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THE WHITE CORNER

## Grand Opera House

F. CORDRAY, Manager.  
Monday, Dec. 7th

### SEVENTH SEASON

can't no sense in doin'  
for nobody who never done  
for you." Sis Hopkins.

J. R. STIRLING

the Artistic Comedienne

### JOSE MELVILLE

the Characteristic Play

### Sis Hopkins

of purpose. A plot of  
A happy blending of fun and

### OF LAUGHS! LAUGHS!

LAUGHS!  
astoral comedy hit. Best  
yet. New and special scen-

er music. New specialties.  
Last chance to see the

### BAKENTINE DANCE.

at \$1.75c, 50c, 25c.  
Monday, 9 a. m.

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### AMUEL E. RORK'S

Extravaganza Production.

### Land of Nod

DIANS, SINGERS, DANCERS

azing equipment of scenery,  
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Matinee, \$1.75c, 50c, 25c;  
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other famous success.

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ful story of the Califor-

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Gorgeous stage effects.

Costumes, Immense Cast.

Music; A dream of Old

a new world. Stage un-

on of Donald Bowles.

Prices, 25c, 50c, 50c;

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you see the "Girl of the

eat?" Did you hear about

this is in the same class.

seats early. All mail,

or telegraph orders will

prompt attention.

## WILL URGE

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the form of a decent permanent  
structure at that place.  
They are composed of men who op-

A fine permanent bridge would  
mean employment for labor this win-  
ter, and large additions to the value  
of business property two or three  
blocks east and west of that bridge.  
Of course, the Salem Flouring Mills  
and the street car corporation would  
have to put in new crossings on  
Trade street and plank or pave that  
almost impassible and dangerous  
place. All these interests are crying  
out against a decent bridge, and the  
opposition in the city council is fa-

Let the aldermen who are stand-  
ing by the real interests of the city  
and its development and progress  
show their hands, and let those who  
are serving the big interests that  
oppose the development of the city  
show their hands. Let us under-  
stand where we are at and let the  
people have a square chance to vote  
for or against a permanent bridge  
over South Mill creek on Commercial  
street.

## LITTLE "AFFAIR" TO COST BUT \$10,000

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Dec. 4.—"Just a  
little dance and a bite to eat at  
midnight" at the St. Francis hotel  
tonight—that's all that is promised,  
but San Francisco's smart set is all  
excitement today for it is whispered  
the party will cost \$10,000, and will  
be the most elaborate affair this city  
has ever seen. Florists have been  
at work for weeks preparing the  
elaborate decorations and it is said  
that surprise are in store for the  
dancers.

More than 550 guests are said to  
have accepted invitations and those  
who were "overlooked" can hardly  
be classed as being in the social  
swim in the standpoint of the lead-  
ers. The dance will be the first in  
the new blue and gold ball room.  
Mrs. Scott is the wife of the former  
president of the Union Iron Works,  
which Charles M. Schwab recently  
bought.

Before the ball Miss Jennie Crocker  
will entertain 60 of her friends at  
the hotel and this will be one of the  
most important society events of the  
winter.

### Beware of Frequent Colds.

A succession of col' or a pro-  
tracted cold is almost certain to end  
in chronic catarrh, from which few  
persons ever wholly recover. Give  
every cold the attention it deserves  
and you may avoid this disagreeable  
disease. How can you cure a cold?  
Why not try Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy? It is highly recommended.  
Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says:  
"Several years ago I was bothered  
with my throat and lungs. Some one  
told me of Chamberlain's Cough Rem-  
edy. I began using it and it relieved  
me at once. Now my throat and  
lungs are sound and well." For sale  
at Dr. Stone's drug store.

## WOULD ENJOIN WELLS FARGO

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—The ex-  
press office of Wells-Fargo & Com-  
pany today faces a suit, filed by sev-  
eral prominent mercantile houses, in-  
cluding M. S. Kohlberg, Leszynsky  
& Company, Hale Brothers, Levinson  
Brothers & Company and Newman  
& Levison. These merchants ask the  
United States circuit court to pre-  
vent the express company from rais-  
ing the tariff on seasonable merchan-  
dise.

The allegations are that the ex-  
press company issued a new tariff  
schedule to go into effect December  
10, the effect of which will be to  
prohibit importations by express.  
This new schedule, it is claimed by  
the plaintiffs, is a new tariff estab-  
lished since August 1, 1906, when  
the express company announced a  
special rate on merchandise in large  
lots, this schedule being supplement-  
ary to that filed with the interstate  
commerce commission in June, 1906.  
The merchants claim that the com-  
pany's action violates section 1 of the  
interstate commerce commission reg-  
ulations, and they ask that the spe-  
cial rate be cancelled until the mat-  
ter can be threshed out before the  
interstate commerce commission.

Judge Van Fleet has ordered the  
defendant to appear in court on De-  
cember 7 to show cause why the re-  
straining order should not be issued.

## MUST FIRST FIND BODY OF BIGGY

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Dec. 4.—The  
board of police commissioners will  
not appoint a new chief of police to  
succeed William J. Biggy who was  
lost from the police launch Patrol  
last Monday, until it has been defi-  
nitely established that Biggy is dead.  
This is the announcement made to-  
day by acting Chief A. D. Cutler, fol-  
lowing a suggestion to that effect  
made by the board to Mayor Edward  
R. Taylor.

In the meantime there is no trace  
of the body of the missing chief  
and the commissioners are becoming  
involved in dissensions over the  
statement of Commissioner Hugo D.  
Kell that Biggy handed him a resig-  
nation two hours before he disap-  
peared.

Kell asserts that he told Mayor  
Taylor that Biggy had offered a resig-  
nation. Mayor Taylor denies that  
he received such notification from  
Kell. Acting Chief Cutler, who was  
quoted yesterday as criticising Kell  
and doubting the interview between  
the latter and Biggy, today denies  
that he made the remarks attributed  
to him.

It was rumored today that Com-  
missioner Kell refused point blank  
to reveal all the details of his last  
interview with Biggy to the com-  
missioners at their meeting last  
night, on the ground that the por-  
tions of the interview withheld were  
"sacred." It is also rumored that  
the commissioners have clashed with  
Mayor Taylor who has assumed the  
entire responsibility of naming a  
new chief of police when he deems  
the time apt.

## WILL NOT RETURN ALLEGED FORGER

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 4.—Governor  
Mead has refused to honor the re-  
quisition of Governor Fort, of New Jersey,  
for the return to New Jersey of  
Elliot Archer, alias Archie Carter,  
who is wanted in that state for trial  
on 15 indictments charging forgeries  
amounting to \$70,000.

Sergeant of Detectives Walter God-  
frey and Detective Frank Tuitt, of  
Newark, New Jersey, where the in-  
dictments were found, arrived in the  
city last night with papers from the  
governor of New Jersey for Archer's  
return East. They had with them  
the indictments, which, with the pa-  
pers of the governor, were exam-  
ined by Prosecuting Attorney Mel-  
tosh and Attorney-General Atkinson,  
and pronounced regular.

Counsel for Archer went before the  
governor, who, after hearing both  
sides, told the New Jersey authori-  
ties that they would have to produce  
more evidence to offset the conduct  
of Archer since he had been a resi-  
dent of this state for more than  
seven years.

Archer will probably be released  
today.

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Just Coffee, but perfect  
Coffee.

Your grocer will grind it—  
better if ground at home—not  
too fine.

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THIS YEAR WE ARE SHOWING A GREATER VARIETY OF HOLIDAY NOVELTIES THAN  
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LE, AND A GREAT VARIETY OF STANDARD BOOKS FOR OLDER FOLKS, ESPE-  
CIALLY SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

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## INTERNATIONAL NAVAL CONFERENCE HELD

London, Dec. 4.—There is scant  
hope that the members of the Inter-  
national Naval Conference, convened  
here today, will come to an agree-  
ment in the attempt to regulate the  
treatment of neutral shipping in  
time of war.

The principal feature is a contin-  
uation of that held at The Hague.  
The United States, England,  
France, Japan, Germany, Austria,  
Italy, Spain, Russia and Holland are  
represented.

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Illustrated Song: "Wild Flower," by Miss Evelyn Woods.

MATINEES: 2 P. M.

EVENINGS: 6:45 P. M.

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