

THE THEATRES THIS WEEK

All Have Entertainment of Pleasing Order

And in Harmony With Holiday Week—Crowded Houses Greet First Production of Programs.

At the Standard this week the four-act emotional drama "Esmeralda" is being produced by the Standard stock company, headed by Vivian and Lang. The play was received with such general approval when it was produced before and the requests for its reproduction were so many that the management had no hesitancy in putting it on again, which is being done in a manner creditable to the management and very acceptable to the public, many new features being added since the former production.

The cast and synopsis of the play is as follows:

Esmeralda, Vivian; Mrs. Rodgers, Julia Walcott; Nora Desmond, Daisy D'Avara; Kate Desmond, Lucy Lovell; Mary the housemaid, Gladys Gates; Mr. Esterbrook, Fred C. Lewis; Mr. Rodgers, Alf. T. Layue; Mr. Drew, Wm. Muller; Jack Desmond, Harry O'Brien, Marquis, Robert Lawrence; Dave Hardy, Edwin R. Lang.

Act 1.—Prospecting—The man and the mistress—Petitcoat government—Buying a farm—Five hundred for a farm—Ten thousand for silence—The sacrifice of an honest man—Father Rogers as a consolator—Sweet Esmeralda.

Act 2.—A study in art—The meeting of old friends—A breach of confidence—A stranger among strangers—Breaking the news—The power of love—A revelation—Wealth and Esmeralda.

Act 3.—Woman's wants and woman's obstinacy—Love and ice—Reviving old subjects—The margins, and "the man from North Carolina"—The woman and the man assert themselves—"Taint for you to touch her, I'm her father."

Act 4.—The study in art continued—Interrupted love continued—Dispelling illusions—Dave is rich—Mother, shake hands—The little house finds a tenant and we are together—Back in our little home in North Carolina.

Between the acts Gladys Gates, May Walker, Cad Wilson and Beatrice Lorne appear in specialties.

The orchestra under the leadership of Wm. E. Brannon renders the following excellent selections: March, "Chicago Athletic Club," Maurice; "Southern Plantation, Medley," Boetger; overture, "Italians in Algiers," Rossini; ragtime Melodies, Meckie.

The Savoy theater this week headed by John Flynn and the Savoy Safety Girls is producing an entertainment which is termed "By all odds the brightest, cleanest, most wholesome and most entertaining program ever offered the Dawson public."

The entertainment opens with a burlesque by John A. Flynn entitled "A Dress Rehearsal," in which the following take part: Soubrette, Jennie Guichard; leading lady, Celia DeLacy; the French maids, Carrie Winchell, Josie Gordon, Cecil Marion, Lewi Watts, Miss Tenn, Dorothy Campbell, Lu Wheeler, May Ashley; the manager, Jas. Townsend; the heavy man, Jas. Post; the property man, Jobn A. Flynn.

The piece concludes with the Highland fling and a grand cake walk.

A long and entertaining olio follows in which Miss Dollie Paxton the descriptive singer makes her first appearance at this house. She is followed by Walthers and Forrest the ever popular duettists; Sadie Taylor, the clever entertainer, Nat Darling the singing comedian, Celia DeLacy, the Winchell Twins in their song-and-dance specialty, Post and Ashley in one of their clever sketches, Myrtle Drummond the contortionist, Jennie Guichard and Miss Josie Gordon who makes her first appearance at the Savoy, making a program of strength and merit.

The evening's entertainment closes with Billy Ryans' farce comedy entitled "A Rough House," the action of which is synonymous with its name and provokes no end of amusement.

The entertainment throughout is excellent and is sure to have a large patronage through the week.

The Orpheum has not lost any of its popularity since its reopening and last night, as usual, opened this week's engagement to a crowded house.

The evening's performance commenced with J. H. Hearde's interpretation of a "Rag Time Reception," in which he is assisted by the following characters: The Black Side Kicker, J. H. Hearde; Bronco Bill, Larry Bryant; Mr. Donohue, Ed. Dolan; Mr. Donohue's wife, Lola Glenn; Member of the Hockey Club, Madge Melville; his sweetheart, Madam Lloyd; Mascot of the Rag Time Reception, Clare Wilson; queen of the chappies, Stanley and Garnet; phenomenal entertainer, Blanche Cametta; the rag time baby, Allie Faine; a Black Misunderstanding, Kate Rockwell.

The olio which follows includes Doty Mitchell the queen of ragtime

artists, Mae Stanley, Colthilde Rogers, Allie Delmar, Bryant and Onslow in their knock-about sketch "We're Friends Now," Eddie Dolan the popular comedian, Madge Melville, Kate Rockwell, J. H. Hearde in a new sketch specialty called the "Black Chinaman", Blanche Cametta and Madam Lloyd the operatic soprano. Duncan and Garnet in their clever acrobatic and contortion work make the hit of the evening.

The show concludes with Eddie Dolan's extraordinarily laughable farce entitled "McGinty's Troubles" which brings down the house.

The Orpheum orchestra is a fine musical organization and during the intermission plays some very fine pieces.

LAST REPORTS SUBMITTED

By the Various Victoria Day Committee.

The executive committee of the Victoria day sports met at the Board of Trade rooms last evening to receive the final reports of the various subcommittees. Col. MacGregor was in the chair.

The secretary reported that the grandstand committee had let the contract of erecting the grandstand to Mr. Connolly, and the work was nearing completion. The terms of the contract were: Contractor to erect the grandstand at his own expense, the committee to receive 25 per cent of the gross proceeds. The exclusive right to sell soft drinks, etc., on the grandstand and within the ring was sold to Mr. Bourman for the sum of \$50. The grandstand would seat close on 2000 people, and the committee had decided to reserve about 400 seats at an admission fee of \$2, the general admission being \$1.

Mr. Maurice Marsden was added to the printing committee.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon reported that the parade committee had made very complete arrangements for a successful turnout. The streets would be in good condition, and nearly every institution in the city had promised to take part.

The decorating of the grand stand was given to Mr. Townsend, \$100 being set aside for that purpose, of which Mr. Connolly, the contractor, offered to pay half.

On the motion of Messrs. W. M. McKay and J. A. Clarke, the sum of \$50 was appropriated for the making of a float for the children in the parade. The chair and Mr. Hugh McKinnon and the secretary were appointed a committee with full power to deal with any or all matters pertaining to the sports that may arise between this date and the day of the meeting.

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SEEING IS BELIEVING

Many Can Not Believe Published Reports of Garbage.

There are people in Dawson who even yet doubt the oft-published statement to the effect that garbage from all parts of the city is now, by direction of the medical health officer, hauled to the Klondike river and at the instigation of that official dumped into the Klondike river only a few feet above the mouth of the ditch which the council had constructed a year ago for the purpose of draining the barracks slough of filth instead of carrying more into it. A visit to the place which is probably 50 feet east of the toll bridge will convince the most skeptical that the refuse of the city, instead of being sent up in a balloon to spill out and scatter over the town, is being hauled to a point above where it will goe back through the ditch and slough that leads through a densely populated portion of the city, while much of the portion that misses the slough will linger on the bar in front of the barracks or find its way into the eddy in front of the city and there remain a pestilential-breeding aggregation of filth, refuse and ofal.

Where the dump now is, the water of the Klondike having receded, there remains several tons of garbage and unless the water in the river again becomes very high, it is there for the season if not cleared away by hand.

Verily, there be things past finding out, and the motive for dumping the refuse of the city above rather than below it is one of them.

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Boosters, Attention!

A meeting of the Boosters' union is called for 11 o'clock tonight in one of half-filled-with-ice cabins on the hill east of the A. C. trail. Business of importance will be up for transaction at the meeting, a full report of which will appear in the Stroller's column tomorrow. Entrance to the place of meeting will be through a hole in the roof. The password for tonight is "Scurvy."

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REMARKABLE PICTURES.

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The big block of ice forms the foreground in a most striking picture of the ice jam at that point. The negative is one foot square and 14 different views of the subject has been taken. These pictures are the finest photos of ice in the Yukon ever taken and are worthy of the most careful preservation.

The old standby, Seal of North Carolina, is always generously good.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor Pioneer Drug Store.

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Y. O. O. P. Notice.

All members of the Yukon Order of Pioneers are requested to meet at their hall at 9 a. m., May 24th, and form an order for their position in the line of march of the procession on Victoria day. By order of the

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