

FORTY LADIES IN BLACK ON THE LOCAL STAGE

A Successful Minstrel Performance at Which Santa Fe Turned Out En Masse and Which Proved a Great Success from Start to Finish.

A SIMILAR SHOW TO BE GIVEN BY THE ELKS IN THE NEAR FUTURE

The largest audience that has yet gathered in the new Loretto Hall, thoroughly enjoyed the minstrel performance given by forty amateur minstrels last evening for the benefit of the Woman's Board of Trade.

The following was the program: Bones—Dinah Dewdrop, Mrs. R. L. Baca; Kalsy Whitewash, Mrs. W. H. Bartlett; Matilda Kinkhair, Miss Haase; Sophia Trotter, Mrs. L. B. Hanna.

Tambos—Topsy Wayback, Miss Morrison; Limber Liz, Mrs. S. G. Cartwright; Euphemia Thundercloud, Mrs. Grant Rivenburg.

Interlocutor—Mr. Klunk.

From the opening overture, to which the Belles of Blackville marched on the stage, until the closing number of Part I, the "Black Bon Tons," the audience was kept laughing by the local quips of the Bones and Tambos.

Mrs. R. L. Baca, with a whistling chorus, the local allusions of the song bringing down the house and compelling five encores: "Hannah Brown," by Black Patti, Miss Blanche Rothgeb.

Part 2 consisted of the following features: "The Emigrants," consisting of eight "Deutsche Maedchens" just landed at Castle Garden, whose singing and antics brought out enthusiastic applause amidst roars of laughter.

Every one of the forty who took part deserves praise for the great success of the evening's performance. A. L. Morrison, Jr., filled the difficult post of accompanist very satisfactorily, and the manager and coach, Mr. Klunk, scored such a success that the local lodge of Elks has persuaded him to remain in Santa Fe two more weeks to coach the Elks in a minstrel performance which will seek to equal and if possible surpass the success of last evening.

MINOR CITY TOPICS

The Denver and Rio Grande train left at 9 o'clock this morning, two hours late.

The city council will meet in regular monthly meeting on Monday evening next and so will the city board of education.

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It snowed all day yesterday in the Santa Fe range. A good supply of water during the spring and summer in the Santa Fe valley is therefore assured.

Claire: A. C. Pacheco and wife, Arroyo Seco; K. K. Scott, Gallup; E. V. Chaves, Jesus Romero, C. D. Murphy, Esalvio Vigil, T. G. Apodaca, G. Badaracco, A. Tamora, T. Werner, Albuquerque; S. M. Dawson, Las Vegas.

The Historical Society of New Mexico held a public meeting Tuesday evening in the chamber of the House of Representatives at Santa Fe. These meetings are reported very interesting and the society is doing some excellent work in collecting data for the future historian.—Red River Prospector.

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A meeting of the Board of Trade at its rooms in the Sena Block this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Quite a number of leading citizens have already purchased tickets for the Famous Schubert's Symphony Club Saturday night.

Professor J. A. Wood received the following telegram this morning from Trinidad, Colorado: "Schubert's played to a large house last night. Everybody delighted. C. B. Foggy."

The forecast is for snow in the north and rain in the south portion tonight and tomorrow with colder weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 46 at 1:40 p. m., and the minimum was 31 at 4:30 a. m. The temperature at 6 o'clock this morning was 23.

It commenced to snow at half past six o'clock this morning, and up to three o'clock this evening two inches of snow had fallen. This amounts to about .12 of an inch of water. The storm is likely to continue late into the night.

It snowed considerable this forenoon at Las Vegas, and by noon over four inches of snow had fallen. Snow is also reported at Embudo and north of there and along the line of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad. This afternoon snow was falling at Raton. There is no snow of any consequence reported south or on the lines of the Santa Fe Central Railway and Santa Fe Railway.

Jose Bautista Talache, governor of the pueblo of San Juan, Jose Ramon Archuleta and Jose Antonio Garcia, ex-governors of the pueblo, and Ventura Montoya, war captain, were in Santa Fe today to see Superintendent Clinton J. Randall at the United States Indian school and United States Special Attorney A. J. Abbott on legal and other business on behalf of the San Juan Pueblos.

Palace: Alexander Bowie, Gallup; F. Sternhardt, Santa Fe; Miss Kate Dickinson, Amhurst, Mass.; Chas. T. West, Ben Weiler, J. E. W. Mungler, Denver; Mrs. W. B. Hayes, Terico, Colo.; G. W. Bond, Wagon Mound; J. F. Brumough, St. Louis; Leslie Warfel, Chicago; Carlroy Seco; K. K. Scott, Gallup; E. V. Chaves, Albuquerque; J. H. Robinson and wife, W. G. Pollark, New York; W. F. Payne, Des Moines, Ia.; G. C. Hampton, Aztec; J. T. Barney, Paducah, Ky.; J. Law, Antonio.

The second public meeting of the Historical Society of New Mexico will be held in the chamber of the House of Representatives at the Capitol on Tuesday evening of next week. The House has granted the use of the hall to the society. The interesting program which has been prepared includes the following: "The Mission Church of New Mexico," by Prof. Hewett; "The Great Ruins at Aztec," by Hon. Granville Pendleton; "Historical Reminiscences," by Hon. W. H. H. Llewellyn; "The Work of the Albuquerque History Club," by C. W. Ward. It is hoped that Hon. Pedro Sanchez will be well enough to give some personal reminiscences of Padre Martinez.

The minstrel show given last evening by the society ladies of this city for the benefit of the Woman's Board of Trade was a great success from every point of view. The Loretto Auditorium was packed and standing room was at a premium. The performance was given with a vim and a dash that does not usually characterize amateur entertainments, and there were no tedious or tiresome delays. The participants entered into the spirit of the entertainment, the music was good and the jokes were bright and heartily appreciated. Many citizens of Santa Fe received the good natured and witty thrusts and enjoyed them as much as did the others. The manager of the entertainment was Burt Klunk, and to him is due great credit for its success. All participants were blackened up.

At 2:10 this morning occurred the death of Mrs. Isabel Baca de Sena, at the Sena homestead on Palace avenue, of heart trouble. Mrs. Sena has been critically ill for some time, but her family and friends had not given up all hope and her death is a great shock. She was 63 years of age and was born at Pena Blanca, this territory. She lived there until 1859, when she was married to Major J. D. Sena, who died in 1892. Since her marriage she has made her home in this city. Mrs. Sena was a most hospitable and loving woman, was highly esteemed and respected and has hundreds of relatives and friends who will mourn her loss. Six children survive her: Mrs. J. M. Luna, M. F. Sena, L. B. Sena, Mrs. C. F. Abreu, J. D. Sena and Mary Sena. The funeral will be held Friday morning. At 9 o'clock high mass will be said at the Cathedral and interment will be made in Rosario cemetery.

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and their two sons, the party going east today to Chicago, where Mrs. Hopwell will remain for a few days while General Manager Hopewell visits Pittsburg, Pa., to consult with General Torrance and other capitalists interested in the building of the Santa Fe Central Railway.

Jesus Romero, who is an influential Albuquerque politician, was among last night's arrivals from the Duke City.

Hon. Solomon Luna, collector and treasurer of Valencia county, returned to the capital from his southern home today.

G. W. Bond, senior member of the firm of G. W. Bond and Brother, arrived from Wagon Mound last evening and went to Espanola this morning.

Mrs. H. H. Howard, wife of Representative Howard, left this evening for her home at San Marcel, having enjoyed her three days' visit in the capital very much.

Charles G. Ward, at present city editor of the Albuquerque Journal-Democrat, has been offered a position on the Las Vegas Optic, and will assume the position as city editor of that paper on March first.

Misses Bertha and Katie Hase went to Santa Fe this morning. Miss Bertha is a stenographer in the house of representatives. Miss Katie will visit with her sister during the week.—Albuquerque Citizen.

Hon. C. E. Miller, of Anthony, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Dona Ana county, and George Lynch, surveyor and engineer of Hatch, are in the capital, guests of Major W. H. H. Llewellyn.

Dr. G. W. Harrison of Albuquerque has arrived in town and is looking after legislative matters. He is interested in the passage of the medical bill which he has prepared and also is favorable to the creation of Sandoval county.

R. B. Stevenson of Omaha, is in town attending the bedside of his mother at the residence of Mrs. J. L. Seligman. Mrs. Stevenson who has been critically ill for ten days, is reported as slightly improved this morning, and there are hopes for her recovery.

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STILL FIGHTING THE MERGER. An Examiner Will be Asked for to Take Testimony in One of the Cases. Washington, D. C., February 24. Representative Cushman today gave notice in the United States supreme court that on next Monday he would present a petition for the appointment of an examiner to take testimony in the case of the state of Washington against the Northern Securities company, the "Merger Case."

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