ALLEGED SHORTAGE.

But There Is No Apparent Ground for the Rumor.

There was a rumor afloat in San Francisco on Saturday that a shortage had been found in the finances of the Home for Adult Blind, in Oakland.

So far, however, there appears to be no ground for the rumor. There is a deficiency in the fund, because the broom factory is running at a loss owing to the existence of an unwise contract for materials, but this is a very different thing from a shortage.

Expert Thomas A. Lewis, of the State Board of Examiners, has been going over the books of the home during the past week, but has reported nothing thus far that would give any apprehension of loose methods. He places the deficiency at between $4,000 and $5,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

There was a good house at the Metropolitan Theater last night, the first of the Jerome Company in the farce-comedy, "A Jay in New York." It is a screaming farce in three acts. As for plot, that was left in New York evidently. But that is little matter, for the company is one of the cleverest of grouped specialists, and it keeps the audience in a roar of laughter throughout the acts. It is a clean thing, too, very neat, very satirical and very musical also, with several good singers, and all when in chorus are especially good. The coon-song singing is of the best. In short, the company is a surprise in its specialty work. Playing at very cheap prices, the announcement would lead one to think the company cheap, but it is far from that, and the audience last night was a unit in that verdict, and approved by encores to weariness and applause to a surfeit. Jerome himself is a comedian and satirist, and in burlesque of Mr. Depew makes a hit from the start. His wit is fresh, his humor novel and his jokes new. In fact, there is nothing ancient in the piece. Harry Taft, one of the specialists, is a wonderful whistler and imitator—the best we have heard. Maud Nugent, the composer of popular ballads, is a good soprano and neat soubrette, and sings her song, "Mamie Reilly," charmingly. Clint and Bessie Robbins do a double act of singing and dancing, with operatic burlesque, that is notable; the German imitations of the latter are extremely funny. Laura Wilson and Carrie Massoney are very neat in a double act. Clint Robbins, in a female character, does some of the most laughable of burlesque work, and he is equally good in male comedy work. W. C. Davis as Maurice Barrymore is successful in burlesque hits upon a noted dramatic artist, and as a dancing, is also superior. Nick Conway is another good low comedian. The burlesque of Sousa's band is a very laughable thing, but the best of the "take-offs" is that on the rescue of Miss Cisneros, with Jerome as the rescuer, Decker. In this act there is a good deal of praise for Cuba and of appeal to American patriotism, and the audience rose to it all with a will, evincing a decidedly hostile spirit toward Spain. The animated music-sheet was a feature of one of the chorus specialties. All around it is a lively, cleanly and absurdly funny troupe. That it will "take" for the four remaining nights of its engagement goes without saying.

The new bill at the Orpheum last night drew out a good house. Three of the numbers are by people who were in last week's bill. Tom McIntosh and wife introduce a new act, and a far better one than that of last week. There is more of humor and music in it. They were thrice recalled, thus receiving a very hearty indorsement. Filson and Errol present their bright comery, "A Tip on the Derby," and give it with even more spirit than last week. It is surcharged with a moral for married people. Smith and Cook reappear with their acrobatic and comedy act considerably changed, introducing it with arrival in a hack, Cook driving the horse upon the stage with a handsome hack, while Smith is inside; but the hack is floorless, and the occupant has to run to retain his seat, so to speak. This team has become a favorite, as it deserves.

Four numbers of the bill are wholly new. Salvini is a tenor and an artistic one. His voice is clear, strong, very sweet and admirably managed. He was twice recalled. His songs last evening were "Adieu, Marie," "Come Into the Garden, Maud," "My Sweetheart When a Boy." John W. West was in one respect a disappointment. He sings indifferently, and his selections are anything but happy. While intended to be funny, at least one is coarse, and one verse of it is vulgar. It has not even humor to excuse it. We refer to the parody on the song, "On the Banks of the Wabash." West is grotesque and comical in make-up, and is an exceedingly good buck and wing dancer—few are as good. If he will give more discreet selections in song, he will have a clever act, for he has comedy and burlesque qualities largely. John J. Burke and Grace Forrest gave one of the best acts the Orpheum has ever put on. Burke is a fine low comedian, clean, neat, original, not over-coloring, and doing his turn with an odd dignity that is thoroughly enjoyable. His support, Miss Forrest, is a handsome woman, of splendid figure, graceful and dressing captivatingly. She is more than a clever soubrette. The two give one of the best acts of the season, wholly new and replete with quaint humor and sparkling wit; and Burke, by the way, is a fine example of the old-time comic singer, of which so few are seen nowadays. Master Wade Cochrane, a bit of a boy whose feet do not touch the floor when he is seated in a common chair, gives a remarkable exhibition of retentive memory. He rattles off hundreds of answers to questions in geography, history, Biblical statistics and geographical and census statistics and statements with wonderful readiness and never a break. It is a remarkable illustration of memorizing, and is a strange and very interesting exhibition. It is suggested, however, to his guardian and manager that there is neither wit nor sense in putting into the child's mouth silly hits at the President of the United States, not warranted by fact or justified by humor. The fine programme closed with Rudinoff, the Russian artist, fantastic delineator, shadowgraphist and bird imitator. Rudinoff is a show in himself; his entertainment is alone worth the evening at the Orpheum. He is a splendid, manly figure, a giant of a man, graceful and speaking English with an accent that is very amusing and taking. In the presence of the audience he coats a large steel sheet with smoke. It is then mounted on an easel, and with a flat brush for half-tone effects and his fingers for strong, light work, he rapidly produces a pretty marine some three feet long by eighteen inches in width. He is remarkably skillful and is artistic in a true sense. Next he gives one of the most amusing and pretty imitations of bird courtship imaginable, between Mr. and Miss Nightingale. The notes of the bird songs are musical, rich and full of expression, emphasized by clever acting. Next he produces colored crayons, and makes several caricatures with a few bold, rapid strokes that win him no end of applause. These caricatures are drawn top-side down, and are disclosed suddenly by reversal of the easel. Finally he gives the best shadowgraph work seen here, and wholly different from any other artist, since he is not behind, but in front of the screen, and the spectator sees constantly just how every figure is produced. It is very laughable in effect and ridiculously mirthful. Rudinoff will prove a prime favorite. The same bill to-night and through the week.

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SLEEP AND DREAMS.

Agassiz Worked Out a Scientific Problem in His Dreams.

The letters on sleep and reams in the "Spectator" remind me of a case in the experience of Agassiz, and which he told me himself, though it is recorded in his work on the American fishes. He was studying a fossil fish in the Jardin des Plantes, but had never been able to determine the species to his satisfaction. After a time he dreamed that he caught the very fish, and without difficulty determined the question, thinking, as he awoke from the dream, that he would have no difficulty. But on returning to the fossil, something in the dream had escaped him, and he could no more determine the species than before. The next night he had the same dream, and again forgot the essential point. He then determined to take a pencil and paper with him to bed and make his note as soon as he awoke. The dream came the third time, but, to his surprise, on fully awakening, he found the drawing made and lying on the table at his bedside, with three bones displayed in it which were not visible in the fossil, and which solved the problem. On returning to the Jardin des Plantes, he obtained permission of his friend, the director, to chip away a scale of stone which lay on the spot where the bones were in the drawing, and found them there as the drawing had given them. It is thirty years since Agassiz told me the incident, but those who have access to his history of the North American fishes will be able to read it in his own words in the introduction, and correct my version if my memory has in any detail failed me.

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A sensation has been created in Madagascar by the appearance of a carriage in the streets of Antananarivo. It is the first one that has even been seen in the country, and belongs to the Mayor of the city, Captain Deslions.

SCANDAL IN BERLIN.

A Government Official Who Feathered His Own Nest.

NEW YORK, March 27.—A "Sun" cable from Berlin says: A strange scandal has just been revealed in connection with the last emission of imperial bank notes. A few days ago a bundle of 44,000 marks was found in a Berlin cemetery. Being to all appearances genuine, the notes were advertised, and, being unclaimed, the police investigated the matter and soon arrested Herr Gruenthal, formerly foreman of the Imperial Printing Works, who retired voluntarily last year without a pension. He had been plundering the State for years.

Subsequently further packages of notes were discovered in the cemetery, the total being 100,000 marks. Then it was found that Gruenthal had a current account of 18,000 marks in a Berlin bank and large amounts in other banks, under false names. Frauds were readily traced amounting to 420,000 marks. He has been speculating largely and successfully on the bourse.

Herr Pobbielsky endeavored in the Reichstag to defend the slipshod methods of the printing works. He admitted that when a new emission of notes was made it was the custom to print 10 per cent. beyond the quantity of notes authorized, in view of the fact that some of the notes are spoiled in numbering. After emission and delivery, the Reichs Bank surplus of notes is usually destroyed, but for several years past it has been stored in a Cabinet accessible to Gruenthal during occasional absences of the key-holding official.

He thus obtained his supplies of notes, whereto he himself affixed numbers, and, consequently, the paper money he circulated and hid was not genuine, though printed on proper paper and on imperial presses. Officials are asking why the imperial office prints a 10 per cent. surplus of the notes, when 5 per cent. is sufficient to cover the waste in private enterprises; also why the excess is not destroyed immediately.

None dares openly to offer a suggestion, but it is rumored that the excess was reserved to pay the debts of certain exalted persons. This is most improbable, but commercial circles are puzzled on account of the astounding fact that the same person has been concerned in printing and numbering bank notes and in destroying the surplus. The question will be raised again in the Reichstag, and reform in the Imperial Printing Works must result.

JUDGE SLACK TO RETIRE.

Resigns the Superior Judgeship and Dean of Hastings College.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—Superior Judge Slack this morning resigned from the bench, and also from his place as Dean of Hastings College of Law. He will enter on the practice of the law as a partner in the well-known firm of Rogers & Patterson.

It has long been known that Judge Slack intended to doff the ermine, but the reason given was that he desired to devote his entire time and attention to the law college. Last summer, indeed, he entered into a contract with the Trustees of Hastings College that his salary as dean and professor was to be increased from $3,000 to $5,000 as soon as he should leave the bench. At that time he intended to resign as Judge upon the termination of the Craven-Fair case, then pending in his court. That litigation was prolonged until late in the term at the law college, and Judge Slack, it was said, had postponed his resignation until the conclusion of the present scholastic year, at the end of April. His double resignation, however, was unexpected, and to most of the profession and students is a great surprise.

LUNACY COMMISSION.

Discusses Methods for Economical Management of Asylums.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26. — The State Lunacy Commissioners met today in the office of Attorney-General Fitzgerald with the Superintendents and representatives of the Boards of Managers of the five asylums for the insane. Governor Budd presided.

During the day methods for the more economical management of the asylums were discussed. It was decided to provide cottages where the consumptive insane might be properly cared for. Every effort will be made by the Commissioners and Superintendents to exchange surplus products between the asylums and other State institutions, whereby a great saving can be effected.

Big Electric Contract.

PITTSBURG, March 27.—It is learned that the Westinghouse electric light plant has been working steadily for the last two weeks on a secret Government order for electrical apparatus designed for use in connection with submarine mines, torpedoes, etc. The contract is for $150,000, and the equipments, which are to be complete in every detail, are to be furnished at the earliest possible moment.

Two Warships Sail.

LONDON, March 27.—Lloyds reports that the United States cruisers San Francisco and New Orleans (formerly the Amazonas), which sailed at 1:40 p. m., to-day, are bound for New York.

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