

AT THE LOCAL THEATERS.

Excellent Entertainment is Afforded to the Public.

Good Program at the Orpheum— Varied Olio and "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the Grand.

Large audiences attended the performances at the local play houses last night. The excellent programs afforded good entertainment; and the new members were received by the spectators with great applause. The theatrical managers are to be congratulated on their efforts to maintain the standard of amusement; and the liberal patronage which is being extended to their enterprises, evidences that the public is appreciative.

At the Orpheum, the performance commences with the production of the English comedy drama, "Lost in London." The play consists of three acts and seven scenes. The cast is exceptionally strong. All the players are well read in their lines, and frequent rehearsals, under the direction of Mr. Frank P. Gardner, have qualified them to act their parts to perfection. The role of Job Armoyd is assumed by Robert Lawrence. The character of Guilbert Featherstone is vividly portrayed by Mr. Gardner. Fred Breen humorously interprets the part of Benjamin Blinker. Alf Layne appears as Jack Longbones. Blossom is exceptionally good as Nellie Armoyd. Julia Walcott's interpretation of Tilly Draggletnorp is above criticism. Others whose efforts help to make the piece a success, are Mamie Hightower, Daisy D'Avara, A. L. Lewis and Sam Jones.

The olio is varied and entertaining. Nellie Forsythe and Caprice comprise a vocal team which renders some excellent descriptive ballads. Lulu Watts is very clever in her serio comic specialties. Sadie Taylor's rag time singing is received with favor by the people of Dawson. Blossom and Dot Pyne appear to great advantage in several original sketches. Beatrice Lorne in classical vocal selections, is a leading feature of the entertainment. Eddie Dolan's imitable work is ludicrously funny. Fred Breen amuses the audience with good comedy.

The evening's performance concludes with a laughable act, entitled "Andy and Me," in which Robert Lawrence, Eddie Dolan and Alf Layne appear as characters. None who attend the Orpheum will be disappointed with this week's program.

The initial production at the Palace Grand is Eddie O'Brien's burlesque comedy, "Two Outlaws." The piece affords splendid opportunities to Jacqueline, Evaline and Garnett to display their symmetrical figures. Eddie O'Brien and John Mulligan afford excellent entertainment by their burlesque portrayal of the characters of Yukon Ike and Klondike Jack, respectively. Annie O'Brien assumes one of the leading roles. The others in the cast are Archie League, Munis Leo, Harry O'Brien, Alice Jennings and Carrie Linton.

The olio is comprised of 13 numbers, each of which is exceedingly meritorious. Cassie Carter, a little child about 6 years old, displays wonderful capabilities as a dancer. Robert Wingate and Louis Simonsen appear for the first time before a Dawson audience. Their musical act is novel and exceptionally good. Munis Leo performs with ease and grace the most difficult feats on a trapeze. James Duncan, an aerial artist, introduces a new specialty on the flying rings. John Mulligan evidences his great versatility in a new turn. Will Howard executes a fire baton drill. Bessie Pierce appears in a contortion act. Carrie Linton renders vocal selections, which are illustrated in the most beautiful manner. Jacqueline and Evaline perform a vaudeville act which is much appreciated. Garnett displays talent in a novel specialty. Cecil Marion delights her auditors by the rendition of classical vocal selections. May Walker sings several popular songs. The O'Brien family produce a character sketch entitled "The Dancing Girl." This piece serves to introduce a boxing contest between Eddie O'Brien and Alice Jennings.

At the conclusion of the olio, "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is performed by a cast of excellent players. The dramatic situations in the play are produced with wonderful realism, and great interest is maintained by the spectators. The cast of characters is as follows. Uncle Tom, John Mulligan; Simon Legree, George Hillyer; Phineas Fletcher, J. Leo Shaw; Lawyer Marks, Eddie O'Brien; George Harris, Archie League; St. Clair, Harry O'Brien; Tom Loker,

James Duncan, Haley, Frank Howard; Skeggs the auctioneer, B. Ferguson; Eliza Harris, Lucy Lovell; Aunt Ophelia, Carrie Linton; Harry St. Clair, Alice Jennings; Eva, Cassie Carter; Emeline, May Walker; Aunt Chloe, Cassie, and Topsy, Conchita.

Easter Services.

Easter services Sunday were held in all the churches, special programs having been arranged for the day. At St. Paul's Episcopal church the audience was so large that many could not be accommodated with even standing room, and were forced to go elsewhere. Rev. Naylor conducted the services which were very impressive. The Yukon field force band furnished the music, and the choir rendered special selections appropriate for the day. Many ladies were present and the number and variety of Easter costumes worn formed a most attractive picture.

Many New Eagles.

At a regular meeting of the Eagles Sunday 11 novitiates took the wings, received the chaplain's blessing and were made full-fledged birds of prey. The attendance at both the afternoon and evening sessions was large, fully 175 Eagles being present. The new officers all have their respective work well in hand, and the aerie is in a most flourishing condition. A social session at night terminated the successful day's business.

Second Avenue Improvement.

Mr. Timmons, who conducts a large grocery establishment on Second avenue, is making some improvements in regard to his store. He has torn down the front part of his building, and will replace it with large plate glass windows. He contemplates making a display of fancy groceries that will excel anything of the kind ever seen in Dawson.

The Firemen's Ball.

Extensive preparations are being made for the grand ball which is to be given by the members of the fire department at Golden's Exchange next Friday evening. The new building affords excellent accommodations for the many persons who will attend. The ball room will be appropriately decorated, and the affair promises to be one of the notable events of the season. A delicious lunch will be served to the guests, and nothing will be left undone in order to insure enjoyment to the friends of the department. The price of tickets is \$5.00. They can be secured from Reid & Co.'s drug store, or from any member of the fire department.

Free Library Concert.

The usual periodical free concert was given in the public reading room last night. Following is the program:

Banjo selection, Mr. Atwood; recitation, "Bivouac of the Dead," Corp. Longstreet; song, "The Diver," Dr. Macdonald; reading, "Red Riding Hood," Mrs. Moore; song, "I will Take Thee Home Again," Mrs. Burke; violin cello selection, Mr. McKay; recitation, "Teslin Trail," Private Green, instrumental selection, Mrs. Hetherington; glee, "Hail Smiling Morn," Mrs. Davison, Mrs. Thompson and Dr. Macdonald; recitation, "Coster Monger," Mr. M. Martin; "God Save the Queen."

Among those present were: Madames Perry, McCauley, Perkins, Arnold, Thompson, Davison, Seely, the Misses de Lobel, Misses Freeman, Robinson and Perry; Messrs. Arnold, Perkins, Elderton, Fell, Rev. Hetherington, Dr. A. Thompson, Capts. Thacker, Stewart and Dr. Macdonald and Col. MacGregor, who presided during the evening.

Macdonald Potts, Manager.

The B. L. & K. N. Co., is now a thing of the past having been absorbed by the Klondike Corporation, Ltd. This company is going to operate on large lines the coming season, having unlimited capital and in all probabilities embracing all the smaller craft which plied upon the lakes and river between Dawson and Bennett.

Macdonald Potts has been elected the general manager of the concern. It was largely through his efforts that the company has assumed its present proportions. Although a young man, this gentleman has shown himself to be possessed of the qualities necessary for the successful handling of large enterprises, and before the season closes his company will, without doubt, have earned an enviable reputation in the transportation world. The Dawson offices of the company are at Lancaster & Calderhead's warehouse on Fourth street, with Mr. Calderhead as local agent.

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POLICE COURT NEWS.

Capt. Starnes had a full court this morning, the docket being very much diversified with cases both civil and criminal.

Gustav Bovard, a man who was up more than a week ago on the charge of living on the earnings of dissonate women, and whose case has been heard at various sessions of the court since, was up this morning and what he got will keep him out of court and away from his former haunts for some time to come. The sentence imposed on Bovard was that he perform hard labor for the next six months.

John Anderson yesterday and last night looked at the ceiling through the bottom of numerous hootch glasses until 11 o'clock, when he was thrown from the Bank saloon into the arms of a policeman. With the usual dark-brown taste, Anderson acknowledged the corn this morning, with the result that the royal exchequer was increased \$10, which, with the costs, was paid in preference to manipulating a saw ten days in the royal fuel factory.

In the case of Fisher vs. Welch for \$50 alleged to be due for services performed, little progress was made before it was summarily dismissed at plaintiff's cost. The occasion for the dismissal was that the defence presented an iron-clad contract a yard or more in length which Fisher had signed, agreeing to take his pay at the cleanup whether previously discharged or not.

Another Fisher had better success, as he was awarded judgment by default against M. W. Frank for \$177.10 for labor performed. In awarding judgment the court stated that it desires to impress the public mind with the fact that summonses issued from the court must not be ignored. In the above case, Frank failed to put in an appearance.

The case of Harv. y Beckwith, prosecuting witness, against Matheson, a Hunker creek merchant and roadhouse proprietor, for the alleged taking of various articles not his own, was partially heard this morning; but before the aforesaid Harry was through with his testimony, the court brought things to a round turn by dismissing the case as one which had no business on the criminal docket; it appearing by the evidence of the prosecution that there was no criminal intent on the part of Matheson. In dismissing the case the court took occasion to severely censure those who, on the least provocation, rush to the police court with the cry "thief."

Engine House Removed.

The house, which served to enclose the fire engine during the winter, has been removed from the river. A tent has been erected, and the engine will remain in its old position until the Klondike breaks; then it will be taken to the river bank opposite the A. C. Co.'s store.

Ladies' belt purses. Pioneer drug store.

Can This Be True?

The Hogs have by common consent made the Pioneer their rendezvous for the discussion of questions which requires an arbitrator. George Butler has been acting in that capacity until recently, but it was discovered he had joined their enemy, the Eagles. Now they have brought charges of smuggling against Butler, they claiming it is impossible to sell liquor at 25 cents a glass at his house, and do it legitimately, as the quality of the goods precludes the possibility of doing a lucrative trade at that price, if purchased in the usual mart of commerce. It is not known whether or not they have brought the matter to the attention of the authorities.

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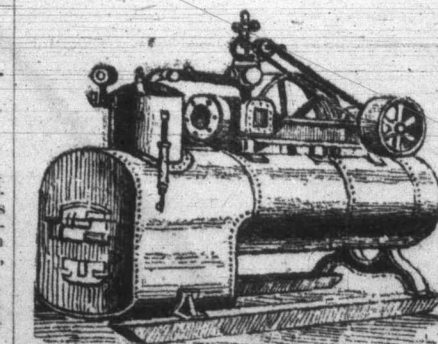
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