

AMUSEMENTS

Los Angeles Society Vaudeville Theater
Copenhagen Monday, February 7.

Table listing performers: RICE AND ELMER, CARTER DE HAVEN, ALMONT AND DUMONT, VIOLET DALE, PAULO AND DIKA, BARNETT AND RUSSELL, MAUDE BEALL PRICE, CRIMMINS AND GORE.

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A BRIDGE BROKE DOWN. THE TACOMA OVERLAND TRAIN WRECKED.

A Corona Victim Beating His Way to the East Counted Among the Injured.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 6.—A special to the Ledger from Pasco, Wash., says:

THE TRAIN WAS RUNNING SLOWLY ON ACCOUNT OF BAD TRACK.

THE BRIDGE SANK AS THE SMALL CARRIED ON THE BRIDGE.

THE PASSENGERS WERE AWAKENED BY THE SHOCK, BUT WERE NOT INJURED.

TURKISH EARTHQUAKES. CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 6.—Anatolia was visited by an earthquake yesterday which, it is reported, caused widespread devastation.

MINERS BY HUNDREDS

Seeking Passage to Yukon Goldfields.

A NIPPON KAISHA STEAMER

ENGAGED TO BRING AN ARMY OF JAPANESE.

Canada Dreadfully Alarmed Lest Relief Supplies Admitted Free of Duty Shall Be Sold.

Associated Press Special Wire. VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 6.—The steamer Queen left this morning with over 600 miners for the Yukon.

Application will be made at the next session of the local legislature for a charter for a railway from Observatory inlet to Glenora, to connect with the Teslin Lake railway.

THEY KEPT SUNDAY. And Even the Milk Men Ceased to Do Business.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 6.—This hitherto wide-open town was closed up tonight by an order of Chief of Police Raitz to all persons who did business on Sunday.

FEARS OF FAKE RELIEF. SALT LAKE, Utah, Feb. 6.—A special to the Tribune from Butte, Mont., says:

Evacuation of Thessaly Accompanied With Bloodshed.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Sanguinary conflicts continue between the Turkish troops and the peasants in Thessaly.

NOT COLD ENOUGH. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—The party of gold seekers that left here for the Copper river by La Nina September 22, last, have been heard from by letter from one of the Yukon and had left for that place before the arrival of the second message.

A Pastor Called. OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 6.—If the terms are satisfactory the Rev. H. Sawyer of Missoula, Mont., will be called to fill the pulpit of the Central Christian church in this city.

A Southern Cruise. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—The United States training ship Mohican, Commander George M. Bock, will leave Mare island tomorrow morning bound for a South Pacific training cruise of eight months.

No Bodies Found. GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 6.—Efforts were made today to locate the missing schooner Marcellus at Dolliver Point and to recover the bodies of the crew from the wreck of the John Holmes.

The Rosebud Stake. NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The Oneida Jockey club announces the Rosebud, a stake for two-year-old fillies at four and a half furlongs, with \$750 added; the Oneida Grand National steeple chase with \$750 added, to be run over the full steeple chase course, and the Bay hurdle race at two miles over eight hurdles on the turf, also with \$750 added.

Will Resume Work. LACONIA, N. H., Feb. 6.—The Winthrop knitting mills at Lakeport, which have been closed down for several months, will resume operations tomorrow on full time.

Panic and Fire. LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 6.—Several thousand negroes congregated at the Auditorium today, where the funeral of the negro Baptist preacher, Sanford J. Howard, was to be preached.

MATTERS OF MOMENT

Demanding the Attention of Congress.

HAWAII AND CORBETT'S CASE

THE RAGS WHICH THE SENATE WILL CHEW ON.

Any Old Question Is Good Enough to Start Political Debate in the House.

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Canada greatly alarmed lest relief goods admitted free of duty should be sold instead of given away.

The Fifth avenue Presbyterian church of New York city likely to go to pieces over a factional fight.

Miners by the hundreds take passage for the Yukon regions; an army of laborers coming from Japan.

Frank Bellow of Fairfield, Cal., confesses to poisoning his brother and sister, claiming to have been actuated by a desire for revenge.

New York Commerce is not keeping pace with the growth of the nation's business; the problem of retaining the city's commercial prestige seriously engages the city's attention.

Poor old Joseph Schurtz of Palace saloon memory claims to have himself all alone been the cause of the issuing of the German decree prohibiting importation of American fruit.

The senate has the Hawaiian treaty and the Corbett contest scheduled for attention this week; the house will put in the time making political speeches to be used in the fall campaign.

Spain for the third time declines friendly mediation of the United States in Cuban affairs; a cipher message from Minister Woodford tends to disquiet McKinley's breast; concentrates in Cuba continue to die by thousands from hunger and exposure.

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FRIENDLY MEDIATION

Is Thrice Refused by the Spanish.

WOODFORD'S MESSAGE

Not Very Long But Is Full of Meat.

M'KINLEY MUCH DISQUIETED

BY FADING HOPE OF FRIENDLY SETTLEMENT.

While Warlike Feeling in Spain Grows Stronger Non-Combatants in Cuba Are Dying by Thousands.

Special to The Herald. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Premier Sagasta has declined a third offer of friendly mediation on the part of the United States.

The message was a most unusual one. Instead of being addressed to the secretary of state, it was addressed to the president, a thing which has not happened since Consul-General Lee's famous cablegram to President Cleveland nearly a year ago, in which he threatened to resign if not upheld in his efforts to protect the lives and liberties of American citizens in Havana.

This cablegram from Minister Woodford was not long, but recited the fact that Premier Sagasta refused to admit that Spain had reached the end of her rope in Cuba; that she was unable to suppress the insurrection; that autonomy was a failure, or that she needed the assistance of the United States in bringing the Cuban struggle to an end.

Minister Woodford is of an optimistic temperament, but he sounded a dependent note in the communication, which seems for the first time to have carried a sense of disquietude in McKinley's breast. The president has, up to the present time, expressed confidence in an amicable solution of the whole affair. Today he is less certain than ever, and inclining to the opinions which he entertained nine months ago, that action is to be forced upon him.

Sagasta's refusal to heed the suggestions of the Rothschilds and other great European bankers, that the war be brought to an end by the acceptance of American mediation, is due to the premier's keen political recognition that an election to the cortes is impending and that a Conservative majority will become a certainty should the white feather be shown toward the United States prior to election.

Minister Woodford has expressed a doubt that the Sagasta ministry will be able to control the elections, but since the entire election machinery is in the hands of Liberals, it is fair to assume that Sagasta will return for himself and colleagues whatever majority he desires in the cortes.

It is said here that secret preparations have been made to maintain an espionage over Spanish naval operations at every point, in order to counteract any dangerous attack which might threaten upon the coast.

STARVING CUBANS. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(By Associated Press.) Hon. Charles W. Russell, assistant United States attorney in the department of justice has just received the following letter acknowledging the receipt of New York draft, mailed United States Consul Barker at Sagua la Grande, Cuba, whose district of Las Villas embraces Santa Clara, the capital of the province of that name; San Domingo, Remedios and a city in the same province in the eastern part of the island.

In explaining of his estimate of the number of deaths from starvation up to the time of his recent visit, viz., 200,000, Mr. Russell says that he got that number from the common talk in Cuba. For instance, he asked a Cuban what the insurgents asked about accepting the offer of autonomy, and the answer was that Spain had put 200,000 corpses between her and them, referring evidently to the reconcentrados. The letter says:

"It is with unfeigned pleasure, as well as with inexpressible gratitude, that we acknowledge the receipt of your valued copy of the 'Liberator.' In transmitting \$50 United States currency, as a donation to the dispensario, a charitable institution to care for the destitute and sick children of this city, contributed as you say by certain employes of your department.

"Up to date my district has received nothing from the relief sent by your people except through your thoughtful remembrances. Of course Consul-General Le has not, nor will he ever, in my humble judgment, have sufficient contributions sent to have some to share with us, so remote and inaccessible in transporting supplies. In view of this, contributions like yours, in money, will aid in saving thousands who must die without sustenance and medicine immediately furnished. For instance, this remittance from the generous employes in your department will prove more beneficial than ten times the sum thirty days ago.

Shot a Woman. VIRGINIA, Nev., Feb. 6.—S. C. Douglas, ex-street superintendent, tonight fired two shots at Gusnie Melville, keeper of a notorious resort. One shot took effect in the groin, the other struck a corset steel and inflicted merely a superficial wound. The woman will recover. The shooting was the sequel of a row in the house.