

UNIQUE CAMPAIGN WORK

Political Proselyting to Be Accomplished by a Play.

Free Silver Leaders Interested in the Production of "The Curse of Gold."

An important theatrical enterprise is about to be launched from this city. The play is semi-political in character, and is expected by its producers to accomplish a great work of education as well as amusement among the plain people.

The free silver Democratic party is its foster parent, and the play, under the name of "The Curse of Gold," is soon to see the light. The American Drama Company has been chartered under the laws of the State of Virginia, for the purpose of producing this and other American plays.

The drama is the work of a writer connected at present in an editorial capacity with a local newspaper. He has written a number of plays and is conversant with the mechanism of the stage.

It is the hope of its sponsors that, politically, it will be another "Cretin Tom's Cabin" in its effect upon the masses. The design of the political managers back of it, is, they say, that it shall accomplish what cannot be done by any other means.

Senator Jones has heard the play, and has given it his warmest approval. He found that it is not only true politically, but that practically it is calculated to arouse sympathy and patriotic interest.

Senator Stewart tersely remarked that "the people could not be kept away from it," although he apprehends that the money power will make a desperate effort to throttle it.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has heard it, and he states that labor men, without regard to affiliations, factions or internal differences, will rally around it all over the country as the greatest exponent of their principles and purposes.

The expectation that the people everywhere will receive it in the warmest way is based entirely on the feeling that it is a play that will tell like no other play read, simply and unadorned, from 5 to 10 during the past few months.

The leading spirits in the Democratic National Committee, the Democratic clubs and the Congressional Committee are personally, but not officially, encouraging of its enterprise, and will lend it every assistance in their power.

The company will undertake the production of the play as early as possible. Already a number of theaters have bid for the privilege of presenting it in the large cities.

Have You Seen the Free Exhibition?

If not, come before it is too late. There were a great many people who accepted our previous invitation and visited our store to see the free exhibition, enough to keep the ladies busy all day long giving personal demonstrations of those wonderful preparations, The

SEVEN SUTHERLAND SISTERS



Hair Grower and Scalp Cleaner. The ladies in attendance, however, are accustomed to this, and saw that everyone was well taken care of.

"The most of these people said they were glad that they came; when they left they had learned a great deal worth learning. They had seen something worth coming to see. Were you one of them? If not, we want to say right now, for your benefit as well as for those who failed to see our last announcement, that there are but a few days left for the tardy ones."

These people will probably never realize how much they have missed until their thinning locks and fallen hair leaves them with disfiguring humiliating baldness as a penalty for their neglect, while their more careful brothers and sisters will have profited by the information gained at this exhibition and can glory in a wealth of beautiful, luxuriant hair.

Don't put it off until tomorrow, come today. Why can't you spend a few minutes from your housework or business for your own benefit? You may never have the chance again. Why not accept it now? Come by all means, and in future years you will thank us for the invitation.

JAS. O'DONNELL & BRO., 32d and M N. W., Washington, D. O.

It is well known, patronize the cheaper price. This policy is approved by the theatrical managers who have been consulted, and they predict for it immense financial returns.

His Aim was Roasted. Frightful Predicament of a Worker in a Paper Mill. Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—Held with a vice-like grip, Lawrence Maguire, twenty-one years old, had his left arm slowly roasted before his eyes early yesterday morning at Hamilton's Riverside paper mill.

A Japanese Tea. The Protocols to Benefit the Church of the Sacred Heart. A Japanese tea will be held at Carroll Institute this evening at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the building fund of the Church of the Sacred Heart, which is about to be erected on Columbia Heights, and of which Rev. Father McGee, of St. Patrick's Church, is to be the pastor.

All on Account of an Aged Horse. The unsuccessful effort by Constable Benjamin Edwards Saturday afternoon in Canterbury Court to seize Hiram Walker's horse, upon a writ issued by Justice of the Peace S. R. Church, has a sequel.

AT COST OF MEDICINES

No Charge Whatsoever for Treatment, Services or Attention

IF YOU BEGIN NOW. In order that the afflicted of this city may have an opportunity to test the ability to master disease Dr. Young has determined to throw open the doors of his private sanitarium to every body.

DR. YOUNG. Treats successfully all diseases of the Nose, Throat, Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bladder, Night Losses, Sexual Weakness, Syphilis, and all special diseases of men and women. Sufferers with chronic catarrh cured for life without operation. No pain. No loss of time.

Divorced for Six Months. A Singular Decree Made by Judge Gaynor, of New York.

New York, Jan. 24.—Justice Gaynor, in the supreme court, Brooklyn, has handed down a decision which will attract much attention. Mrs. Sarah S. Conner a decree of separation for six months only, during which time her husband is to pay her \$10 a week alimony.

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WORKING FOR HIS LIVING

Sanger Pullman a Station Inspector in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—"Sanger Pullman, inspector of Dearborn Station, Chicago." A letter addressed in that fashion, would be put in the class of many times millionaire, now working for a living. Young Mr. Pullman is 5 feet 11 1/2 inches in his stockings. He is straight, with good shoulders, and a face that testifies to careful grooming.

Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Said to Have Been Offered for One and Refused. New York, Jan. 24.—A special from Dawson city says: Word has come from down the river that there is considerable excitement at Circle City. On nearly all the creeks in the Birch Creek district mines are being located.

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DR. CLEMENS, 1411 Pa. Ave. Adj. Willard's Hotel.

Having devoted his entire study and practice for many years to a certain class of diseases, has become famous far beyond the average physician. By an examination more thorough than life insurance, his diagnosis is accurate, and his advanced methods, the latest appliances, and perfectly reliable medicine, make it absolutely certain. Why should you suffer when health and strength can be had?

Great Prices for Claims. Miners in the Klondike Rushing to Birch Creek District. Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Said to Have Been Offered for One and Refused.

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THE COMING OF GEN. BOOTH

He Will Address Three Meetings in This City.

Particularly Anxious to Interest the Representative People Here in His Projects. Major Ashley Peckles, the chief of the Salvation Army, South Atlantic Division, with headquarters in Washington, in giving a great deal of his time to preparation for the coming visit of General William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, to Washington, on the 30th and 31st of February, and has the arrangements in a very forward state.

General Booth's first meeting on Thursday evening. General Booth will devote that evening to making an address on the world-wide work of the Salvation Army, with special reference to its philanthropic projects, and particularly his plan for getting those who cannot get work in the main body of the country where, on small farms, or large farm colonies, under the administration and with the assistance of the Salvation Army, they may make a comfortable living.

General Booth hopes to arouse interest all over the country in the enterprises of this sort, which Commander Booth-Tucker has already started for the unemployed in the great cities of the United States. As the General's stay in this country is necessarily limited, he cannot speak in all the cities, although he will visit the largest ones in every section, and therefore he seeks to reach representative men and women who can spread his message for him.

General Booth wishes to speak to the general body of the church, and the limited capacity of the churches, it is hoped that people will be considered and not attend all three meetings in the city. The arrangements for his visit are being made at different hotels and in different churches is intended to meet the convenience of all. General Booth will be the guest, while in Washington, of the Auxiliary of the Salvation Army, Mr. William Redin Woodward, as he was on his last visit to Washington.

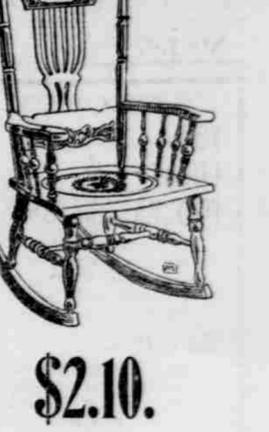
She Was Recently Divorced From Royal Stone Smith. New York, Jan. 24.—Miss Lillian Blauvelt, a well-known concert singer, who recently obtained a divorce from Royal Stone Smith, in North Dakota, sailed Saturday for Italy on the Forest Bismarck. Her name did not appear on the passenger list. She expects to study for grand opera for a year or two, and hopes to make her appearance as an opera singer at the Gewandhaus in Leipzig.

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This large high-back oak cobbler-seat ROCKER—for three days—TWO DOLLARS AND TEN CENTS—a regular \$4 ROCKER. SPECIAL three days' sale of 500 ROCKERS, in all woods—cobbler, saddle and upholstered seats, at nearly ONE-HALF PRICE. Even at these CUT prices we will give you CREDIT, if you wish it—we want you for a customer.

Lansburgh's Furniture Co., 1226 F St. N. W. SPECIAL NOTICE. SPECIAL NOTICE—Washington, D. C., January 22, 1898. The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Washington Tax-Like Company for the election of directors will be held at the office of the Secretary, 415 14th St. N. W., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1898. The meeting will open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

AUCTION SALES. THOMAS J. OWEN, Auctioneer, 913 F St. N. W., on Thursday, January 27, 1898, at 12 o'clock, there will be sold at public auction, at the office of THOMAS J. OWEN, 913 F St. N. W., three and one-half acres of land, more or less, known as the land of the late J. H. OWEN, and more known as the land of the late J. H. OWEN, and more known as the land of the late J. H. OWEN.

PROPOSALS. ADVERTISING FOR PROPOSALS TO PUBLISH IN THIS CITY. ESTABLISHED AND VALUABLE DRY GOODS, BUSINESS, LATELY ACQUIRED, AT A GREAT BARGAIN. THE UNDERSIGNED, executor of the last will and testament of SEATON PERLY, deceased, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, hereby gives notice that with TESTA T. E. PERLY, deceased, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, and with TESTA T. E. PERLY, deceased, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, and with TESTA T. E. PERLY, deceased, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia.

Mexican Charcoal Burners Fight. Durango, Mexico, Jan. 24.—A courier who has just arrived here from Mazatlan reports that a desperate fight occurred last night between about fifty charcoal burners and an equal number of men employed on Rosales' ranch. Nine men were killed and many more badly wounded.

Washings on a Festive Mission. Mobile, Ala., Jan. 24.—Information has been received by wire from Congressman George W. Taylor that the Navy Department will send two trawlers to Mobile, to be here from February 15 to February 22 for the Mardi Gras carnival. An effort is being made to have President McKinley stop here on his way to New Orleans.

A Cure for Lathe Back. "My daughter when recovering from an attack of fever, was a great sufferer from pain in the back and hips," writes Louise Grover, of Harris, N. Y. "After using quite a number of remedies without any benefit she tried one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and it has given entire relief." Chamberlain's Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. Sold by Henry Evans, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, 938 F St. N. W., and 8 St. N. W., and 1428 Md. ave. No.