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#### CHARACTERS.

#### Original Cast.

LOUIS VII, King of Arcacia	Mr. Eric Lewis.
PRINCE CHARLES FERDINAND,	
his only son, a boy of seven	MASTER DENNY.
PRINCE VICTOR CONSTANTINE,	
Crown Prince of Kurland	Mr. Paul Arthur.
THE DUKE OF BERASCON, A.D.C.	
to the King	Mr. James Erskine.
THE COUNT VERENSA, Prime	
Minister of Arcacia	Mr. Patterson.
BARON HOLDENSEN, Chief Com-	
missioner of Police	Mr. Aubrey Fitzgerald.
THE CARDINAL CASANO, Cardinal	
Archbishop of Caron	Mr. Dion Boucicault.
FATHER ANSELM, his secretary .	Mr. Marsh Allen.
QUEEN MARGARET, Queen-Con-	
sort of Arcacia	Miss Ada Branson.
THE QUEEN FERDINAND, mother	
of King Louis	Mrs, Charles Calvert.
PRINCESS ANGELA, only daughter	
of King Louis 1	Miss Gertrude Elliot.
THE COUNTESS CARINI, Lady-in-	
Waiting	MISS MABEL HACKNEY.
Lords, Ladies, Ambassadors, A.D.	C.'s, Officers, Servants.
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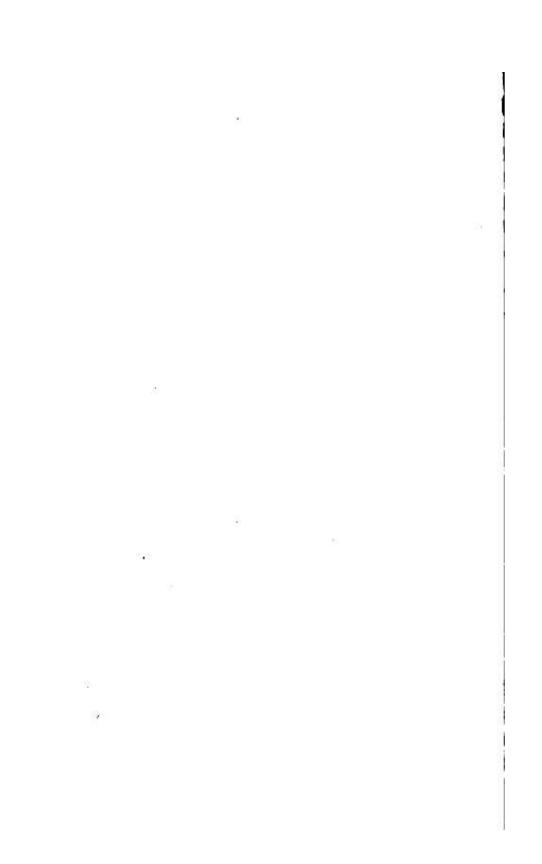
#### PERIOD.-The Present Day.

The Action takes place in Arcacia, of which Caron is the capital.

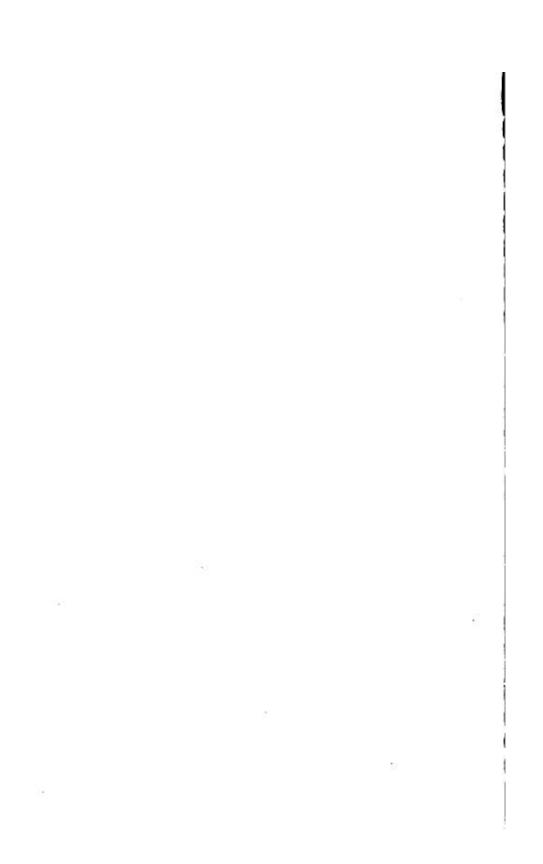
Arcacia and the adjoining country of Kurland are important.

European Powers.

First produced at the Court Theatre on the 14th of October, 1899, under the Management of Messrs. Arthur Chudleigh and Dion Boucicault.







#### SCENERY.

#### ACT I.

Scene.—Caron, Capital of Arcacia. An Ante-Room in the Royal Palace.

Ten days elapse.

#### ACT II.

Scene.—Cassantra. A Glade in the Palace Gardens.

One day elapses.

#### ACT III.

Scene 1.—Caron. The Armoury of the Royal Palace.

Scene 2.—The Throne-Room of the Royal Palace.

Period.—THE PRESENT DAY.

