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Theatres and Concerts

The big productions of recent years, like "The Garuen of Aliah," have opened in New York, so that Toronto has not had an opportunity to see them until some time later. But next week we shall have an opportunity to see what it is, halled as the most beautiful production of years just before it goes into New York for a run. This is "Omar, the Tei tmaker," Richard Walton Tully's Persian play, in which Guy Bates Postwill come to the Alexandra next week.

Toronto has an opportunity to see this beautiful play in all its freshness, because kickard Walton Tully, the author, cares about the opinion of cities outside of New York. His big successes like "The Rose of the Rancho" and "The Bird of Paradise," tho they enjoyed long New York runs, were not written to please Broadway. Mr. Tully believes that if a play is to last, it will last because it pleases other cities than New York. The public outside of the metropois still respects a New York run, but the time has passed when this same public, stretching across the continent, in hike a play simply because New York did. So Mr. Tully says, "Please the people outside of New York Ties, and then go into New York. You will know then that after the metropolitan run is over the play will be liked wherever it goes."

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Famous Wagnerian Prima Donna Coming Among the many important principals of the Quinlan Opera Company, which is to sing grand opera in English in all the leading cities of Eastern Cafada next apring, none takes higher rank than Miss Percival Allen. She has sung not only at Covent Garden, but has figured as leading soloist at several of the great British festivals during the past two or three years. The famous critic, Ernest Newman, whose severity is proverbial, says of her that she "sings the Brunhilde music as only she among English women can sing it. While she is as towering as ever in the more heroic moments of it, she has deepened the appeal of the softer side of the character. It is a commonplace to say that no other woman in England can sing the final scene as she sings it; she has made it peculiarly her own. She is equally electrifying in the earlier episodes, I have never heard music sung throut so splendidy anywhere."

MILESTONES

present pinnacle of fame and success has been watched and chronicled with interest, and since her advent into the Shaks-perean field, her legions of friends have been anxiously awaiting the opportunity of sceing her in the round of classic characters indicated above. Miss Anglin's engagement here is one of the most important of the season's bookings.

William Faversham's Engagement.

The William Faversham davance mail order seat sale is breaking all records at the Royal Alexandra, where Mr. Faversham will inaugurate a two weeks Shaksperean festival on Monday evening, Dec. 29, offering during his engagement and Juliet" and "Othello," as well as a limited number of presentations of "Julius Caesar." In response to the hundred of requests from persons who were unable to procure seats for the evening of Dec. 29 and Dec. 31, which will be the premiere presentations by Mr. Faversham of "Romeo and Juliet" and "Othello" respectively.

"Milestones," the comedy by Arnold Bennett and Edward Knoblauch, which will be presented by Klaw and Erlanger at the Princess Theatre next week, with a company of English players, under the direction of Joseph Brooks, is the story of the Rhead family in three acts, laid in 1860, 1835 and 1912. What much kindly satire and at the same time sympathy, it shows how each generation makes the mistakes of the last, and of how little value the experiences of one generation is to the next. There will be a special matinee on Christmas Day.

QUINLAN OPERA CO.

According to a cable just to hand, the Quin'an English Grand Opera Company are now on their way to Canada from Australia. They salled from Sydney on Monday, December 15, and will land at Vancouver on the S.S. Makura on January 5. This tremendous operatic organization, consisting of two hundred members, will shortly be heard in this city.

"Freckles" at the Grand Christmas Week
A dramatization of the most widely
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dramatized by Neil Twomey, which will
be the offering at the Grand Christmas
week. From a literary point of view
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stories written. That it has been marvelously popular is proved by the fact
that over a million persons have read it
When one has read a story, there is al-When one has read a story, there is always a desire to see it played, to see the characters in real life, and this is undoubtedly one of the most important reasons for the success of "Freckles" as a drama. It is making theatrical history, is this wonderful story as dramatized. During its trial performances last season it drew record breaking audiences, and with unanimous acclaim the prophecy went out that its success as a drama would be equal to its success as a story. On its regular tour, with a more complete scenic equipment, a stronger company of artists and the smoothing down, which is a necessity with all stage productions, it is playing to capacity audiences everywhere.

Jessie Maclachlan's Return. Jessie Maciachian, the Scottish pri-na donna, will make her return appearance in Toronto at Mr. Campbell's annual New Year's concert in Massey Hall. There will be an entire change of the prima donna's programme; and her support will be stronger than ever. Besides Mr. Harold Jarvis, a splendid tenor, from Scotland, new to Toronto, her support will be stronger than ever. Besides Mr. Harold Jarvis, a splendid tenor, from Scotland. new to Toronto, Mr. Farquhar Murray, will take part. It is certain that Mr. Murray's singing will prove an agreeable surprise to the audience. Mr. Paul Hahn will play some favorite airs on the 'cello, and as is customary on New Year's night. Highland dancing and piping will form

an appropriate feature. The advance programme is printed and copies will be mailed by Mr. Campbell on re-quest.

Margaret Anglin.

The New Year at the Princess Theatre will be ushered in by Toronto's favorite actress, Margaret Anglin, and her notable Shaksperean organization, who will begin a week's engagement on Monday, Doc. 29. Miss Anglin will present a series of complete, and elaborate revival productions embracing three of the most delightful comedies and one of the tragedles of the bard. The plays and their order of presentment will be as follows: Monday and Thursday (New Year's) ingitts and Wednesday matinee, "Twelfth Night"; Tuesday night and Thursday (New Year's) matinee, "As You Like It"; Wednesday and Saturday nights, "The Taming of the Shrew"; and Friday night and Saturday matinee, "Antony and Cleopatra." The seat and box sale will open on Thursday morning but, in the meantime, mail orders will be given prompt attention in the order of their receipt. Toronto claims Miss Anglin as her own, the famous actress receiving her early education in this city at the Loretto Convent, and since the beginning of her professional career, every step of her advancement to her present pinnacle of fame and success has been watched and chronicled with interest, and since her advancement to her present pinnacle of fame and success has been watched and chronicled with interest, and since her advancement to her present pinnacle of fame and success has been watched and chronicled with interest, and since her advancement to her present pinnacle of fame and success has been watched and chronicled with interest, and since her advancement to her present pinnacle of fame and success has been maxiously awaiting the opportunity of sceing her in the round of classic characters indicated above. Miss Anglin's engagement here is one of the most important of the season's bookings.

LILIAN SHAW AT SHEA'S

the American vocal dialect comedienne, who is sure of a hearty welcome. Har style of work is original and her songs are always pleasing. She interprets both Hebrew and Italian characters, and for her Toronto engagement she will offer many new songs, all appropriately costumed. The Housewarmers is the special extra attraction on the bill. It is a musical comedy, written by Mack and Orth, around the troubles of the newlyweds, and is presented by anny Dooley and Yvette Rugel, with a company of ten singing and dancing boys and girls. The scene is laid in the home of the newlyweds and one time is New Year's Eve. A welcome feature of the bill will be the al pearance of Mrs. Gene Hughes and her company, in Edgar Allan Wolff's comedy playlet, "Youth," in which Mrs. Hughes is well supported by the Misses Saint Alva. Adele Potter, Betty Swartz and Joseph Allenton. Harry B. Lester, the jovial jester, has a new monolog, which he presents in his own pleasing and original way. Miss Eva Shirley is one of the younger prima donnas, who is making her first appearance at Shea's, in a repertoire of original songs. The Kitamura Troupe are Japanese athletes, with an act as picturesque as it is difficult. The Two Tomboys do a comedy acrobatic act, which is said to be very funny. The show closes with the new kinetograph picture. Musical Direct of Augustus Naumann has prepared a spotlar or chis week. William A Brady has broken into vaudewille with the same sensational success that has attended his other managerial ventures, and he will offer as headliner for New Year's week at Shea's, Elizabeth Jordan's clever oneact play, "Beauty is Only Skin Deep." The play has been the vaudeville hit of the season in New Lork and will be presented here by the Metropolitan Company.

At the Gayety Theatre for next week, George P Murphy, the well known and popular star of the "Broadway Girls," of comedy fame, will present an entire new ani original two-act extravaganza, "Tinkle's Troubles," supported by an all-star cast, composed of the following weil known artists: The ever popular Frank Wakefteid, also Lillian Smalley, prima donna; Lill Armstrong, character comedian; Sol Powder and Abe Capman, the "Beau Brummels of Burlesque"; Nellic Welsh, the magnetic soubrette, and Fay Tunis and Kathryn Howard, ingenues.

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talked of in the east, and the new sensational dances will not be omitted from the divertissements. A feature of the performance will be the "Pavlowa Gavotte" a modern ball room dance. "The Pavlowa Gavotte" is the latest among New York's elect. In theatrical parlance, Pavlowa and her organization have been a "riot" in New York City, which means that "they have been turning them of art, these Muscovites exercise a potential of the popular appeal. No artist or organization has ever appeared in America to delight a more diverse clientele that this danseuse and her company. They have been breaking capacity records at six or his houses as the Metropolitan of New York and the Boston Opera House. The reason for the popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of Pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is that she is "the personification of a popularity of pavlowa is the popularity of pavlow

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