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IN MUSICAL CIRCLES.

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The sumsical club meeting on Tuesday next, should be a interesting one, for the pregramme is to consist of works by Mendelssohn. Unfortunately the String Sextette will not be able to play, but I believe there are to be some of Mendelssohn's lovely one or more pianoforte solos, which, together with one of the great composer's songs, will make up a usice programme.

\*\*TALK OF THE THEATRE.\*\*

The Aborn company has gone, and therewere not a few inclined to give the oldine answer, "Good riddance" to their 'good bye" salute.

\*\*The St. John A. A. club grounds will be opened today. Members of the club will have no fault to find with them. They are far ahead of last year in every way, and all sorts and conditions of athletes will have every opportunity to spread themselves the solution of the club will have every opportunity to spread themselves the solution of the providence of a shower bath. The cinder track has been raised, and a number of other improvements made that will be appreciated.

"Sood bye" salute.

Now that they have come and gone there is a constant and natural inquiry for the "gilt" part of the performance. We have heard and seen the "opera," the gifts are yet to come. I do not propose to discuss the wisdom of "gift opera" or gift anything in this column. The resemblance of the whole idea to a lottery compels the conclusion that the only distinction lies in the difference of name. No doubt there are many persons who would buy tickets for a "gift opera" and studiously avoid investing in a lottery. The ingenious argument of the originators of the plan was that every person who bought a ticket got a portion of its value at least in attending the opera.

The managing directors blame Mr.

vorite being an old black pony named Jessie.

The Duke of Edinburgh is an ardent stamp collector, and now possesses one of the finest collections of stamps in the world.

The Queen of Italy has a peculiar hobby. She delights in the collection of gloves, boots, and shoes which have been worn at different periods by royal and imperial personages. She had a pair of white slippers and a fan which belonged to Mary Queen of Scots, also shoes worn by Queen Anne and the Empress Josephine.

King Humbert of Italy takes delight in amateur cooking, in which he shows no mean skill. The Emperor of Russia is very fond of fishing, and spends many consecutive days every season at his favorite resort, the Langilla Salmon Fishery, Finland, amidst the most romantic scenery. The empress and family assist in cooking the fish at a spacious villa built for the purpose.

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The Queen of Denmark is an enthusiastic musician, and is extremely fond of playing pianoforte duets with her daughters. The Empress of Germany is quite a champion knitter, and uses large wooden needles for the work she does.

The Empress of Japan is distinguished for her clever manipulation of the koto, a Japanese instrument resembling the zither. The Queen of Greece spends a deal of her time in fancy needlework, and is said to be the finest royal needlewoman in Europe.

The favorite employment of the Prince of Montenegro is the composition of warsongs and historical dramas, in which he delights to sing and act with great vigor. The Dowager Queen of Portugal is passionately fond of shooting, and spends a deal of time at her country place, on the seaboard at Caldas, where she amuses herself by aiming with a rifle from a high window at bottles placed in the sea for that purpose. She is said to be an excellent markswoman.—Tit Bils.

What A Bad Digestion Does.

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