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### OPERA IN BALTIMORE

"Tannhauser" by Metropolitan Opera Company.

### GADSKI IN SPLENDID VOICE

Immense Lyric Theater Makes It Possible to Present Opera on a Large Scale—Washington Must Love "Opera Special"—A Brilliant Audience Present.

On the "Opera Special," Midnight. The season of grand opera by the Metropolitan Opera Company began at Baltimore last night with a brilliant performance of "Tannhauser. The huge Lyric Theater presented a most splendid appearance, being packed to the doors with the wealth, beauty, and fashion of Baltimore.

A special train of three coaches was run from Washington to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, under the personal supervision of Mr. J. Lewis, Jr., passenger agent, and F. Arthur Smith, who represents the Lyric management and the Metropolitan Opera Company, and a large number of Washington people availed themselves of the opportunity thus presented to hear Gadski, Norn, Jern, and the other Metropolitan favorites. They were amply repaid, for it is im-

possible to give grand opera in Washington on such an elaborate scale as the performance of last night in Baltimore. For one thing the Lyric is capable of accommodating the entire orchestra, something no local theater can do, and as "Tannhauser" is essentially an instrumental opera rather than one of vocal pre-eminence, this feature was appreciated by those who have heard the score only by diminished orchestras.

Alfred Hertz conducted in his usual masterful way. The marvelous beauty of the whole "Tannhauser" score was brought out with the greatest possible effect. The wonderful orchestral climaxes were a revelation. The opera was given without the usual cuts, so that it was near midnight when the final curtain fell. The singers scored a complete success. Mme. Gadski was in grand voice, and was greatly aided by the excellent acoustics of the Lyric. M. Jern was a satisfactory Tannhauser. His voice is of a harsh quality in the lower tones, but quite clear in the upper. Mme. Norn's appearance as Venus marked her debut with the company, and she was cordially greeted. M. Garitz, as Wolfram, and Allen Hineckley, as Hermann, sang splendidly.

The courtesy extended by the Metropolitan management in offering Washington music lovers a complimentary special train in order to enable them to enjoy grand opera on a scale impossible in the Capital under present conditions is likely to prove a popular one. It establishes an entente cordiale and leaves no excuse for those who claim they have no chance to hear grand opera at its best. The performance last night was precisely as it is given at the great Metropolitan Opera House in New York.

On next Friday night, when "La Tosca" will be sung, with Farrar, Bonci, and Scotti, it is expected that the "opera special" will be taxed to its capacity.

WILLIAM OSBORN.

### STEINHEIL JURORS EQUALLY DIVIDED

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would have an automobile at the prison door after her acquittal in readiness to take her to a steamer for America. The jury is reported to be equally divided. A majority for condemnation is said to have existed during the first and second days of the trial, but three of the jurors changed when witnesses repudiated the evidence they were alleged to have given at the preliminary investigation.

Sat with Downcast Eyes. As the advocate general resumed his address to the jury in the morning, Mme. Steinheil sat statue-like with downcast eyes and a Mater Dolorosa air.

The speech of the advocate general lost much of its effect because it was read from manuscript. He began by taking up the contradictory evidence of the valet, Remy Couillard, and declared that the version he gave in court was the correct one.

The prosecutor dwelt on the words of Witness Lecocq that it was not a band but a string necklace she wore at the time he saw her, on Mme. Steinheil's not being torn off in the alleged struggle with the burglar. The prosecutor remarked had never been found, and in the fact that the loosely sewed buttons on M. Steinheil's shirt had not been torn off in the alleged struggle with the burglar.

A murmur of protest sounded through the court room at the advocate general's sneering tone in commenting on Mme. Steinheil's words when she was discovered bound and gagged. "My husband, why doesn't he come?" This, said M. Ruelle, was one of the occasions when she remembered that she had a husband.

The advocate general, proceeding, asked in rhetorical manner whether Mme. Steinheil had not made certain confessions to her fellow-prisoners in St. Lazare prison. The statements of these fellow-prisoners have been printed in the yellow journals here.

Maitre Aubin, Mme. Steinheil's counsel, interrupted to ask the advocate general why he had not called these prisoners as witnesses.

"Because I was not willing to use the testimony of those whose veracity could be questioned," replied the advocate general. This reply was regarded as extraordinary and was greeted with laughter and protestations in the court room.

### STEAMER RUNS ASHORE.

Passengers of Capital City Brought to Washington by Tug. The steamer Capital City, of the Potomac and Chesapeake line, ran ashore in a fog about 10 o'clock yesterday morning on the Virginia shore, a short distance below Jones Point, and was still hard and fast aground according to late reports last night. Twenty-five passengers were taken from the steamer in the afternoon and brought to this city by the naval tug Teumseh. Perishable freight was brought here aboard the police boat Vigilant. The naval tug Choctaw left at high water last night to go to the aid of the stranded vessel. It was thought the Capital City will be floated before this morning.

### ARMY OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Fourteen Vacancies on General Staff Filled for Coming Year.

Gen. Ainsworth, adjutant general of the army, yesterday made public the names of fourteen officers recently selected by a board of general officers to fill vacancies on the General Staff during the coming year. The officers chosen for the existing and prospective vacancies were as follows:

Medical department—Maj. Paul F. Straub, Coast Artillery Corps—Lieut. Col. George T. Bartlett and Maj. William C. Davis, Cavalry—Col. Walter S. Schuyler, Fifth Cavalry; Maj. Henry T. Allen, Eighth Cavalry; Maj. Guy Carleton, Fourth Cavalry, and Capt. M. Craig, First Cavalry. Infantry—Lieut. Col. Hunter Liggett, Fifteenth Infantry; Lieut. Col. Daniel A. Frederick, Nineteenth Infantry; Lieut. Col. Lee Feibiger, Third Infantry; Capt. Edmund Wittenmyer, Fifth Infantry; Capt. Joseph D. Luttrell, Twenty-fifth Infantry; Capt. Peter W. Davidson, Twenty-second Infantry, and Capt. Harry H. Tebbetts, Tenth Infantry.

### WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Friday, Nov. 12, 1909—8 p. m. The winds along the New England and Middle Atlantic coast will be light to moderate and variable; on the South Atlantic coast moderate westerly; on the East Gulf coast moderate southeasterly; on the West Gulf coast moderate to brisk westerly; on the South Atlantic coast moderate westerly; on the Lower Lakes northeasterly, increasing Saturday on Erie; on the Upper Lakes increasing northeasterly, becoming brisk to high on Michigan and Huron.

Steamers departing Saturday for European ports (Atlantic coast), variable winds, with generally fair weather, to the Grand Banks.

### Local Temperature.

Midnight, 49; 2 a. m., 47; 4 a. m., 41; 6 a. m., 41; 10 a. m., 37; 12 noon, 35; 2 p. m., 31; 4 p. m., 31; 6 p. m., 27; 8 p. m., 27; 10 p. m., 22. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 100; 2 p. m., 85; 8 p. m., 79. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 6. Hours of sunshine, 16.2; per cent of possible sunshine, 36. Temperature same date last year—Maximum, 44; minimum, 38.

### Temperatures in Other Cities.

City	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Fall.
Asheville, N. C.	70	26	62	...
Atlanta, Ga.	72	32	61	...
Atlantic City, N. J.	72	48	60	...
Baltimore, Md.	58	38	52	0.02
Boston, Mass.	78	51	66	...
Buffalo, N. Y.	69	32	52	...
Chicago, Ill.	48	46	48	...
Cincinnati, Ohio	70	44	64	...
Chester, Wyo.	28	28	28	0.28
Davenport, Iowa	44	34	44	0.02
Denver, Colo.	42	29	39	0.21
Des Moines, Iowa	41	31	40	0.02
Galveston, Texas	78	72	74	...
Helena, Mont.	22	22	22	0.01
Indianapolis, Ind.	52	38	45	0.01
Jacksonville, Fla.	76	64	68	0.04
Kansas City, Mo.	50	42	50	0.01
Little Rock, Ark.	58	41	50	...
Lowell, Mass.	66	48	62	0.01
Manly, N. Y.	42	40	40	...
Memphis, Tenn.	58	44	54	...
New Orleans, La.	74	62	68	...
New York, N. Y.	74	50	65	...
Omaha, Neb.	42	29	39	0.21
Pittsburg, Mo.	70	54	61	...
Portland, Me.	42	32	42	0.02
Portland, Ore.	42	38	42	0.02
Salt Lake City, Utah	42	22	40	...
St. Louis, Mo.	42	32	42	...
St. Paul, Minn.	40	32	38	...
San Francisco, Cal.	64	52	58	...
Seattle, Wash.	58	42	52	...
Victoria, B. C.	78	58	70	...

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### LAYMEN DEMAND ANOTHER CRUSADE

Armenian Massacres Attributed to Mohammedanism.

### AMERICA'S SILENCE SCORED

Speakers at Missionary Convention Declare Asia is Awakening and Christians Have Opportunity to Win Empire—Washington Protestants Will Be Asked to Contribute.

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAM.

MORNING SESSION. 10 o'clock—Meeting of the General Assembly of the International Laymen's Missionary Movement. Samuel B. Capen, LL. D., will preside.

AFTERNOON SESSION. 2 o'clock—Meeting of the executive committee, Laymen's Missionary Movement.

EVENING SESSION. Denominational Rallies. Baptist—6 p. m., Calvary Baptist Church. Speakers: Dr. Thomas G. Barber, Dr. J. S. Porter, Mornay Williams.

Congregational—6 p. m., Mount Pleasant Congregational Church. Speakers: Samuel B. Capen, Boston; John F. Jones, India; James P. McNaughton, Turkey; D. Brewer Eddy.

Episcopal—8 p. m., home of the Bishop of Washington. Speakers: Dr. W. T. Grenfell, Labrador; John W. Wood, New York.

M. E. Church South—8 p. m., Mount Vernon Place M. E. Church. Speakers: Dr. A. P. Parker, Shanghai; J. C. Stubbs, Nashville.

Methodist Episcopal—8 p. m., Wesley Chapel. Speakers: John R. Mott, Samuel B. Capen, and S. Earl Taylor.

Lutheran—8 p. m., St. Paul's Church. Speaker: J. Campbell White.

Charging cowardice on the part of Europe and America for permitting to go unpunished the Armenian massacres and the recent persecution of Christians in Asia, Rev. S. E. Zwemer, in his address before the convention of the laymen's missionary movement, last night, portrayed the reign of terror which thrived under the Mohammedan form of religion.

"While these terrible massacres were going on," said the speaker, "all Europe stood aghast, and America was silent. So strong has Mohammedanism become that when thousands of Christian women that were literally hacked to pieces to save powder and shot, not a nation lifted its hand, and not a murmur of protest was heard.

Need of a Crusade. "There is a great need for a laymen's missionary movement. We had a great movement of this kind when the Crusaders went into the Moslem stronghold to wrest the tomb of the Saviour from their grasp. Another such movement should be now made to save from the degrading influence of Mohammedanism thousands of Christian women."

Dr. Zwemer, who has been engaged in missionary work in Asia for a number of years, spoke of the task of destroying the strength of Mohammedanism. He told of its extent, of the hold it had upon the minds of the people.

"Mohammedanism is formidable because of its great truths," said Dr. Zwemer. "These hundreds of people know that one god, they worship a saviour, they believe in the forgiveness of sins, and they have faith in a life beyond the grave. But Allah is a god of sensuality and impurity, and belief in one god does not constitute truth unless this god possesses the attributes of love and chastity."

The ignorance of those professing the Moslem faith was then dwelt upon. The speaker declared only 5 per cent of the entire population could read or write.

Right Rev. Arthur S. Lloyd, Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia, spoke on "The Awakening of Asia." He declared the congregation did not give the minister its support, and that many men let their business interfere with their religious work.

Following Dr. Lloyd's address, George Sherwood Eddy, of India, spoke on "The Awakening of Asia." He said:

"We are confronted with the overwhelming fact that the vast continent of Asia is awakening. The prophecy of Seward before the Senate in 1852, is being fulfilled, and what he called the greatest fact in history is taking place before our eyes. Think of the change that has taken place in sixty years, within our own lifetime. When Commodore Perry knocked at the door of Japan in 1853, there was not a Christian in Japan or Korea, not fifty in the whole Chinese empire, and only a handful in India. To-day Japan has 150,000 Christians; Korea, 100,000 Protestant adherents; China, some 500,000, and India a Protestant community of 1,000,000 souls.

"All of the chapels and buildings of the Korean mission which were wrecked by the Boxer uprising in China in 1900 have been rebuilt. There have been more converts in the eight years since then than in the first eighty years of endeavor. The yellow peril is becoming the golden opportunity of Christendom. China is awake, the opportunity is ours. We can win that vast empire for Christ if we press our advance."

Continental Memorial D. A. R. Hall, in which the meeting took place, was draped with the flags of all nations and decorated with palms and chrysantheums. Commissioner Henry B. F. Macfarland presided, and C. M. Keeler, of New York, led the singing. Rev. J. P. Norton, of Smyrna, pronounced the invocation.

It was decided at a meeting of the executive board, held yesterday, to ask Washington Protestants to raise the sum of \$100,000 for foreign missionary work this year. This report will be presented at the various denominational rallies this afternoon. The session yesterday morning was held in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Mornay Williams, of New York, presided. The list of those who made addresses included Rev. D. F. L. H. Fort, president of St. John's College, Shanghai; John T. Stone, of Baltimore, and Rev. A. P. Parker, president of the Anglo-Siam Bible College, at Shanghai. Charles H. Rowland, of Athens, Ga., a Presbyterian, and Rev. J. H. Apple, of the Reformed Church.

Treasurer McClung Enjoined. Thomas Lee McClung, Treasurer of the United States, was yesterday enjoined by Justice Bernard in paying to E. J. Cartwright \$6,194.50 on a contract for repairing the east side intercepting sewer in this city. The action of the court is based on a petition of the Southern Surety Company, which is on the bond of McClung for the performance of the work.



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### SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE ELEVENTH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of two and one-half per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the Washington Railway and Electric Company from the net earnings of the company for the year ended June 30, 1909. The dividend is payable on December 1, 1909, to preferred stockholders of record at 11:30 a. m. from November 14, 1909, to December 1, 1909, both dates inclusive. F. J. WHITEHEAD, Secretary. No. 57 A, 11th St. N. W., D. C.

### DIED.

FWITCHELL—On Thursday, November 11, 1909, Mrs. HARRIETT A. FWITCHELL, passed into the spiritual world. Funeral service at her late residence, 1429 Q street northwest, Saturday, November 13, at 2 p. m. No flowers.

DAVENPORT—On Thursday, November 11, 1909, at 4 a. m., LOUISA, beloved mother of Edward Davenport, George, Roy, and Louis Hughes. Funeral on Saturday, November 13, at 2 p. m., from New Bethel Baptist Church. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HOGAN—Thursday, November 11, 1909, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Ella M. Nelson, 82 Ninth street northwest, CATHERINE HOGAN, widow of Andrew Hogan. She is survived by four children, Mrs. Ella M. Nelson, Miss Mary A. Hogan, John E. Hogan, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. H. Sutphin, of New York. Funeral from residence, Saturday, November 13, 1909, at 9 a. m. Hence to Holy Name Church, where requiem mass will be celebrated. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

HOLOHAN—On Thursday, November 11, 1909, at 8:30 p. m., CHARLES E., beloved husband of Kate Holohan (neé Cullane). Funeral on Friday, November 12, 1909, at 10 a. m. from his late residence, 15 K street northeast, on Monday, November 15, at 8 o'clock a. m. Requiem mass at St. Ignace Church, at 8:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

HUNT—On Wednesday, November 11, 1909, at 6:45 a. m., GEORGE H. HUNT, son of the late Richard and Elizabeth Hunt. Funeral from the chapel of Thomas S. Seeger, 101 Seventh street northwest, on Saturday, November 13, at 3 p. m. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery. Funeral on Wednesday, November 13, 1909, at 10 a. m. from his late residence, 1304 Sixth street southwest, at 2:30 p. m. WILLIAM F. NOWELL, brother-in-law of George H. Nowell, and beloved daughter of Mrs. Frederika and the late Christian Schaefer. Funeral on Friday, November 13, 1909, at 10 a. m. Interment at the National Cemetery, Arlington.

ROCHESTER—On Thursday, November 11, 1909, at 2 a. m., at his residence, 1328 Eighteenth street, WILLIAM BEATTY ROCHESTER, Brigadier-General, United States army, retired, aged eighty-three years, eight months, and six days. He was a member of the National Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. The death of Companion WILLIAM BEATTY ROCHESTER, Brigadier-General, U. S. Army, in this city on the 11th instant, is announced to the Commandery. Funeral services will be held at St. Thomas' P. E. Church, Eighteenth Street, near Dupont Circle, at 10 o'clock A. M. this day, interment at the National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. By command of JOHN H. UPSHUR, U. S. Navy, Commander, Commandery.

SCHOFIELD—On Wednesday, November 11, 1909, at his residence, 122 Fourth street, died WILLIAM J. SCHOFIELD, wife of the late Andrew B. Schofield. Funeral services will be held at above residence Saturday, November 13, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

SMALL—Departed this life November 12, 1909, at 7:30 o'clock a. m., at 213 Twentieth street, in full triumph of faith, JUPITER SMALL, aged fifty-nine years. Funeral from Liberty Baptist Church, Eighteenth and E streets northwest, Monday, November 15, at 1 o'clock p. m. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

WHITE—On Thursday morning, November 11, 1909, at 7 o'clock, EMMA WHITE, daughter of the late William and Lavinia White, of Lock Haven, Pa. Funeral on Saturday at 11 a. m. from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Stevens, 142 S street. Interment private.

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