

## WORLD AND HIS WIFE

William Faversham and Company Score In New Tragedy.

ADAPTED FROM THE SPANISH

Play From the Original of Jose Echegaray Tells Gripping Story of Terrible Outcome of a Husband's Groundless Suspicions. Aroused by Intriguing Gossips.

From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent

William Faversham and the small but competent company have won a success in a new emotional drama, "The World and His Wife," at Daly's theater. The play turned out to be one of real dramatic intensity and toward the end moved in quick and gripping tragedy. Reduced to bare bones, it is the old story of two men and a woman; it is the old, familiar French triangle again, but with Spanish additions. Here we have the husband tortured and whipped until he dies, and is the grand climax we see the man



WILLIAM FAVERSHAM.

be has haled with out with the widow on his arm. It is a strange and startling situation, and it will be interesting to observe just what our audiences will say about it.

The play has been adapted by Charles Frederic Nirlinger from the Spanish of Jose Echegaray. There are three acts, all laid in Madrid. The first and third acts are in the home of Don Julian; the second is in the rooms of Don Ernesto, who comes between Julian and his wife. The unusual crops out in this play in the opening scene. There is no intrigue between Ernesto and the woman, Teodora. At no time do they betray the husband, and thus we find the whole structure of the drama is raised on suspicion. This is a point which marks the play as radically different from others of seemingly similar nature. There is no liaison involved here, yet the outcome is none the less terrible. Echegaray shows conclusively that all that is needed to wreck happiness is suspicion, and he teaches wives what tragedies may lie in forgetfulness of the true husband's extend.

Ernesto is a guest in Julian's house. Julian is held in his office, and naturally Ernesto entertains the wife. The gossips begin to talk, and finally the flying rumors reach the husband's ears. He cannot believe, but gradually fear and terror grip him. The woman really has admiration for Ernesto, and he admires her. But she loves her husband. She is sure of that. She is so sure of it that she thinks he never can doubt her. Ernesto and the woman have been silly enough to walk abroad together, and the gossips seize upon this to drive the husband almost to distraction. In a restaurant a scoundrel Alvarez, scornfully shouts the wife's name, and Ernesto slaps him in the face. A duel is arranged. The husband bears about it and goes himself to defend his wife's name. Alvarez wounds him, and he is assisted into Ernesto's rooms. There the wife has come to see Ernesto and to attempt to straighten out the tangle. The husband sees her, and all his fears are realized. He believes she is there because all that has been said of her is true.

This carries us to the end of the second act. In the last act Ernesto forces his way into Julian's house. He is determined truth shall prevail; that it shall be known he has not been an enemy in the house of the man he has called friend. Julian staggers out of his room and sees his wife and Ernesto together. He breaks into anguished denunciation, staggers out and dies. Then his brother orders Ernesto from the house and steals his heart against the woman.

Ernesto makes an eloquent plea, defending the woman and himself. When he falls, then the brother brands them as wretched betrayers. Julian suddenly proclaims that he and Teodora will go together. Why not? The world thinks them guilty, and what alternative is left to them? They have been driven by lies to each other. Together they can face calamity more bravely than if they stood apart. This is how the dramatist reasons it out, and with the husband lying dead in the adjoining room the widow of a minute takes the arm of Ernesto, goes out with him, and the play is over.

It is a situation that is powerfully dramatic, and it takes a grip, even though the impression may be held that the couple are rushing headlong into folly.

ROBERT BUTLER.

## Nat Goodwin and His New Wife



Nat Goodwin and his bride, formerly Miss Edna Goodwin, from a photograph taken for the H. N. S., immediately after their marriage in Boston. Goodwin was but recently divorced from Maxine Elliott.

## STANDARD CASE MUST BE DECIDED BY SUPREME COURT; GOVERNMENT WILL APPEAL

Washington, Nov. 13.—Following the recent action of the Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago in refusing the United States Government a rehearing of the Standard Oil case, made famous by its \$29,000,000 fine, the Department of Justice officials have decided to carry the case to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The decision was reached last night after an all-day conference between Attorney-General Bonaparte and the Government attorneys who have been engaged in the case. It was found that a number of changes had been made in the opinion of the Court of Appeals originally rendered, and that Judge Baker of that Court, had filed a separate concurring opinion, which differed materially in its reasoning from that of Judge Grosscup.

Application will be made to the Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari to bring up and review the action of the Circuit Court of Appeals when that tribunal reconvenes on Monday, November 30.

The following statement was issued late last night by the department immediately following the adjourning of the final conference:

## Woman Speculator Made Deals Involving Millions

New York, Nov. 13.—In the application for a referee to take testimony in a suit brought by the assignees of the brokerage firm of Mills Bros. & Co., to recover \$35,375 from Mrs. Katherine M. Churchman, of Philadelphia, an unusual story of stock trading by a woman was made public.

In a period extending over nearly two years, according to the complaint, Mrs. Churchman had deals amounting to several million dollars. Beginning as a small operator, it was asserted, her sales at times amounted to between \$400,000 and \$500,000, and she stood to win millions. In one year she was said to have profited to the extent of \$100,000 on the market. In the spring of 1907, however, the market went against her, according to the complaint, and she lost. The account was closed out and the assignee

claims that she owed the firm a large sum.

Mrs. Churchman, in her answer makes a general denial and alleges that the firm bought and sold stock without any directions from her.

Supreme Court Justice McCall reserved decision.

## BANQUET TICKETS.

The banquet given for the delegates to the Federation of Commercial clubs is to be a business man's banquet and not confined to Club members. The program is of special interest to all business men, and anyone desiring tickets can secure them at Nichol's book store, Kibbey's Hat store, or from Secretary Haas. The sale will be limited to 200, and first come, first served.

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## LAUGHS EXPLAINED

Financiers Happy Because Roosevelt's New Boss Is Standard Oil Man.

## REPORT NOT CONFIRMED.

New York, Nov. 12.—The cause of loud and hilarious laughter that has been noted in a certain important financial quarter since the announcement of President Roosevelt's engagement as special correspondent of The Outlook, but has not been understood outside this select circle, has leaked out.

The men were laughing because they had reason to believe that the president has contracted to enter the employ of a company in which the largest stockholder if not the man in control is James Stillman, the silent man of the Standard Oil party, the president of the National City bank, the trusted business associate of the "Mafecators of Great Wealth" and the friend, aid, and adviser of that eminently undesirable citizen, E. H. Harriman.

Mr. Stillman is in Paris, but even if he were here it was said it would be impossible to secure corroboration of the report from him. He is disinclined to talk of his business affairs and always has been of that disposition, even to the point of departing for Paris just before the Interstate Commerce investigation of the Harriman lines.

The report accordingly was taken to the offices of the Outlook company, where William B. Howland, the treasurer and one of the directors of the company, refused either to confirm or deny the story. The report has it that Mr. Stillman owns 1,000 shares and was in full control of the stock if he cared to exercise it.

## CURES ECZEMA QUICKLY.

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Since its discovery one year ago the new drug, Postlam, has successfully cured thousands of chronic cases of eczema and other distressing skin afflictions. Heretofore postlam has been dispensed solely for the benefit of eczema patients in large jars sufficient for a month's treatment. This was found to be an inconvenience to many thousands who use it for minor skin troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, herpes, acne, scaly scalp, complexion blemishes, itching feet, piles, etc., which require but a small quantity to cure. To overcome this, and in response to urgent appeals, the dispensers of postlam have been obliged to adopt, in addition to the regular two-dollar package, a special fifty-cent size, which in future may be found on sale at W. H. Sudhoff's and other leading drug stores, in Richmond, or may be ordered direct from the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West 25th Street, New York City. In all eczema cases postlam stops itching with first application, and proceeds to heal immediately; chronic cases being cured in two weeks. In less serious skin troubles, results are seen after an overnight application.

Samples for experimental purposes may still be had, free of charge, by writing to the laboratories for them.

## A Successful Hoax.

One of the most successful hoaxes of history was the mechanical chess player with which Baron Kempelen of Hungary astonished Europe about the year 1760. This was apparently a figure controlled by mechanical devices and which was able, notwithstanding the fact that apparently no intelligence was concerned in its movements and decisions, generally to beat its human antagonists. The cabinet connected with the automaton appeared entirely too small to contain a hidden operator. And yet it did conceal a man, a Polish patriot, who had lost both of his legs. This man, Woronksy by name, was an expert player. With him hidden in the cabinet the rest of the scheme was easy.

"And the clerks gravely stamped him on the stomach and threw him in a compartment along with the provincial newspapers.

"The unfortunate man's friends went to the chief. The chief listened calmly to their tale. Then he said:

"'Was your friend addressed?'

"'No,' they replied.

"'Very well,' said the chief. 'The matter is simple. He will remain for six months in the bureau. At the end of that time, if no one applies for him, he will be burned as a dead letter.'

"Father—but tell me, Alfred, how could you fail again?

Son—Well, you see, we had another examination.

## BRYAN IS THANKFUL

Support of Federation of Labor Appreciated by Nebraskan.

## GOMPERS RECEIVES LETTER

Denver, Nov. 13.—At the close of Thursday's session of the twenty-eighth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor President Samuel Gompers, in thanking the speakers of the day, said that he had heard since coming to Denver that it was intended by the present session of Congress to pass a bill amending the Sherman anti-trust law in a way detrimental to the labor movement. He said if such an attempt was made he would fight it in the halls of Congress.

At the request of Mr. Gompers the Secretary then read a letter from Wm. J. Bryan in which he thanked President Gompers and the other members of the federation for the support given him during the recent Presidential campaign.

## THE THEATER

Howard Hunt Stock—Gennett.

The Howard Hunt Stock company, which opens a week's engagement Monday afternoon, at the Gennett theater is one of the best repertoire companies on the road. Headed by that young romantic actor Howard Hunt, the company will present the following plays during its engagement in this city: "The Two Orphans"; "The Slave Girl"; "Adrift in New York"; "Why Men Sin"; "The Hand That Dragged Her Down"; "Thou Shalt Not Kill"; and "The Power of the Cross." High class vaudeville between acts will be given.

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## The Only One At Last Is Here.

Yesterday it happened. He came, arriving at 4 o'clock. And now he has said he will be here at least a short time and the people can get a chance to see him. It's worth it for the wildest conjectures about his sincerity, knowledge and authority were none too great for he surely knows his calling. There were some who doubted but today that doubt was removed for they had the opportunity of talking to one of the most learned men it has ever been their fortune to converse with.

Ritten, the Rheumaline Expert, showed his hand voluntarily and it was the best on the board. When he began to talk, one instinctively knew they were listening to a man who knew more about what he was talking of than anyone they had ever seen. Ritten gives your money back if you are not benefited and he also pays express charges on mail orders. Rheumaline cures the disease, and costs \$1.00. Rheumaline capsules cost 50¢ and stop the pain. See him. He's the best yet. Get Rheumaline. It removes the cause.

## Shelbyville Has Perpetual Motion Phenomenon in Trough

Shelbyville has a perpetual motion phenomenon. It has been in motion for six years and appearances indicate it will continue so long as the repes which suspend it remain intact. It is not a piece of mechanism that has cost the brain of some genius to contrive and neither is it the pendulum and sphere contrivance. It is just the common tin trough which contains the border lights suspended over the stage in the town opera house. It is a trough similar to those to be found in almost every other opera house and theater in the country. The trough is as long as the stage and contains incandescent electric light bulbs. Three ropes, one at each end and one in the middle hold the trough in position.

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## UTAH A TWIN

## TO FLORIDA

## Contract Let for New U. S. Battleship.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—The navy department has awarded the contract for the building of the battleship Utah to the New York Shipbuilding company, of Camden, N. J.

There were four bidders on this ship the Camden company being the lowest for a vessel of a speed of 20½ knots an hour. Its bid was \$3,946,000.

As designed the displacement of the Utah will be about 21,825 tons. The Utah is a sister ship of the Florida, now being constructed at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

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The suffragette bazaar in London has attracted many visitors to see a model of a Holloway jail cell, which is faithful in all details, even to the prisoner in correct prison uniform. The object of this fair was not only to raise money, but to prove to the general public that the suffragettes who agitate are as capable as women, cooks, artists and dressmakers as their sister women. All the articles sold were the work of the suffragettes and their sympathizers.