

# "LOHENGRIN" IS SUPERBLY RENDERED, BUT ONLY ATTRACTS A SLIM AUDIENCE

Eames and Sembrich Sing Together in "Le Nozze di Figaro" at To-Day's Matinee.

Calve Is to Appear This Evening in "Cavalleria Rusticana" in Role of Santuzza.



ANDREAS DIPPEL AS "LOHENGRIN"

TWO SINGERS OF GRAU OPERA COMPANY WHO APPEARED LAST NIGHT IN "LOHENGRIN."

BY BLANCHE PARTINGTON.

THE grandeur of Wagner's "Lohengrin," as presented last night by a selected cast of Grau's singers, failed to attract a crowd to the Grand Opera-House, which was about half-filled.

A PERFORMANCE of "Lohengrin" that overtopped both of the preceding ones of the season in spirit and poise, the appearance of a new Ortrud and Lohengrin and the poorest house of the season about sum up the situation last night at the Grand Opera-house. The galleries

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H. M. H. The Landgrave of Hesse.	H. R. H. The Duc d'Orleans, Duke of Leeds.
H. M. The Emperor of Germany.	H. R. H. The Duc d'Orleans, Duke of Devonshire.
H. M. The King of Sweden and Norway.	H. R. H. The Herzog Wilhelm of Brunswick.
H. M. The Queen of Italy.	H. I. H. The Grand Duke of Meiningen.
H. M. The King of Saxony.	H. R. H. The Princess Marie of Prussia.
H. I. M. The Shah of Persia.	H. I. H. The Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg.
H. I. M. The Sultan of Turkey.	H. I. H. The Princess Wilhelmine of Baden.
H. R. H. Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria.	
H. R. H. The Duke of Edinburgh.	
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In addition to the foregoing the Steinway has been indorsed by all the famous musicians of the world. Sherman, Clay & Co. would be pleased to give you a souvenir booklet containing portraits of forty-five of these musical celebrities. You are cordially invited to visit their Steinway salesroom. If you cannot call, write for the booklet.

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# GARRES PISTOL IN A HATBOX

Highbinder, Peculiarly Equipped, Sets Out to Kill.

Jue Num Devises a Clever Ruse, but Policeman Arrests Him.

The police expect more trouble in Chinatown. Yesterday they received word that at least fifty gun-fighters had arrived from San Jose, Sacramento and other interior cities, prepared to avenge the shooting of Little Lou, the noted Chinese gambler, and his bodyguard, Chief Wittman in view of the influx had detailed an extra squad in the Chinese quarter, with the instructions to arrest any and every suspicious character.

Calve will be in the title role; Sanderson is to sing Micaela; Salignac is to be heard again as Don Jose and Scotti is to repeat his virile presentation of the Toreador.

Will Probably Spend Rest of Winter in Southern California.

PASADENA, Dec. 1.—Madame Calve has informed acquaintances here that she expects to return to Pasadena within a week or two to spend the winter, and if she can get a place that suits her will reside there permanently.

## GREAT BILLS FOR TO-DAY'S MATINEE AND FOR EVENING

- AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE.
- "Le Nozze di Figaro."
- BY MOZART.
- La Contessa.....Mme. Emma Eames
  - Cherubino.....Miss Fritzi Scheff
  - Marcellina.....Miss Baumeister
  - Susanna.....Mme. Sembrich
  - Il Conte.....Mr. Edouard de Reszke
  - Bartolo.....Mr. Tavecchia
  - Antonio.....Mr. Dufriche
  - Basilio.....Mr. Reiss
  - Don Curzio.....Mr. Maestri
  - Figaro.....Mr. Campanari
  - Conductor, Mr. Seppilli.

- EVENING PERFORMANCE.
- "La Boheme."
- BY PUCCINI.
- Mimi.....Mme. Emma Adams
  - Musetta.....Miss Fritzi Scheff
  - Rodolfo.....Mr. De Marchi
  - Colline.....Mr. Perello de Segurrola
  - Schaunard.....Mr. Gilbert Benoit, Alcandoro.
  - Mariette.....Mr. Dufriche
  - Parpignol.....Mr. Vanni
  - Marcello.....Mr. Scotti
  - Conductor, Mr. Seppilli.

Conductor Swings Wild. The conductor of car 406 of the Powell-street line will have cause for some time to remember an encounter he had last night with a Chinese passenger.

Useful and Artistic. Christmas presents, such as water colors, etchings, photographs, statuary, gold clocks, cameras, dress suit cases, trunks, valises, pocketbooks, fountain pens and picture frames. Greatest assortment and lowest prices. Visitors always welcome.

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Monday Tuesday Wednesday

### Eggs

Fresh laid—guaranteed—2 dozen 85c

### Coffee

Kona or Crescent—reg'ly 25c lb 20c  
reg'ly 20c 2 1/2 lb can

### Canned fruits

Alcalde—in heavy syrup—3 for 50c  
reg'ly 20c 2 1/2 lb can  
All kinds but cherries and berries

### Mince pie

Plum pudding  
The best ingredients the world provides

### Sardines

French—fine quality—2 for 35c  
reg'ly 20c large can

### Bon-bons

Prettier than ever—just unpacked—  
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For a quick, dainty salad—3 for 25c  
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Van Houten—best in the world—80c  
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### Maple syrup

Hazen—pure Vermont sap—60c  
reg'ly 65c 1/2 gallon can

### Christmas-tree decorations

Come early—don't wait until the pretty ones are sold—prices reasonable

### Baby pimolas

Dainty—appetizing—3 for 50c  
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Sublime—our importation—reg'ly 60c quart bottle 55c

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### Mountain burgundy

Fine rich red wine—can be diluted 65c  
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### Christmas-tree ornaments

Latest European novelties—largest  
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### Rye whisky

Old mellow rye—reg'ly \$1 bottle—75c  
\$4 gallon

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Caedonian Scotch \$1 35-1 15

### French cognac

3 Star—reliable—reg'ly \$1 20  
\$1 50 bottle

### Sparklets

Demonstration at Sutter Street store—  
soda fountain at home—For 3 days 20%  
discount from regular prices  
reg'ly \$2 75—now \$2 20 \$3 now \$2 48

### Perfumery

Vee-o-lay—popular  
extracts—reg'ly 50c bot 2 bottles 75c

### Hair brush

Extra fine quality—reg'ly Xmas gift—55c  
all bristles—reg'ly 75c

### Christmas-tree ornaments

Bonbons Candy boxes  
Party souvenirs  
Dinner favors  
Gorgeous candle shades  
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### Diabetes and Bright's Disease.

Interview With Edward Short of the San Francisco Call.

Mr. Edward Short, connected with the business department of the San Francisco Call, is interviewed.

Q.—You are reported to have been cured of diabetes?

A.—That is right.

Q.—Are you sure it was diabetes?

A.—I was rejected for insurance, and later falling rapidly, my physician told me I had diabetes and to put my affairs in shape.

Q.—Have more than one physician?

A.—Yes, I had another confirm it. He, too, said I could not live long. I had dropped from 200 to 135 pounds and was very weak. A neighbor told me of the Fulton Compound.

Q.—How long did you have to take it?

A.—About a year before I was perfectly well.

Q.—Did your physicians then test for sugar?

A.—Both did. Both reported normal. They were very greatly surprised at my recovery, for they had told me diabetes was incurable.

Q.—Know of any other cures?

A.—Several. I told my friend, William Martin, an S. P. conductor of Stockton, about it. He had diabetes and was about to give up his position when I told him. He got the results and was well when he was killed a year or so later.

Q.—Any others?

A.—I told William Hawkins of the Custom-house and Captain Hubbard of the barkentine S. N. Castle upon hearing they had diabetes. Both of them were cured. I also told a neighbor who had dropsy. In a month it was eliminated. I can't recollect all I've told.

Q.—Did it fall in any case?

A.—Not one. It is a positive cure in Bright's disease and diabetes. Go over and see Hawkins and he will tell you the same thing.

(Note.—Mr. Short is not only conservative but scrupulously honest and conscientious, as inquirers will learn at the Call office.)

Medical workers declare chronic Bright's disease and diabetes incurable, but 57 per cent of all cases recover under the Fulton Compound. Price \$1.00 for Bright's Disease and \$1.50 for the Diabetes Compound. One druggist in every city will carry it. Medicines and pamphlets at John J. Fulton Co.'s, 420 Montgomery st.

### Robber Is Captured.

Frank, alias Patrick, Brannan, was arrested early yesterday morning by Detectives Regan and O'Connell and locked up in the "tanks." The officers say that he is one of two men who knocked down and robbed Patrick White at Howard and Natoma streets last Wednesday morning. They expect to capture Brannan's companion soon.

Trapper's Oil cures rheumatism and neuralgia. Druggists, 50c flask. Richard & Co. 406 Clay.