

"The Miracle"
Pictures Fine
And Dramatic

Humperdinck's Beautiful Music Adds to Impressive Effect of Reproduction of Reinhardt's Tremendous Spectacle.

BY CHARLES DARTON.

NO long-suffering heroine of outrageous melodrama ever endured more harrowing experiences than those encountered by Sister Megidda, the chief figure in the motion picture reproduction of Max Reinhardt's "The Miracle." "The Miracle" now being reeled off at the Park Theatre.

To see the world-weary nun, with her babe in her arms, dragging herself back to the convent through the snow recalls the days when Manager A. H. Woods refused to pull on the agency in a brutally frank manner. This suggestion, however, is as fleeting as the picture that brings it. "The Miracle" is not merely a series of moving pictures, it is moving drama. You follow it as you would a play of strong dramatic appeal. In it is seen the genius of Reinhardt for tremendous stage effects to which is added Humperdinck's beautiful music, played by the Russian Symphony Orchestra. The orchestra is so large that it overflows into the two lower stage boxes. Like the organ that plays an important part in this worthy production, the chorists are invisible except when, garbed as nuns, they file down the aisles to the stage, which presents the view of a cathedral.

It was in an ancient cathedral and a castle in Austria that the Reinhardt forces were marshaled for the principal scenes. This fact explains the fluttering draperies caught in a breeze when the gates are opened and gives "The Miracle" in picture form even more realism, perhaps, than the stage production of the wordless play suggested. At any rate, the result may be said to be the last breath in motion pictures. Incidentally, these pictures are highly colored. The woodland scenes are especially charming, while the others are both interesting and impressive.

"The Miracle" begins and ends like Maeterlinck's "Sister Beatrice." Both are based on the Dutch legend of the nun who rode off with a knight. As you may remember, the image of the Madonna comes to life to perform the duties of the nun until her return. It is an unusually hard word, however, in which Sister Megidda gains her experience. Her evil genius is a wandering minstrel who evidently is meant to typify life. Four men are killed because of her before she is footloose and weary. That she opens on the journey in high-heeled slippers can only be explained by the fact that she is obliged to dance in nearly every scene. Prof. Reinhardt evidently believes in making allowances even for a nun. Her last moment seems to have come when she is condemned as a witch, but the multitude rises to the occasion and saves her because of her beauty just as the headman is ready to swing his axe. At the last, in the beautifully simple words of the programme, she finds "it was all a dream."

The pictures make it a wonderful as well as a very exciting dream. "The Miracle" is well worth seeing. Take your eyes to the Park.

"FAMILY FAILING" JUST A BIT OF IRISH FUN.

AFTER bringing out the poetry of "The Countess Cathleen" at Wallace's yesterday afternoon the Irish Players gave the audience a good laugh with "Family Failing," a three-act comedy by William Boyle. It can hardly be said that the play was good fun while it lasted because it lasted too long. But from beginning to end Arthur Sinclair was at his best as the most shiftless member of a do-

MOVING PICTURES

Being incidents in the struggle for peace, progress and prosperity.



Move 2.

Well, well! Here's a "movie" that is not only interesting and instructive. Note the woman in the free ground. See how she points to a certain Apartment Building across the way. She is explaining to her husband, the gentleman at her side, that the apartments in the various suits of rooms they are going to rent. Has she seen the rooms? No, she has not. She is pointing to her order. Did she not read all about them in the "Apartment" columns of The World? She certainly did.

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nothing family. In stretching himself in an easy chair and bringing a pillow with him when he sat down to breakfast the pride, if not the hope, of the Donnelly's left no room for doubt that the family failing was in progress. His younger brother proved himself to be almost equally fond of his ease. Even the family cow was on its last legs when the usual "rich uncle" from America arrived on the scene. Then, in the hope of reward, Dominic gave up his easy chair and cushions and worked like mad for a few days only to discover that his uncle was as poor as himself.

The honors of the performance were shared with Mrs. Sinclair by Miss Elizabeth O'Doherty as the faithful sister who found herself with three, instead of two, lazy louts on her hands.

NOTES OF THE THEATRES.

The child actors in "Rackety Packety House" are to go on tour. They will have a special train and play one matinee in each city visited.

With Maude Frelly as star, John Cort produced at Bridgeport, Conn., last night "The Right Princess," a play by Mrs. Clara Louise Burnham based on Christian Science.

Sixteen of the ballet girls in "The Lady of the Slipper" are to go to London in the summer to dance at the Palace.

Clara Blandick, Alice Johnson, Helen Weatherly and Orlando Daly will be in the cast of "Widow by Proxy" with May Irwin at the Cohan Monday.

Frederick Burton, now playing in "The Unwritten Law," will have a part in "A Man's Friends."

A company of native Japanese actors will assist Ruth St. Denis in a pantomime founded on a Lafcadio Hearn story at the Fulton March 11. Supporting the Griffin bill to allow

children unaccompanied at movies afternoons, Deputy W. H. Rogers of the Bureau of Licenses urged at Albany yesterday separate seating places and licensed matrons.

Selwyn & Co., play brokers, are suing Lee Shubert and Lewis Waller for \$3,000 as royalties on "The Butterfly on the Wheel."

"The Pink Lady" and "Oh! Oh! Delphine" are to go to Germany and Australia.

Orville Harold will sing two songs in the concert scene in "The Firefly" next week and the sextet from "Luca" with Evelyn, Melville Stuart, Craig Campbell, Marion Lee and Henry Vogel.

Miss Heston and her son Marjorie, authors of "A Good Little Devil," may visit New York in the fall as guests of David Belasco.

Annette Kellermann is suing William Morris, saying he owes her \$2,737 on an English tour and \$18,323 on salary in America at \$1,250 a week.

PUT CORSETS ON IN BED AND LIVE LONG.
Lift Yourself Into Them, Then Draw Laces at Top, Just Like That.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Not corsets but how you wear them, is the cause of woman's ill, according to Dr. Maude E. Dunn of the New Social Hygiene Society.

"It takes three minutes to put on a corset correctly," she said. "You should take those three minutes if you have to go without your breakfast. A woman who is improperly corseted all day is a sick woman at night. Go before your mirror and draw the laces of your corsets first at the waist line, then loosely

at the bottom. Lift yourself into your corsets by breathing abdominally, then draw the laces at the top.

"I lie in bed and put on my corsets. This is a good way. One cannot be properly corseted if she puts on her corsets in bed."

GOODBY, "STRAIGHT LINES."
Corsets to Be Curved and Supple, Says Paris Expert.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—The new modes and

heavily draped skirts that were shown at Auteuil necessitate a radical change in the feminine outline.

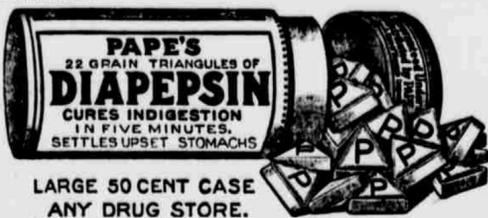
A fashion expert says that the day of the corset with straight lines has gone. This year it will present a graceful curve. The waist, high in front, will slope down at the back below the present position.

To insure the supple, sinuous lines now fashionable, corsets will be made largely of soft, elastic tissue, and whalebone will be very little used.

EAT WITHOUT FEAR! NO SICK, SOUR, GASSY STOMACH OR INDIGESTION.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly, ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, get this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There was never anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered, you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

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These are the well-made, good-styled suits upon which the reputation of the Wanamaker Boys' Store has been built.

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DESCRIPTION	Men's Shoes	Black	Tan	Patent Leather	Lace	Button	Blucher										
WIDTH	5	5 1/2	6	6 1/2	7	7 1/2	8	8 1/2	9	9 1/2	10	10 1/2	11	11 1/2	12	12 1/2	
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A	5	21	22	21	12	6	8	7	6	3							
B	16	15	28	53	19	10	17	22	27	38	15	9					
C	8	9	10	15	16	18	22	34	58	59	60	35	27	6	7	4	2
D	6	1	7	7	13	34	74	94	89	65	49	27	12	10	2		
E	5	3	8	6	18	18	40	43	70	43	20	28	30	6	3	1	1
EE	13	2	5	5	7	7	9	8	6	4	2	4	1				

Women's Shoes

Reduced From \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7

1.90

DESCRIPTION	Ladies' Shoes	Black	Tan	Patent Leather	Lace	Button						
WIDTH	7	7 1/2	8	8 1/2	9	9 1/2	10	10 1/2	11	11 1/2	12	
AA												
A	1	23	11	42	62	71	33	17	17	12	20	3
B	10	22	55	66	126	47	30	37	17	31	22	1
C	10	17	20	27	56	55	70	31	28	33	24	18
D	16	5	27	32	48	29	49	17	18	7	7	21
E	13	13	5	18	7	5	8	9	7	2		
EE												

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