

AT THE LOCAL PLAY HOUSES

First Class Entertainment Being Presented This Week.

"Jim the Penman" at Standard, Hot Time at Savoy and Nigger Minstrels at Orpheum.

From Tuesday's Daily.
As usual the Standard theater opened its week's engagement to a crowded house presenting for the first time in Dawson the four act emotional drama "Jim, the Penman," Edwin R. Lang as James Ralston, known as Jim the Penman and Lucy Lovell as Nina (Mrs. Ralston) appear in the title roles and are very ably supported by A. R. Thorne as Baron Hartfield, Robert Lawrence as Louis Percival, Mm. Mullen as Capt. Redwood, Al T. Layne as Lord Drelingcourt, G. W. Bowman as Jack Ralston, Fred C. Lewis as Mr. Chapman, Q. C. and Mr. Neterby, M. P., George Troxwell as Dr. Pettywise, Harry O'Brien as John (a servant), Vivian as Agnes Ralston, Julia Walcott as Lady Dunscombe and Daisy D'Avara as Mrs. Chapstone.

While Vivian appears in a minor role this week there is enough good work in the part to display her versatility as an actress.

Julia Walcott also shows her excellent qualities as an actress in the way she delineates the character of Lady Dunscombe. The whole cast is one of the strongest which has yet been produced and this play is interesting throughout.

The synopsis of the play is as follows:

Acts 1 and 2—Mrs. Ralston's apartments in the town house of the Ralstons in Regent Park, London.

Acts 3 and 4—Reception room at Ardleigh Court, the Ralston's residence.

During the intermission between the first and second acts, Cad Wilson appears in one of her specialties. Miss Lillian Haynes between the second and third acts and between the third and fourth acts. Beatrice Lorne the Dawson nightingale, who after more than a year in Dawson, has lost none of her first popularity, charms the audience by the clearness and sweetness of her voice.

The orchestra under the direction of Wm. E. Brannon renders the following well chosen selections: Kadetsky march, Strauss; L'Estudiantina waltz, Waldteufel; selection from Opera Brenani, Verdi; overture—Light cavalry, Von Suppe.

Thursday night as usual will be family night and no doubt a large number will take advantage of it to see the excellent play being produced this week.

The Savoy theater presents a big show to its patrons this week. The performance opens with a burlesque by John A. Flynn entitled "Kokomo, King of the Garbage Islands," introducing Jennie Guichard and Savoy Gaiety Girls. This piece is in two scenes and throughout is full of sparkling wit, clever dances and funny situations. The special features are Miss Dollie Paxton in songs, Post and Ashley in one of their original sketches and the "Girls from Paris" is a grand finale.

The olio which follows the burlesque is one of considerable length and includes all of the old favorites and some new talent.

Celia De Lacy and Cecil Marion the artist vocalists head the olio followed by Julia Winchell the song and dance queen; Elaine Forrest the sweet songstress, Nat Darling the versatile comedian, Josie Gordon in clever melodies, Lillian Walthers in operatic selections, Jennie Guichard the burlesque artist, Myrtle Drummond the contortion dancer and Walthers and Forrest the favorite duettists, make a very exceptionally good program. Last night noted the reappearance of the sweet-toned balladist, Dorothy Campbell in late selections, who was given a hearty reception.

The entertainment closes with Billy Evans' masterpiece entitled "Home Comforts" which is a bright, clever comedy, a provoker of mirth and a fitting piece with which to end the program. The Savoy undoubtedly will have a large patronage the balance of the week.

With new jokes, new songs and clever dances the Orpheum minstrel show this week is about the best ever seen in Dawson. Those who make it a success and an enjoyment to the audience are:

Interlocutor, Clothilde Rodgers; tambos, Onslow and Duncan; bones, Maurettus and Hearde; principal endmen, Maurettus and Onslow; comic, May Stanley; balladist, May Miner; comic, Billy Onslow; nightingale, Pearl Lloyd; eccentric toe dancer, Jane Weaver; Georgia comic shouter, Madge Melville; comic reciter, R. Maurettus; sweet song singer, Ray Eldridge; comic, J. H. Hearde; finale, grand challenge buck and wing dancing contest between May Stanley and J. H. Hearde.

After the minstrel comes the olio headed by Blanche Cammetta and including Mae Stanley, Clothilde Rodgers, Larry Bryant, Garsel, Edith Montrose in "A Farmer's Wife" words and music

composed by herself; Madge Melville; Eddie Dolan, Kate Rockwell, Dolly Mitchell, James Duncan in a thrilling exhibition on the Spanish rings and Madame Lloyd in operatic selections.

Dolan and Maurettus present as a closing piece their comedy, entitled "Two Men From Sandy Bar," which concludes with a roaring finale called "Come on Boys, We Won't Go Home Until Morning."

FRATERNAL EXPANSION

A. B.'s go to Eagle and Institute a Camp.

Saturday afternoon the Dome Commission Co.'s elegant steamer Clifford Sifton left Dawson, with 75 members and friends of the Arctic Brotherhood aboard for Eagle City where a new camp of the order was instituted.

The citizens of Eagle City proved themselves to be made of the same energetic material which is found in all parts of this country, for, notwithstanding the shortness of the time in which they had to prepare for the reception of the excursionists, everything was found to be in readiness upon their arrival.

The boat with the excursionists aboard arrived at Eagle City about 12 o'clock Saturday night and found the citizens of that place at the dock awaiting them. As the boat was scheduled to return to Dawson on Sunday night the members of the Brotherhood immediately repaired to the courthouse where the installation ceremonies occurred, a number of the citizens of Eagle making the acquaintance of Hericness the arctic queen, among whom were Lieut. Erickson and Lieut. Tillman of the U. S. army stationed at Fort Egbert, W. B. Rodman, W. P. Brandon, Ernest Fay, C. M. Johansson and Albert B. Heilig. After the ceremonies everyone adjourned to the home of Mr. French where a most sumptuous luncheon had been prepared by the citizens who proved themselves to be first-class entertainers. The boat started on her return at 9:30 in the morning and the cheers of the Eagleites from the shore resounded to with vigor by those on the boat and also the singing of American patriotic songs.

With music and singing and card parties the time was very pleasantly passed by those on board and the trip was in every way a most successful and enjoyable one.

Among the excursionists were: R. J. Davis, Mrs. Farr, Mrs. H. C. Davis, H. C. Davis, Geo. Murbarger, Mrs. Geo. Murbarger, W. H. B. Lyons, R. M. Crawford, Mrs. R. M. Crawford, Frank Mortimer, Mrs. Frank Mortimer, L. L. James, Mrs. L. James, Bennett James, Leander James, E. L. Webster, J. G. Boyd, Mrs. J. G. Boyd, James L. Gray, M. F. Matson, M. W. Kohm, Mrs. M. W. Kohm, W. E. Burritt, Mrs. Beatty, Miss Beatty, Ed. Orr, Mrs. Orr, Miss Taggart, Mr. Tukey, Chas. Taylor, Wm. Proyah, Dr. Sutherland, Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Schaffer, Mr. Greene, Mrs. Greene, W. H. Welch, J. A. Segbeis, Geo. Mero, Mrs. Geo. Mero, H. Otis, Mrs. Dr. Sutherland, T. H. Heath, Mrs. T. H. Heath, B. A. Dodge, Mrs. Goetzman, F. W. Clayton, W. B. Lomox, M. Adler, C. Adler, E. B. Zabriskie, J. A. Donald, Dr. C. H. Wells, W. P. Allen and R. Rodiger.

A Creditable Issue.

A copy of the first annual trade issue of the Whitehorse Star, by Rousseau & McEachan, editors and owners, has reached the Nugget office. The paper is a credit not only to its publishers but to the town of Whitehorse and her enterprising citizens who made possible the compilation and publishing of so complete and exhaustive an advertisement for the town and its various industries. The publication is an index of the general prosperity which the upper metropolis is enjoying and confidently expects to enjoy in the future.

Announcement.

Mr. Falcon Joslin and Mr. Cortlandt Starnes (late of the Northwest Mounted Police) have much pleasure in announcing to their friends and the public that they have entered into a partnership, under the firm name of Joslin & Starnes, to continue the brokerage and agency business that Mr. Joslin has for the past four years carried on in Dawson.

Messrs. Joslin & Starnes are prepared to receive money for investment, to look after real, personal or mining properties for owners, collect rents, negotiate loans and sales, care for property for non-residents, and to do any work in the line of general brokerage. The firm will occupy new offices—now being arranged for them, on the ground floor in the building on Second street, next to the Bank of B. N. A.

BONANZA AND ELDORADO.

Mrs. Ella Hunter, of 26 below Bonanza, has sold all her interests in the Yukon and will leave for the outside in a few days. Mrs. Hunter had the misfortune to lose both husband and child while here, and will take the boat with her to the States.

Mr. Fred Tiemeyer of Grand Forks, is now sole proprietor of the German bakery of that place, having purchased Mr. Bell's interest. Fred has lots of friends and will do a big business this summer.

Mr. Skiff Mitchell is putting a big plant on 30 above Bonanza consisting of a 40-horse power boiler, steam scraper, one 6-inch and one 2 1/2-inch centrifugal pump, and will work a large force of men this summer. R. E. Lignori who is setting up the plant will have charge of the same.

Messrs. Hestwood and Rhodes who have just returned from the outside, where they have spent the winter tra-

veling throughout the U. S. will put a large force of men to work at once on 59 below Bonanza and 21 and 23 above Bonanza.

Messrs. Borden and Day sent an immense boiler up to their claim at 3 below Bonanza. It took ten horses several days to get it up the creeks.

Mr. Henry J. Powers, general manager of all the mining interests of the Cudahy Packing Co., in the Yukon, says he will have 200 men at work on Hunter, Dominion, Bonanza and Eldorado this summer. Mr. Powers has been with this firm for the past five years, and the complimentary letters received from president of the firm at Chicago show that Mr. Powers is thoroughly conversant with all branches of the mining business. It may be interesting to the many readers of the Nugget to know that the Cudahy Packing Co., of which the N. A. T. & T. Co., of this country is but a small branch, has 38,000 men in its employ.

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