

THE TEXAS THEATER.

Amazingly Pretty Girls and Plenty of Interesting Features.

THE PLAY LASTS UNTIL MORNING.

Villains Who Are Really Heavy, and a Very Easy Prompter.

BIG DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE SEXES

At the risk of incurring the displeasure of Gotham's fair dames and damsels, I will make the statement that there were crowded into the queer little barn-like theater, or teatro, of this town last night more pretty women than any theater in New York ever held at one time, writes the San Diego, Cal., correspondent of the New York Sun.

What peculiar climatic or other condition exists to cause this most charming state of things I cannot say; but certain it is that all the girls here are as lovely as they can be, and all the men are well, just plain, ordinary, every-day men, with nothing about them to distinguish them from other Texans.

Not exactly fashion plates. To be sure they were not clad in gowns out according to the latest caprice of Parisian modistes, nor would their coiffures have been pronounced correct by Fifth Avenue hair architects.

Just before the comedy two young Mexicans from the audience clambered up on the stage carrying pasteboard boxes with them. When the dialogue was over, the father and daughter, came on the stage followed by the other actors.

It was well acted, but it was evident that none of the actors knew his lines perfectly. The prompter had a hood in the middle of the row of kerseens, and he read the full text of both the tragedy and comedy, keeping about half a lap ahead of the actors all through.

The theater has a performance almost twice a week, the year round, and good houses are the rule. For such a little place San Diego is one of the best one-night stands in the country.

It may be assumed, without going very far astray, that Mr. Chapleau's communication to the Premier, or ultimatum as some call it, is based largely on the doctrine that Quebec has been refused or given up.

California. The Country of Delightful Waters. California is the most attractive and delightful section of the United States, if not of the world, and its many beautiful resorts will be crowded with the best families of the East during the entire winter.

ANOTHER GREAT WELL.

The Devonian Oil Company's Elliott Doing 500 Barrels an Hour.

WELLS WHICH ARE DUE TO-DAY

Production from the Gordon Sand Pool is Rapidly Coming Up.

W. L. MELLON DENIES CERTAIN RUMORS

There are spots and spots in the McDonald field. Spots where big wells should be found are not, and spots where big wells are discovered when practically nothing was expected.

There was a dry hole completed in the McCurdy field yesterday. It belonged to Guffey, Mellon & Emerson, and was located on the J. H. Andrews farm, 350 feet east of the old Annie Adams well.

Some of the Other Wells. The Devonian Oil Company is down 1,000 feet in its No. 2, on the Elliott, which is near the line of the Sturgeon heirs' farm.

The Drill Started. Yesterday he started to drill it through the Gordon when it commenced to flow at the rate of 800 barrels a day, or 33 barrels an hour.

Somehow Exaggerated. The report from the Tournay lot well of Thompson, Liggett & Haymaker was slightly exaggerated Wednesday night.

On Top of the Fifth. Hays & Garland's No. 7, on the Miller farm, is expected to break into the fifth sand to-day. The No. 8, on the same farm, is on top of the Gordon sand.

Yesterday's Market Features. The market was dull and weak and the highest bid for oil was 42 cents.

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MANY MILLIONS IN USELESS BUTTONS

With the introduction of new machinery both men and materials are constantly thrown out of employment in some quarters, while new methods of employment are opened in other quarters.

Some Advance Ventures. VENICE-Guckert & Learn are putting the first casing in their well on the Reed farm south of this place.

There has been a rumor in circulation for several days among the oil men to the effect that W. L. Mellon was about to commence the erection of a large refinery at Coropolis.

It may Result Fatally. Walter Gray, the teamster who was buried in the fire at McDonald Wednesday night, is not expected to live.

Pumping by Hand. An enterprising young American is laying the foundation for a career as a multimillionaire at Nobletown.

Gauges of the Wells. A gauge of the big wells in the field yesterday showed them to be producing as follows per hour: Guffey, Murphy, Jennings & Co.'s No. 1 Mathews, 300 barrels; Heron No. 1, 150; Heron No. 2, 70; Heron No. 3, 120; Heron No. 4, 100; Heron No. 5, 130; Heron No. 6, 110; Heron No. 7, 140; Heron No. 8, 120; Heron No. 9, 110; Heron No. 10, 130; Heron No. 11, 120; Heron No. 12, 110; Heron No. 13, 120; Heron No. 14, 110; Heron No. 15, 120; Heron No. 16, 110; Heron No. 17, 120; Heron No. 18, 110; Heron No. 19, 120; Heron No. 20, 110.

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A ROOM FOR BALLOONS.

GENERAL GREELY'S RECOMMENDATIONS IN HIS REPORT.

He Would Have the Military Field Telegraph System Improved—Several Ways He Suggests for the Accomplishment of His Purpose.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Brigadier-General A. W. Greely, chief signal officer, in his annual report to the Secretary of War, makes a special point of the necessity for the improvement of the military field telegraph system.

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Going too far—This man on the Fourth of July wanted to see the procession, but climbed to the top of the Boston State House; he said, "I was afraid somebody might step on my corns."

The Chief Signal Officer has long appreciated the importance of balloons in active military operations.

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