

GRAND OPERA BEGINS TONIGHT

Savage Company Will Come in Special Train From Coast Today. PREPARATIONS AT THEATRE TWO ROWS OF SEATS REMOVED TO ACCOMMODATE ORCHESTRA.

A special train loaded with songsters is on its way to Salt Lake and will arrive over the Oregon Short Line at 9 o'clock this morning. The 150 singers comprise Henry W. Savage's English Grand Opera company which is coming to give the city its first grand opera season in many years, beginning with "Lohengrin" at the Salt Lake theatre tonight.

The working staff of ten men will take possession at once of the theatre stage to make alterations necessary to accommodate the elaborate production that are to be shown during the opera festival. Two rows of orchestra chairs have already been removed and a complete new orchestra pit will be constructed for the musicians carried by the company. On the stage traps will have to be built, platforms built and the other changes made that are always necessary for grand opera.

Arrangements Beneath Stage. Underneath the stage special arrangements will be made to accommodate the scores of hampers, crates and boxes containing the hundreds of costumes to be used during the engagement, there being over 2,000 changes in costume required for the chorus and supernumeraries in the entire repertoire of the company. A force of wardrobe women and property men must have shop room to repair and "touch up" the immense amount of paraphernalia. This work must be attended to in each city in order to keep the many costumes and multifarious properties in first class condition.

The company is making a complete tour of the country this year, and is carried in its own chartered railroad equipment. There are seven cars piled full of scenery, properties, baggage and electric effects, one car for the musicians, two for the chorus, three sleeping and a diner.

Long Trip Being Made. This is the first year Manager Henry W. Savage has attempted to make a cross continent tour with his organization and the undertaking requires a special class of workmen to remain with the show while others go ahead to prepare the way. The company is the latest on the road, numbering 150 persons, and its 14,000 mile trip, that has included opera festivals in Montreal, New Orleans and San Francisco, is the biggest venture of the kind ever attempted with a grand opera organization in America.

Tonight the company will appear in "Lohengrin" with its celebrated "Wedding March" and "Swan Song." The overture will begin at 8 o'clock sharp under Conductor Elliott Schenck.

The cast is as follows: "Lohengrin," "Garmen" will be sung tomorrow night, "Tannhauser" at the Wednesday matinee and "La Boheme" at the close of the engagement next Wednesday evening. After each performance it will be necessary to remove the scenery in order to make room for the scenery of the next opera.

CLOSE BIG LIVERY DEAL

East Side Plant is Absorbed by the Salt Lake Livery & Transfer Company.

On Saturday an agreement was reached by which the Salt Lake Livery & Transfer company is to take over all the business and property of the East Side Carriage & Transfer company April 1. This deal had been on for weeks, but the final terms of the agreement were not reached until Saturday. By the terms of the agreement the Salt Lake Livery & Transfer company purchases all the horses, vehicles and all other property of the East Side Carriage & Transfer company. The deal also secures a lease of two years with an option to make it three on the large modern establishment of the last named company in the block between First and Second South and Second and Third East streets, near the Utah Light & Railway company power house. It also gets an option for the purchase of the barn and the ground upon which it stands. The amount involved in the transfer will not be made public.

The East Side Carriage company's business was established a few years ago. Several men were interested in the business at first, but one by one their interests were bought out by Harry L. Roberts, until at the time of the deal on Saturday he was the sole owner of the business. Mr. Roberts is not yet prepared to discuss his plans for the future. P. W. Madison is president of the Salt Lake Livery & Transfer company. Samuel Paul is vice president and manager. Their regular place of business is on West Temple street.

BOOTH-TUCKER TO ARRIVE. New York, March 26.—Commander Booth Tucker of the Salvation Army is expected to arrive here from England on Tuesday night. Mr. Tucker is directed to join Rider Haggard, who is investigating the Salvation Army's colonies in the United States. Commander Booth Tucker will meet Mr. Haggard at Arapahoe, Colo., and accompany him on his visit to Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, at Ottawa.

INCREASED TAXES. St. Petersburg, March 26.—The Gazette of Commerce and Industry states that a 2 per cent tax will be levied on salaries of state officials from May 14. The death duties increased 50 per cent, the tax on beer 32 per cent, on matches 100 per cent, on foreign yeast 71 per cent, and on home-made yeast 100 per cent. National rate will be taxed 60 kopeks per peed.

SCOTT'S EMULSION. We don't put Scott's Emulsion in the class of advertised cure-alls; it doesn't belong there. We hardly like to use the word "cure" at all, but we are bound to say that it can be used for a great many troubles with great satisfaction. Its special function is to repair the waste of the body when the ordinary food does not nourish, and this means that it is useful in many cases which are indicated by wasting.

Wagner's Operas. BY SQUIRE COOP. In listening to a Wagner opera for the first time, the layman is usually dazzled by the large orchestra, the musical dialogue which, for him, contains no elements of entertainment. Likewise the musical amateur finds these portions of the music almost tedious. In both cases the appreciation and the enjoyment are incomplete.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Improved Order of Red Men. Washakie tribe No. 1 met in regular session Monday evening and held an interesting council. The degree team was reorganized and a new captain elected, and it is thought that from now on considerable work will be done, as several applications for membership were handed in. This evening the new team will drill.

Woman's Relief Corps. The J. B. McKean post and corps will hold campfire in their hall in Federation of Labor building on Tuesday, March 28.

Degree of Pocahontas. Wabeta council No. 1, Degree of Pocahontas, kindled its fire on the 23d Sun of Worm Moon, G. S. D. 1117, with Pocahontas Lodge No. 1, at the same time. Several degrees were admitted to this meeting. The council of this organization will continue its work at a card party on the 29th Sun of Worm Moon at O. G. F. hall at the 5th Rink of the Sleep.

G. A. R. The masquerade ball and card party given by the G. A. R. Maxed held on corps on Thursday evening, March 23, was a decided hit. It will be repeated on Thursday evening, March 30, at the Federation of Labor hall, corner Fourth South and State streets. Comrades and friends, please take notice and bear this in mind.

Knights of Pythias. The members of Calanthie Myrtle lodge No. 1 are making a vigorous effort to get up a grand ball for the benefit of the evening. Already several applications have been received and it is expected that the third rank will be completed and we will have an official visit from the grand lodge of Knights Pythias earnestly invited to be present.

Royal Neighbors. The Royal Neighbors of America will give a card party and social on Monday evening, March 27, at the hall next Friday evening. All members and their friends are cordially invited.

Women of Woodcraft. Silver Maple circle No. 108 met in the usual form Friday evening with Guardian of the Forest in the chair and all other officers present. A social evening was held and during the evening the degree of Woodcraft was conferred upon Henry W. Erb and Mrs. Marie A. Erb. The evening was a very successful one and a good time was had by all present. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening, March 27, and members desiring to pay their dues will find the best opportunity to do so. The dues for March will be accepted at the residence of the secretary, S. Chalkey, 125 K street, or by mail to box 108.

Fraternal Brotherhood. Sage Lake No. 23 held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening. There was a large attendance, considering the weather conditions. Three new members were added to the order. Secretary is working hard to gain new members and those efforts are being rewarded, as three to five are being admitted at every meeting.

Maccabees. Banner hive held a very pleasant meeting Tuesday last. The blue and yellow contest was taken up and we expect to have a large class to initiate in May. Every member is expected to bring in at least one member. On Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 the hive and all friends were cordially invited to the 122 West Fourth street. The hive No. 4 and 5 are also cordially invited.

I. O. O. F. On a regular meeting on Tuesday night, and as a result of the meeting the beautiful building should be a general attendance of the patriars at this time.

DEATH OF MRS. DE LA MARE. Woman Well Known Among Religious Workers in Salt Lake Passes Away in Tooele.

Mrs. Jeanette De La Mare, wife of Patriarch Philip De La Mare of Tooele, died at her home in that place yesterday morning after a prolonged battle with Bright's disease. This news reached relatives and friends in this city early yesterday and caused deep regret. Mrs. De La Mare was for many years a resident of Salt Lake and was active in all religious work and numbered her friends by the hundred.

RAIN, SNOW, SLUSH MARK VAGARIES OF WEATHER. Salt Lagers had to accept another weird, disagreeable day yesterday, but it was not a "marker" on what persons had to endure whose vocations caused them to be out of doors during the evening. The rain of the afternoon changed to sleet and a driving snowstorm toward 6 o'clock, and walking was about as disagreeable as one could imagine.

SICKENING SHIVERING FITS. Of Arque and Malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine, of especial benefit in the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, being more of this drug has after effects. E. S. Munroe, 125 K street, Salt Lake, has the medicine and brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice, he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. R. M. I. Drug Dept. price, 50c; guaranteed.

Hagerman Pass is one of the crown-jewel glories of the Rocky mountains. The Colorado Midland Railway has secured a magnificent steel engraving 26x40 inches, showing a view of this pass. It is suitable for a card and will be sent to any address on receipt of 15 cents in stamps. Write C. H. Speers, G. P. A., Denver, or L. H. Harding, general agent, Salt Lake.

STATE NEWS

PLAN TO SAVE BOYS. Willis Brown Speaks in the Provo Tabernacle Concerning the Juvenile Courts to be Established.

Provo, March 26.—Willis Brown addressed the congregation at the Tabernacle this evening on the subject of the juvenile courts to be established as a solution of the problem. Mr. Brown gave an interesting exposition of the present situation of the juvenile courts in the reclamation of the wayward and explained the provision of the law passed by the late legislature under which a chief probation officer can be appointed in all the counties of the state. The duty of such officer will be to look after boys who are arrested for offenses and who are delinquents under the provisions of the law. That is, boys who are going wrong, but who have not yet broken the law.

Mr. Brown was listened to with the most attention and his suggestions will without doubt be adopted. This evening he spoke in the university before an audience of students and faculty, and his suggestions were well received. He will come down again Wednesday or Thursday and speak in the district schools.

Discussing the "Boy Problem," Mr. Brown spoke in part as follows: "While the juvenile court mark" from babyhood to 15 or 20 years of age, he is in the hands of the state. These years of formation, using Webster's definition of delinquency as failing in the source, serious faults, are added to the child. The state of Utah has heretofore protected the child by not checking, but protecting, but waiting until at last the offense is so great that the state brings one more criminal before the bar, and the child is sent to the state prison, the shadow of the prison wall, and crime's brand is imprinted on a tender forehead.

Such as these make our criminal class, but 20 per cent of the adult inmates of our institutions were inmates in youth. Therefore, we grow criminals. The state, by waiting until the child is in the career of the boy, contributes to his downfall, and a lost citizen is the result. The state, by waiting until the child is 10 or 20 per cent of the criminal class arrive at the prison because of neglect and bad teaching between 10 and 16 years of age.

Now Utah has thought on these things and is going to take the business of becoming the legal guardian of drifting boys. The state, by passing the law, is to legislate, to help, and assist, the child where it needs such help, and to the parent, to help and assist in performing their duty towards the child.

The phase of the juvenile law which sends petty offenders to the state prison, and which conducts the trial of a child in a separate room apart from the older criminal class, keeps the same and identifies from a criminal record book, and in certain serious cases, sends the child to continue life under normal conditions under charge of an officer of the court.

Utah law, while it permits separate courts in cities of the first and second class, keeps the same and identifies the child in any preliminary hearing. The probation officer is the legal guardian for the child in all cases of such delinquency. In juvenile courts 70 per cent of the boys brought in are at the critical age of 12 to 14 years. In New York city the boys' court out of 1,117 children committed with a probationary system 87 per cent were saved and sent to the state reformatory, proving that at this age they were simply misguided and misdirected, and the juvenile court solves the boy problem by waiting until the child is 10 or 12, and checks the drifting course. In this a whole city is saved.

STATE NEWS

SUSPECT IS UNDER ARREST. Italian Who Tied Little Boy to a Horse Captured at American Fork.

American Fork, March 26.—Leonard B. American, an Italian, was captured here last night by Marshal Legsdon and is being held awaiting the arrival of an attorney. The boy, who was tied to the horse, was rescued by the marshal and is now in the hospital. The man who committed the mean and contemptible act of tying the 11-year-old child to the horse, was captured by Sheriff Harmon of Provo this morning. Legsdon took out for an Italian who had been seen by him in jail. The sheriff's office was immediately notified and Sheriff Harmon, in charge of Sheriff Abbott of Sevier county, came over and got the man and took him back to Provo. From there Sheriff Harmon will take him to Richfield to stand trial for the heinous assault.

The man admits that he has a bad temper, but he denies that he tied the child to the horse. Sheriff Abbott is confident that he is the man who tied the child to the horse and that the man who saw the man near the horse, Vermilion will have no trouble in identifying him.

The outrage was one of the most contemptible that could be imagined. The boy, only 11 years of age, was riding a horse along the road about two miles northeast of Vermilion, when he met this man, who grabbed the horse's bridle and stopped him. He then took hold of the boy's hands and arms and tied him to the horse, on one side of the horn of the saddle. He took hold of the boy's legs and tied them down on the other side of the horn, and tied it there with the strings so tight as to nearly choke the child. He then started the horse down the road, setting a stick and hitting him to make him run.

The horse, after running a short distance, slowed down to a walk and continued on toward the road. The man was in probably half an hour. The boy's mother ran out and immediately released the man, who was a well known and a well respected man in the community. As soon as the boy could tell what had occurred a posse immediately started in search of the man, but he succeeded in eluding them at the time. Sheriff Abbott has been looking for the man ever since the time of the assault.

According to Sheriff Abbott, if the man had been captured by the posse at the time of the assault he would have received some very rough handling, and probably would have been lynched, as the people in that vicinity were in a high state of excitement over the contemptible outrage.

Miss Laura Boley, who has been laboring in a Latter-day Saint missionary in Kansas and Missouri for the past fifteen months, returned home Friday, having completed her labors. She returns in the best of health.

SPRINGVILLE NEWS. Miss Maud Fuller Committed to Mental Hospital. Springville, March 26.—Miss Maud Fuller, 32 years of age, was committed to the insane asylum today. About a week ago her mother brought her from Montana. For several days she had been suffering with a fever and nervous prostration. For the past week she has been at the home of her mother, Mrs. Annie Oakley.

John Randall, who was hurt some time ago in a powder explosion down near as it is out on the street today. The doctors think the eye that was so badly hurt will be saved.

In the case of Springville vs. C. E. Franchell, the first case was dismissed and the defendant found guilty in the latter case. He was fined \$100 by Judge Anderson.

G. R. Maycock won the championship in the oratorical contest held at the L. D. meeting-house Wednesday night. Mr. Settle, general manager of Utah and Montana of the Prudential Life Insurance company, was the guest of honor yesterday, appointing a local agent.

Mrs. Clara Carlisle of Logan and family were visiting in Springville with her parents and friends.

H. T. Reynolds has been in Salt Lake this week consulting the doctors relative to his sprained knee. He has been laid up with it since last October.

PANGUITCH NOTES. Panguitch, March 26.—Judge Childress held a special term of the Sixth district court at Panguitch, beginning at 9 o'clock on the 23d. Sampson Chrymow and William Moore were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. The former, to two charges and the latter to one charge of grand larceny. An order was also made summoning a petit jury to serve at the May term of court.

The town of Tropic, in Garfield county, petitioned the court for the proper proceedings to wind up its affairs and disincorporate the said town as an incorporation. It was incorporated in 1902. The people of the town seem to have had enough of such a municipality and fifty-five out of a registration of 118 voters petitioned for a discontinuance of the town organization.

John S. Rolfe, who has been the court reporter of this district ever since it was organized, is replaced by a Mr. Roberts of Provo.

Springing was opened and the farmers are planting their crops. Much of their plowing has been done last fall and seeding will progress rapidly.

STATE NEWS

DIVORCE SUIT IN PROVO. Provo, March 26.—A suit for divorce was filed in the probate court of the Fourth district court by Minnie Snyder against Albert Snyder. Defendant is serving a term in the state prison for felony, which is given as the ground for divorce. Plaintiff asks to be restored to her maiden name, Minnie Skelton. The parties were married Nov. 2, 1902. Defendant has entered voluntary appearance and consented that immediate default may be taken.

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