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AMUSEMENTS

MASON—"Salammbo," BELASCO—"Old Heidelberg," GRAND—"The Darling of the Gods," BURBANK—"In South Carolina," ORPHEUM—Vandeville, CASINO—Vandeville, BROADWAY—Vandeville, CHUTES—Concert and Zoo, ASCOT—Races.

To Lecture on Napoleon

Frederick E. Leeper will lecture at Elks hall Friday evening, January 27. His subject will be "Napoleon."

Telephone Bonds

Five Home Telephone company bonds were sold on the Los Angeles Stock exchange yesterday at 96 cents each.

Fancy for Hats

James Morgan was sentenced to serve ninety days by Justice Chambers yesterday afternoon on a charge of petty larceny. It was said Morgan stole several hats.

Charged With Embezzlement

G. A. Buckley, wanted in San Francisco on a charge of embezzlement, was arrested at Second and Spring streets yesterday afternoon by Detective Leon.

Bicycle Store Robbed

A burglar entered the Appeal bicycle store on South Main street late Wednesday night by crawling over a transom. A large assortment of fine pocket knives was taken.

Had Lottery Tickets

Wong Tom, a resident of Chinatown, was fined \$25 by Justice Chambers yesterday afternoon because he was found with lottery tickets in his possession. He paid the fine and departed.

Fined for Battery

Leonard Hoyt was fined \$15 yesterday afternoon in Justice Chambers' court on a charge of battery, preferred against him by his landlady. The case was a result of a quarrel over a board bill.

Kicked by Horse

E. Master, driver for Demorth's grocery store, at Thirty-eighth street and Maple avenue, was kicked on the shin yesterday afternoon by the horse he was driving and sustained a compound double fracture.

Charged With Burglary

Gregory Ruiz, a Mexican, was bound over to the superior court in Justice Chambers' court yesterday afternoon on a charge of burglary. Ruiz is accused of stealing clothing and jewelry from a Japanese.

Funeral of F. H. Teale

Funeral services for Fred H. Teale were held yesterday morning at the residence of his parents 230 South Soto street. Mr. Teale died of pneumonia at Fallon, Texas, January 12, and his remains were brought to Los Angeles for burial.

Young People's Social

The first young people's social of the Los Angeles Fellowship (B. Fay Mills, minister) will be held this evening at Masonic temple. Hugh A. Saxon, monologist, will take part in the program, which will be followed by dancing. Admission will be by ticket only.

To Give Series of Talks

At the regular Sunday services at Temple B'nai B'rith this evening at 8 o'clock, Dr. Sigmund Hecht will begin a series of Friday evening talks on "Religious and Social Improvements." The Sunday service tomorrow will be held at 10:30 o'clock when an expository talk on the current scripture lesson will be given by the Rabbi.

Melvor-Tyndall on "Power"

Dr. Alexander J. Melvor-Tyndall has taken for the subject of his Sunday afternoon discourse at Blanchard hall the coming Sunday "Power." There will be a special musical program, including piano selections by M. Jean de Chauvenet, the well known pianist, and a cornet solo by Master Tracy Hoag. Miss Anita Vennun will play the violin. Reserved seats are on sale at Bartlett's music store this morning.

Filipinos to Attend College

Four young Filipino boys arrived in Los Angeles yesterday to enter St. Vincent's college. They were sent here by the United States government to enter the high school course to prepare for service in the islands. They come from different provinces of the islands and passed examinations before coming to this country, which showed them to be especially bright. They will commence their studies the first of the week. Their names are Julian Vallarta, Victoriano Yumum, Zacarias Rocha and Lino T. Arreza.

VALUES EAR DRUM AT \$15.100

Woman Injured by Street Car Sues Company

Alleging that her ear drum has been injured, thereby partially destroying her hearing powers, in consequence of a street car accident, Miss Myrtle Terry yesterday filed suit in the superior court against the Los Angeles Railway company for damages in the sum of \$15.100.

According to the complaint the plaintiff was thrown accidentally to the ground while alighting from a car of the company at Eighth street and Central avenue.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

R. W. POINDEXTER: Office changed to 409 Wilcox building. If you wish to lend or borrow money or have your property cared for by a thoroughly responsible and experienced agent, please call. Correspondence invited.

CARTHAGE'S GLORY IS RECREATED

"SALAMMBO" WELL PRESENTED AT THE MASON

Frederick Warde and Kathryn Kidder Give an Artistic Production of Drama of Ancient Times

"It is a page from ancient history," said Frederick Warde in the curtain speech which an enthusiastic audience demanded from him after the third act of the opening performance of "Salammbo" last evening at the Mason opera house. "But the people in those days," continued the actor, "were moved by the same impulses and passions; they loved and died as we do today." It was as he said giving life to the people of history.

In the mimic world Carthage was recreated for an evening. The old battles were fought over again. The chiefs held their brief periods of power once more and the war between Russia and Japan gave place to the affairs of an ancient race. Hamlicar, Hannibal, Matho, Salammbo lived and breathed and loved and hated.

There is nothing of the modern realism in Stanislaus Strange's new play which Frederick Warde and Kathryn Kidder are presenting now in Los Angeles. It is old fashioned strutting melodramatic historical play. The stage is darkened and Miss Kidder stands like a Grecian statue in the limelight to make an effective entrance. In this fashion lights are used regardless of nature to produce a spectacular effect. The lines are all delivered in an oratorical style.

It is the type of acting which to many, however, is convincing and it is not new with Frederick Warde's productions. This favorite actor possesses all of his old fire and spirit and he carries his scenes with stirring force. Miss Kidder drew much of last evening's applause. She rolled out her sentences melliflously.

Among the members of the company none deserve greater praise for their work than Miss Ina Brooks, who took the role of the Briton slave, Hilda. She imparted a naturalness to her part which was generally wanting among the characterizations of the others. Thomas Coffin Cooke was good as Spondius.

The scenic effects were magnificent. Old Grecian gardens, temples and ruins were a most picturesque background for the drama. The company will appear in this same play for the remainder of this week and the first three nights of next week.

"OLD HEIDELBERG" TO BE PLAYED FOR SECOND WEEK

Crowded Audiences at Belasco Determine Management to Keep German Play on Another Week

The Belasco theater stock company's production of "Old Heidelberg" has been so successful that the management last night decided to continue the play for another week.

The audiences since the first presentation of the play of German student life have been so large and the demand for seats so great that many persons have been unable to secure seats for the performances, and as the houses are practically sold out for the remainder of the week, there was nothing to do but to accede to the popular request that "Old Heidelberg" be continued for another week.

This record of "Old Heidelberg" is unique in the theatrical history of Los Angeles, as it is the first time that a stock company has attempted to present the same play for two continuous weeks. The sale of seats for the second week of "Old Heidelberg" was opened yesterday and the sale was fully as brisk as when the sale for the current week's performance was inaugurated.

Two immense audiences greeted the performances at the Belasco yesterday. At the matinee fully eight hundred persons were turned away, unable to get seats for the performance, while the audience in the evening taxed the seating and standing capacity of the theater.

Richard Vivian, the juvenile of the Belasco organization, who plays the role of Count Von Asterburg, who was absent from the cast for two performances on account of a severe attack of the grip, returned to his stage labors last night and played with unaccustomed enthusiasm.

"MADAME BUTTERFLY"

Blanche Bates Gives Rare Portrayal of Pathetic Drama

At a special matinee yesterday Blanche Bates and company presented the Japanese tragedy, "Madame Butterfly," by David Belasco and John Luther Long. It is like delicate Japanese china inlaid with golden threads. The little drama is not new to Los Angeles, but it has never been given here with such exquisite settings and in so charming a manner.

The tragedy was preceded by a comedietta, "My Aunt's Advice," by Blanche Bates and George Arliss. This sketch has also been seen at the Orpheum. It is a flimsy complication and has little to commend it, even in the hands of good performers.

As Cho-Cho-San or Madame Butterfly, Miss Bates sounds the same note she strikes as Yo-San in "The Darling of the Gods." The characters are both unfortunate Japanese women who are broken upon the wheel of an iron world. She gave to her role yesterday beautiful sympathy and filled it with soft little graces that reached the hearts of her hearers.

The scenic effects are all borrowed from "The Darling of the Gods," and

"SALAMMBO," A PAGE FROM ANCIENT HISTORY



FREDERICK WARDE AND KATHRYN KIDDER IN "SALAMMBO"

are picturesque and delightful. Its oriental flavor is consistently administered even to the incidental music and no harsh note is allowed to appear.

The members of the company were all acceptable in their roles. Eugene Ormonde and E. P. Wilkes gave their parts a character and finish above the average. The honors of the performance were divided between the star and Baby Gertrude Slavon, who captivated the audience. It was life to Baby Gertrude. The little tit, in a splendid Japanese kimono, never is aware there is an audience in the house.

For the remainder of the week Miss Bates and company will appear in "The Darling of the Gods."

"As You Like It"

For tonight Ben Greet and his London company of players will offer to the admirers of Shakespeare the only production during this engagement, which he will render in the modern manner, Shakespeare's comedy, "As You Like It." The part taken by Mr. Greet is that of Touchstone, the clown, the part which he has made famous throughout England. Helen Head will be seen in the role of Celia and Constance Crewley that of Rosalind.

PASTOR WILL LEAVE TO BECOME MISSIONARY

Rev. Lawrence B. Ridgely, Rector of St. John's Church, Resigns

The resignation of Rev. Lawrence B. Ridgely, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, has caused much comment in church circles.

Rev. Mr. Ridgely came here two years ago and assumed the rectorship of St. John's church at a time when dissensions had arisen among the parishioners. Rev. Mr. Ridgely had previously been connected with the missionary work of the Episcopal church in China. He will return to his field of labor, which he left on account of the ill health of Mrs. Ridgely.

He said yesterday that while he likes Los Angeles very much and that the most amicable relations have existed between himself and the parish, he feels it his duty to return to the missionary field, as he has had experience there and will thereby be doubly fitted for the work.

Rev. Mr. Ridgely will make the formal announcement to the congregation Sunday, his resignation having been accepted by the vestry at its meeting this week, to take effect Easter Sunday. It is expected that he will be stationed at Wu Chung under Bishop Roots of Hankow, although his works has not as yet been outlined.

During his rectorship of St. John's church the parish has steadily grown, and Rev. Mr. Ridgely has won the esteem of all by his zealous work and pleasant personality. Mrs. Ridgely, whose health has greatly improved during her stay here, will accompany her husband in his new field of labor, as will also his mother.

CELEBRATE REQUIEM MASS

Large Congregation Attends Service at Hollywood

A large congregation composed of Catholics and non-Catholics of Hollywood attended the solemn requiem mass celebrated at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, for the repose of the soul of the late Patrick Conaty, the venerable father of Bishop Conaty. Rev. D. W. J. Murphy, pastor of the church, was celebrant; Very Rev. Dr. Glass, C. M., deacon; Rev. Joseph Barron, sub-deacon; Rev. C. Molony, master of ceremonies. Bishop Conaty was assisted at the throne by Very Rev. P. Harnett, V. G., as arch-priest; Rev. M. McAuliffe and Rev. P. F. Farrelly, deacons of honor; Rev. G. Donahoe, master of ceremonies. A choir of priests, under the direction of Rev. Thomas F. Pahey, sang the Gregorian mass, as follows: Revs. X. Becker, Raphael Fuhr, O. F. M.; J. J. Clifford, Leo Jules Fohn, Joseph Kaiser, James O'Neill, J. Monclus, Rev. Edward Lunney, O. F. M., and Rev. Michael Connelly were present in the sanctuary. Bishop Conaty gave the absolution.

The church was appropriately draped in black. The pastor and parish placed a wreath of palms entwined with purple upon the catafalque and will have said a monthly mass for the repose of the soul of the deceased during the coming year.

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CATHOLIC NUNS CARE FOR AGED

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR ARRIVE

Institution for the Relief of Indigent Persons Will Be Opened in Los Angeles at Early Date

Another work of charity is to be commenced in Los Angeles by the Catholic church. This new work will be among destitute people, over sixty years of age, regardless of creed, and like the others already inaugurated, will be under the supervision of Bishop Conaty. Four Little Sisters of the Poor arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, and after consulting with the bishop, will commence their work in a rented building. Later, land will be purchased and a suitable building erected. The Mother Provincial of the western province, with the Mother Superior of the local convent and two sisters, were those who arrived yesterday. At present they are staying at the Sisters' hospital.

These nuns care for indigent old people of moral character, entirely through charity, admitting them without charge. The institution is maintained entirely by contributions of money, clothing and food. Several more sisters will arrive when the local work is inaugurated, who will assist in caring for the inmates and in soliciting funds for the maintenance of the institution.

This order of devoted women was instituted by two young girls in France in 1840, and now has branches all over the world. The provincial house for this province, located in Chicago, with two others in the same city, now has 600 inmates. The nearest institution of the order to Los Angeles is San Francisco, where there are now 200 inmates. It is estimated that this order is now caring for 43,786 destitute people throughout the world.

The Mother Provincial said yesterday that as yet no plans have been made for the local work, but that it will be commenced as soon as possible. She will remain here several weeks, until after the inauguration of the work, when she will return to Chicago, leaving the local work in charge of the Mother Superior.

"We Little Sisters of the Poor," said the Mother Provincial, "are simply poor beggars in the name of our Lord, caring for the poor ones. We go from house to house, asking donations to maintain the work, depending upon Divine help to carry it on."

SUED FOR DIVORCE

Charging her husband, Jockey Spencer Sutherland, among other things, with being a felon, Mrs. Hazel Sutherland, through her attorney, Asa Keyes, yesterday filed suit for divorce in the superior court.

Mrs. Sutherland before her marriage was Miss Hazel Eddy of Visalia. Her husband soon after the marriage deserted her and later married Miss Amy Rowan of Los Angeles at the Del Monte tavern without first having secured a divorce from his first wife.

Sutherland is well known in Los Angeles, having participated at Ascot races. He was arrested in Detroit, Mich., on the charge of bigamy, and was recently sentenced to serve one year in the penitentiary upon his plea of guilty.

VISITORS FROM SPOKANE

Secretary L. G. Monroe, C. A. Fleming, M. H. Eggleston, E. H. Jamieson, and W. H. Quinn, members of the chamber of commerce at Spokane, Wash., were visitors at the Los Angeles chamber yesterday and were entertained by Secretary Wiggins. The party has visited points of interest at San Diego and in Mexico, and yesterday before taking their departure for the north they visited Pasadena and Mt. Lowe.

The visitors had only words of praise for Southern California. At the last banquet of the Spokane chamber of commerce the principal toast was: "The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce."

DOUBLE POISON CAUSES DEATH

TAILOR'S SECOND ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE SUCCESSFUL

After Being Rescued From Under the Wheels of a Train He Swallows Arsenic and Carbolic Acid

Only after the second effort at suicide did D. P. Wahl, a tailor of Waco, Tex., succeed in closing his earthly accounts.

Wahl made a neat, finished job of the second effort, taking a quantity of arsenic and following it with nearly two ounces of carbolic acid. Before the ambulance could convey him from the Palm house at 905 East Fifth street to the Emergency hospital he died. Death relieved the intense suffering consequent to swallowing the carbolic acid just as the ambulance halted in front of the hospital.

Wahl's first attempt at suicide was made Wednesday afternoon about 5 o'clock at the Arcade depot. By mere accident his desire to die was thwarted. He threw himself on the tracks at the Arcade depot, but the breakbeam of the car struck his round body and rolled him off of the tracks. He sustained only a few bruises.

Wahl registered at the Palm house Thursday night about 10 o'clock. He arose early yesterday morning. About 10 o'clock the chambermaid was cleaning his room. Wahl entered and told her he wanted to write some letters, and she left. Later when she returned Wahl was sitting on the side of the bed, his face convulsed, as if with pain. Police and ambulance aid was called for at once. Antidotes were administered, and Wahl was started to the hospital, which he never reached alive.

An empty box, labeled arsenic, and a four-ounce bottle half filled with carbolic acid were found in the room. A note penciled on a scrap of paper proved the man's intentions. It read: "To whom it may come—take \$20, and Berrey me and the rest of the money, watch and some papers send to Ed. Pickett, Waco, Tex."

The note was signed. At the hotel Wahl had registered from Waco. He had no baggage. The proprietor of the hotel learned of Wahl's effort to kill himself the night before only after he had succeeded by taking the poison. Wahl was between 45 and 50 years old, stockily built and below medium height.

The dead man's money and papers were turned over to the coroner. The body was taken to Bressee Bros' establishment and an inquest will be held today.

URGES ALL TO GROW RAMIE

Secretary Wiggins Says Product is Profitable

Many years ago ramie was cultivated and grown quite extensively in Southern California, chiefly near Santa Ana, and attempts were made then to utilize the fibre for garments, but the crude method then used to separate the gum from the fibre was a failure, and the cultivation of ramie ceased. A government official terms ramie as the most wonderful and most valuable of all fibres. He adds: "The fibre of ramie is strong and durable, is of all fibres least affected by moisture, and from these characteristics must take first rank in values as a textile substance. It has three times the strength of Russian hemp, while its filaments can be separated to the fineness of silk." The product is used for all manner of garments, and is a good imitation of silk.

In the chamber of commerce yesterday was shown a variety of undergarments made from the fibre of ramie, and the display attracted much attention. The ramie fibre from which the garments were made was grown in India and Formosa, but it is known that ramie can be grown successfully in Southern California, and now that the secret of separating the gum from the fibre is known, Secretary Wiggins advises everybody to begin producing ramie. It is a profitable industry, and it is said that thousands of people are wearing the garments made from the product. The same material is also used for upholstery, table damask, napkins, handkerchiefs, shirts, sheetings, sail duck, carpets, cordage, fishing nets and yarns and threads for various uses.

SANTA FE MAILS ARE LATE

Construction Work Delays Overland and Limited Trains

Eastern mails arriving in Los Angeles over the Santa Fe road are being delayed east of Albuquerque by the construction work going on in repairing the damage done by the floods of last October. Added to this is the fact that passenger traffic on the fast trains is all that the Santa Fe is capable of taking care of.

The limited which should have arrived in Los Angeles Wednesday did not reach here until yesterday morning and the overland train yesterday was annulled. The limited due to arrive in Los Angeles Thursday reached here more than eight hours late.

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