

THE LOCAL PLAY HOUSES

Are Affording Excellent Entertainment This Week.

The "Embassy Ball" at the Palace Grand - "Aristocracy" at the Orpheum - Simons' Company.

The Palace Grand theater reopened last night under the management of E. H. Porte, and now both play houses are affording excellent entertainment to the public of Dawson. Liberal patronage is being extended to the theatrical enterprises, and the class of amusement is of more than ordinary merit.

At the Grand, the performance commences with the production of an English comedy-drama, in four acts, entitled the "Embassy Ball." The leading role is assumed by Paul Borden, whose return to the stage, after an absence of several weeks, was cordially received by the large and appreciative audience. H. E. O'Brien essays the portrayal of two characters, and acquits himself exceedingly well. Louis Traube likewise plays a double role to excellent advantage. Babet Pyne signals her reappearance by playing well a rather difficult part. Marion Tracy displays ability and versatility in the character of a dashing widow. Trixy Fane appears as the heroine. Alf Clark and Tom Rooney complete the cast.

Seven numbers comprise the olio, which is varied and entertaining. Evaline displays the outlines of a symmetrical figure. Jacqueline appears in an amusing burlesque turn. Bessie Pierce, in addition to her contortion work, executes a Persian dance. Marion Tracie renders some excellent vocal selections. Rooney and Forrester produce a skit, entitled "Plantation Life Revealed." Paul Borden performs an exceedingly clever turn.

At the Orpheum, the entertainment begins with the performance of "Aristocracy," a comedy in two acts. The part of Jasper Plum is played by Alf Layne. Stephen Plum is portrayed by G. L. Hillyer. Frederick Plum is essayed successfully by Frank Gardner. Fred Breen appears as Toby Twinkle. The role of Sir Arthur Lasell is assumed by Robert Lawrence. Blossom interprets the character of Martha. Dot Pyne and Julia Wolcott appear as Lady Valeria and Lady Letherbridge respectively.

The olio forms an excellent feature of the evening's entertainment. Sadie Taylor performs a turn which is received with favor. Nellie Forsythe sings popular ballads. Dot Pyne is good in her specialty act. Beatrice Lorne renders two operatic selections. Garnett does a clever song and dance. Eddie Dolan is inimitable in his original number.

The program is concluded by the production of a farce comedy, entitled "Duffy's Blunders." The piece affords great amusement on account of its ludicrous situations and humorous lines.

Frank Simons is expected to arrive in Dawson on the next steambot, which arrives from Lower Lebarge. The following players comprise his theatrical company: Mabel Cassidy, Ida Wyatt, Mattie Webb, F. Lillian Grant, Ida Miller, Bertha Sanger, Winnie Colfax, the Perl Sisters, Horace Mann, Frederick Hobbs, John Cassidy and Seymour.

Miner's Birthday Sports.
Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock the executive committee having in charge the celebration of the Queen's birthday, will convene in regular session at the Yukon Club. It will receive and consider the reports of all of the sub-committees.

In addition to the events which have been advertised, there will occur caber tossing and hammer throwing contests.

The race track for horses will be arranged on First avenue, between the bridge across the slough and a point opposite the C. D. Co.'s warehouse. Several entries have been made, and this portion of the program promises to be quite interesting.

Sybil for Whitehorse.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the C. D. Co.'s elegant steamer Sybil, left here for Whitehorse with the mail and a large number of passengers. It is thought that by the time she reaches Lebarge the ice will all be out and there will be nothing to prevent her making a speedy trip to her destination. The following is the Sybil's passenger list:

Mrs. B. Scott, Jas. Green, A. E. Price, F. Phiscator, J. D. Stevens, Arvid Leed, Dell McCord, Louis Couture, Robert French, C. L. Hogan, A. Schulzinger, S. Schulzinger, Robert Lowry, J. D. Tabor, J. W. Degnan, P. C. Ew-

ing, L. Prater, W. J. Ansted, Mrs. Fustell, N. Paulson, J. H. McKnight, H. M. Martin, H. R. Barbour, Wm. Kragney, S. Briggs, D. A. Hard, P. Rosell, A. Rosell, M. Murray, J. Gorman, J. Rose, F. E. Smith, A. Bruce, Wm. Pickard, Tom Dignon, W. H. Connors, G. Kittleson, T. M. Daniels, H. M. Martins and Mrs. C. W. Bowhay.

Salesman Carter Improving.

L. O. Carter, the Nugget street salesman who has been confined at St. Mary's hospital for the past week, is so far recovered that he hopes to be able to resume his work in a couple more days. He speaks in highest praise of the treatment accorded him by the Sisters during his illness.

Gold Commissioner's Court.

The trial of the case of David W. Cullen and Harold C. Blankhom, plaintiffs, vs. the Yukon Corporation, Ltd., defendant, was concluded by Commissioner Senkler today. This action involves a dispute respecting the boundary between No. 40 Eldorado and the adjoining hillside on the left limit. Decision on the issue has been reserved.

BRIEF MENTION.

Dan Hayes is visiting the city.

Martin Kennedy is in town on business.

Charles Dempsey is spending a few days in town.

J. Slater came to the city from the creeks yesterday.

C. E. Kent is enjoying a short vacation in town.

George M. McLeod is registered at the McDonald.

Fred Webster is among the guests at the Hotel McDonald.

Frank Kelly, the comedian, is greeting his Dawson acquaintances.

A. J. Johnson was admitted yesterday to the Good Samaritan hospital.

J. G. Zimmerman is shaking hands with his Dawson acquaintances.

Mrs. P. J. Mahoney, of Sulphur creek, is visiting friends in the city.

Capt. Starnes left today for Sulphur creek. He will make the trip on horseback.

Silas Archibald was discharged last evening as convalescent from the Good Samaritan hospital.

William Madden, mining inspector on Hunker creek, is a patient at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Louis Couture was a passenger today on the Sybil for Whitehorse. He will transact some business there and then return to Dawson.

Tyrell and Greene have removed their offices to the corner of First avenue and First street, where is situated the building part of which is occupied by the United States' consul.

In this column yesterday it was stated that the Orpheum theater would open under the management of E. H. Porte. This is a mistake; it was intended to make the assertion regarding the Palace Grand theater.

Numerous Litigations.

A large number of complaints are now being made before the police magistrate by laboring men who, after toiling like exile convicts for several months, are now fearful of not obtaining pay for the same without invoking the aid of the law. It is a fact that in many instances efforts have been made and are being made to beat the laborers out of their hard-earned money, but in the majority of cases the bills are being paid as the gold is taken from the dumps.

A Wrong Impression.

Since Sergeant Wilson has placed a gang of prisoners to work on the streets many merchants are complaining that when the government lets any of its property for advertising purposes it should call for bids and not show any favors to a particular firm or business industry, but that all should have an equal showing. These objectors are probably honest in making a kick, but they are doing the government an unjust injury, as the "P. P." on the osoms of the prisoners' pants is not an advertisement for Parsons Produce.

Abraham Outwitted.

A good story is told on a son of Abraham in this city who recently saw a chance to make "five tollar" by cashing with gold dust a check payable in the currency of the realm. When the check was presented at the bank and the reply "no funds" was heard, there was great lamentation in Israel.

Other Worthless Paper.

M. I. Stevens, who left Dawson at 1 o'clock Sunday morning, is accompanied on his journey down the river by Fred T. Richardson and G. S. Chamberlain. Since yesterday it has been learned that Richardson and Chamberlain, immediately before their departure also negotiated worthless checks among the local merchants. The paper was signed by Richardson and drawn on the Bank of British North America, at which financial institution the maker had no funds. The worthless checks were circulated by Chamberlain. Among those who were cheated by the fraudulent scheme are Hamburger and Weissberg; they advanced \$75 to the young swindlers.

Both Richardson and Chamberlain are

well-known around the saloons and gambling rooms of Dawson. They seem to have followed no regular profession nor business; and their livelihood was procured from places of ill-resort.

Music! Music! For the next 15 days we will give a discount of 20 per cent off all music and musical instruments; making room for new stock. Cribbs & Rogers, druggists, opp. Palace Grand.

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A Snap.

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