaping wound in long-suffering art had they stayed at home and helped mother in the kitchen, march about.

The feminine contingent was augmented temporarily by a lovely young man, Mr. Melville Ellis, who frou-froued in the garb of a showgirl and seemed completely smitten with himself.

Clever Joseph Coyne, in a "chappy" part like the one he played with Francis Wilson in "The Toreador," was his droll self, and squeezed laughs out of lines not generously juicy.

There was one handsome scene, that of a May-pole dance, which was rich in costuming and telling in effect.

Lillian Coleman and George Austin Moore had a catchy coon song in "By the Sycamore Tree," and the Rogers Brothers did their best bit of work in another good song, "Say You'll Be a Friend of Mine."

AT OTHER HOUSES.

The Earl of Pawtucket" moved down to the Princess without losing a bit of its popularity en route—"For Her Children's Sake," one of Theodore Kremer's many melodramas, began a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House—"Jim Bludso" drew two big audiences at the Metropolis—George Sidney in "Busy Izzy" was the attraction at the West End Theatre—"A Fight for Millions" began at the Star—"A Great Game" was aces up at the Third Avenue—The Rentz-Santley Burlesquers at Miner's Eighth Avenue Theatre—Continuing engagements at other theatres were: "The Runaways," Casino—"Three Little Maids," Daly's—"Sylvian's Papas," Garrick—"My Wife's Husbands," Madison Square Theatre—William Collier in Persona," Bijou—James T. Powers in "A Princess of Kensington," Broadway—the Bostonians in "Robin Hood," Academy of Music—"The Evil Men Do," American.

VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTIONS.

"Japan by Night" and the comic opera "Koyo," with a new cast, reopened the St. Nicholas Garden—Eleanor Falf and her singing and dancing chorus, was the leading new attraction at the Paradise Roof Garden, which began its final week—The Great Nirwania and her horse Lokl, in picture pose, won much admiration at Keith's—Owen Kildare, "The Bowery Kipling," was introduced at Pastor's in a sketch entitled "Playing Policy"—The Four Nightons, the splendid gymnasts whose act made a sensation at Hammerstein's were a feature of the bill at the Circle—Proctor's Theatres, Delmore and Lee, gymnasts, and Healthers, on the Twenty-third street theatre, "A Southern Romance" was presented by the Fifth Avenue Theatre stock company, "Delmonico's at Six," with Jessie Mae Hall in the cast, was received at the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street Theatre, "The Queens of New York" was the attraction at the Fifty-eighth Street Theatre, "The Wonderful Wonderton Trust" was the principal act on the bill at the Newark house—McIntyre and Heath, in their new sketch, "The Man from Montana," made a hit at Hurtig & Seamon's—Mme. Morelli and her trained jaguars formed the feature of the bill at the new Orpheum music hall—Yucca, "the female Sandow," amused herself by lifting a horse at Huber's—New pictures were shown at the Eden Musee—Rossati's Naval Reserve Band continued its concerts at Pabst's Roof Garden—Colombino, change artist, was the headliner at Brighton Beach Music Hall, which began its last week—Luna Park offered the first of its series of Indian summer carnivals—Pain's fireworks and concerts by Shannon's Band continued at Manhattan Beach—Bostock's animal show, the Johnstown Flood, and Henderson's Music Hall, at Coney Island, drew great crowds.

BROOKLYN THEATRES.

The Montauk reopened with Montgomery and Stone in "The Wizard of Oz"—"Lost, Strayed or Stolen," was the musical comedy offering at the Columbia.

VINCENT P. BRYAN, SONG WRITER, AND SECRETARY WHO BECAME HIS BRIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent P. Bryan.

SONG WRITER WEDS PRETTY SECRETARY

Vincent P. Bryan Married to Miss Rae Selwyn, Who Had Been Two Years in His Employ.

Vincent P. Bryan, the well-known song writer, was married this afternoon to Miss Rae Selwyn, his secretary. The bride is a sister of Edgar Selwyn, actor and playwright, who will be the leading man with Miss Maude Adams's company this season, and Arthur Selwyn, the play broker.

Miss Selwyn was engaged as Mr. Bryan's secretary about two years ago. It was almost a case of love at first sight. They became engaged to be married more than a year ago, and had Mr. Bryan cared to write love songs the necessary inspiration would not have been lacking. But his greatest successes have been such songs as "Down Where the Wurzburger Flows," "In the Sweet By and By," "It Was the Dutch" and the "Baffilin's Bay" song in the "Wizard of Oz." He also writes all the lyrics for Rogers Brothers' productions.

Mayor Low, who is a great friend of Mr. Bryan, had promised to perform the marriage ceremony, which took place at the home of Edgar Selwyn, No. 334 Central Park West, but found he would be unable to be present. Alderman Marks was then selected to tie the knot.

After a trip in the West and South Mr. and Mrs. Bryan will make their home in New York City.

MYSTERY IN DEATH OF "BILL NYE'S" AUNT

Sheriff Receives Anonymous Letter Hinting that Mrs. Green Did Not Die by Accident.

WATSONVILLE, Cal., Sept. 9.—Mrs. Elvira J. Scales Green, a well-known character and aunt of the late Bill Nye, died at her home here on Aug. 27. Her death was ascribed to accidental asphyxiation by illuminating gas until Sheriff Trefton received an anonymous note asserting that her death was "not so accidental as it seemed to be." The Sheriff went to Santa Cruz last night to report to District-Attorney Knight.

Mrs. Green's husband is sixty-six years old. Mrs. Green was his fifth wife. Three of his former wives died; the fourth divorced him.

Eggs and Superstition.

(From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.)

There are many superstitions about the egg. In Scotland and Ireland children are taught by their nurses to crush the shell after eating an egg, or to push the spoon through the bottom in the form of a cross, showing a lingering relic of the once general superstitious belief that witches lived in egg shells and made boats of them, casting spells upon the household. In Italy, it is believed that an egg laid by a white hen in a new nest on Easter Day will cure pains in the head or stomach; that, broken in a vineyard, it would prevent its suffering from hail, or similarly would save a field from frost, and its possession gave one the power to see witches. It was also believed that an egg laid on Good Friday, thrown on the fire, would extinguish it, while the devil would be killed if shot with an egg laid on Christmas Day.

BATTLEFIELD FOR CARNEGIE.

Millionaire to Buy Bannockburn to Save It from Builders.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—It is said that Andrew Carnegie is negotiating for the purchase of the famous battlefield of Bannockburn, near Stirling, Scotland, in order to save it from falling into the hands of builders.

At Bannockburn, June 24, 1314, the Scots, under Bruce, defeated the English, led by King Edward II. The site of the battle is marked by a block of granite called the "Bored Stane."

MOODY NOT TO RESIGN.

HAVERHILL, Sept. 9.—Secretary Moody absolutely declined yesterday to make any statement regarding his withdrawal from the Cabinet. From Mr. Moody's intimate friends it is learned he will not resign for the present.

DR. LOUIS WALTON DEAD IN LONDON.

New York Physician Stricken with Heart Failure While Swimming at Bath Club in That City.

Relatives in this city have been apprised by cable of the death in London of Dr. Louis Walton, of this city. He was stricken with heart failure after swimming at the London Bath Club.

Dr. Walton was born in Liverpool shortly before his father, Dr. Henry C. Walton, an English practitioner, came to this city to locate. Young Dr. Walton was educated here and graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1870.

He spent several years in the college dispensary, and then began general practice, in which he was most successful. He never married.

Dr. Walton was a member of the County Medical Society, the University and Calumet clubs and the Bath Club, of London, where he died. His sister, Mrs. George Mooney, and a brother, Col. William P. Walton, live in this city. His nephew, Dr. Henry W. Mooney, said to-day that Dr. Walton had suffered for several years from heart trouble.

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DRESSMAKERS	11	SKIRT HANDS	3
DRIVERS	21	SPINNERS	3
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GIRLS	49	WINDOW-CLEANERS	2
GROCERY CLERKS	8	WINDOW-DRESSERS	4
HARNESS-MAKERS	2	MISCELLANEOUS	430
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Rare specimens of Royal Worcester, Crown Derby, Coalport, Teplitz, Royal Dresden, Royal Berlin, Royal Bonn, Sevres and other exquisite wares for cabinets, etageres and mantels. Japanese Cloisonne and Carved Ivories—a limited number of beautiful designs of the most intricate and delicate workmanship, at popular prices. You should not miss seeing them. Rudolstadt Pottery.

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The Carpet Sale.—3d Fl.

News of this sale has been wisely disseminated. Buyers arrived early yesterday—and continued to come, up to the last hour. Of course, the Carpets are in process of decimation.

There being no disappointments in respect to styles, varieties and values, selections were naturally made without difficulty. Not even random, haphazard choosing can lead you astray. We have studied and solved the problem of Carpet beauty and goodness for you.

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